



ANMF NEWSFLASH

Mersey Community Hospital

Perioperative Theatre and Day Surgery Unit Workload and Skill Mix Concerns

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) has met with members at Mersey Community Hospital (MCH) Perioperative Theatre (OT) and Day Surgery Unit (DSU) who continue to express concerns regarding short staffing and skill mix.

While the **Tasmanian Health Service (THS)** continues to claim they are shocked by any such claims, the **ANMF** needs your help to bring data to the **THS** that they can't deny. Please complete, and encourage your colleagues to complete, the survey below every shift you work. Once we have the data the **ANMF** will be raising a grievance and if unable to be resolved at the local level it will be lodged in the **Tasmanian Industrial Commission (TIC).**

Survey: https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/019799ed8e22775c8eabb954799cf439









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