

ANMF NEWSFLASH

North West Regional Hospital Emergency Department Benchmarking

On Tuesday 1 September 2026 Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) members from the North West Regional Hospital (NWRH) Emergency Department (ED) unanimously endorsed the 2026 benchmarking from the data set July 2025 – June 2026. A Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) of 59.83 supports an 11,11,8 roster leaving a further 56.5 hours per week available to be allocated.

The indirect positions of Nurse Unit Manager (NUM), Clinical Nurse Educator (CNE) and Clinical Facilitator (CF) remain unchanged at 6.27 FTE. EMU data and staffing is not included in ED benchmarking. For the purposes of clarity, a combined roster for ED and EMU of 12,12,9.

Written notification that the FTE increase has been added to the establishment and recruitment has commenced is expected by **close of business Friday 2 October 2026**. The ANMF will keep members informed of progress.

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