



ANMF NEWSFLASH

ANMF Advocacy Secures Key Membership and Employment Security for Royal Hobart Hospital Mother and Baby Unit Staff

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) is pleased to announce a significant achievement in our ongoing advocacy for members at the Royal Hobart Hospital (RHH) Mother and Baby Unit (MBU). As a result of our continued communication and representation, the ANMF has secured membership on the **Strengthening Capacity for Parenting, Perinatal & Infant Mental Health Services Steering Committee**. This important role will allow us to provide valuable feedback on the proposed model of care and clinical environment specifications for the St Johns Park Intensive Parenting Service.

In addition to this success, we have received firm assurances that **all staff currently employed at the MBU will have the opportunity to transfer to the new services at St Johns Park**. This commitment ensures job security for our dedicated professionals and continuity of care for women, babies and families who rely on these critical services.

However, despite these positive developments, the ANMF has continued to call upon the Department of Health to provide a **formal change proposal** to allow all members the opportunity to engage meaningfully in shaping the model of care. In response to our advocacy, the ANMF has now committed to delivering this formal change proposal by **late June to early July 2025**.

The ANMF remains committed to ensuring our members' voices are heard and that the transition to the new service model is undertaken transparently and collaboratively.



We will continue to keep you updated as more information becomes available. Please reach out with any concerns or questions.

The ANMF Tasmanian Branch is 8000 plus members strong! Supporting nurses, midwives, and care workers as the only union in Tasmania employing nurses, midwives and care workers to represent members. This is why our Organisers and Member Support Team are uniquely positioned to understand your experiences, represent you in your workplace, and offer industrial advice that's relevant to you.

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