

ANMF NEWSFLASH

Royal Hobart Hospital Centre for Education and Research Dispute Raised

Following a survey held last year and a member meeting held on Tuesday 10 February 2026, affected members have voted to formally raise a dispute under the *Nurses and Midwives (Tasmanian State Service) Award 2024* due to the ongoing lack of communication and failure to finalise a change proposal that has been with the Chief Executive Hospitals South (CEHS) since April 2025.

Despite assurances that a review conducted in October 2025 would have a final report by December 2025, members have received no advice on the review outcomes, recommendations, or a final decision regarding the change proposal. This prolonged delay has caused significant uncertainty, distress, and psychosocial harm, prompting notification to WorkSafe Tasmania.

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) has written to CEHS seeking a formal written response within 21 days, including the outcome of the review and advice on finalisation of the change proposal. If this matter is not resolved, the ANMF may escalate the dispute to the Tasmanian Industrial Commission.

The ANMF will continue to advocate strongly on behalf of members and will provide further updates as they become available.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your ANMF representative.

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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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