

Nurses and Midwives Agreement 2019

Repeat Ballot Scheduled

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) has secured Elections Australia to carry out the Public Sector Nurses and Midwives offer repeat ballot. This repeat ballot is required as the previous 17 December 2019 ballot was compromised with outside influence and possible robot activity.

The ANMF had originally committed to using the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) to carry out the ballot, however the AEC have advised that they no longer conduct ballots for industrial agreements. The AEC recommended a number of private service providers to conduct the ballot for ANMF members, including Elections Australia.

In order to provide assurance to members that there is no risk for further compromise, the ANMF have had commitment from Elections Australia of the security measures in place. These including double encryption and password protection of the site and a unique member identification process to ensure that there is no ability for multiple votes to be lodged.

The ballot will be undertaken on-line with members receiving a text message at 0830 hrs on Wednesday 15 January 2020 including a link to the instructions from Elections Australia on how to vote. You can vote from any computer, or smartphone.

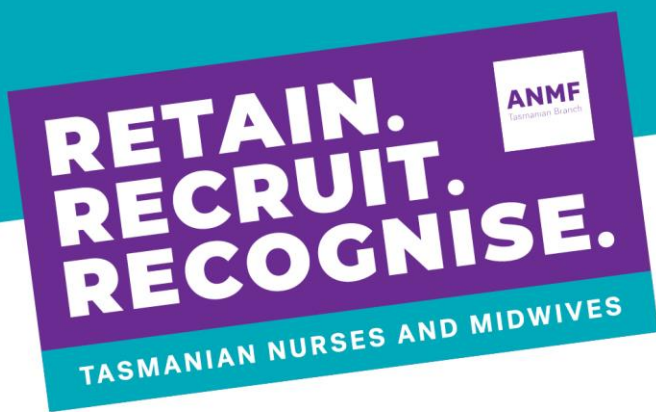
You need to have your first and last name along with your ANMF member number to vote. These details are listed at the top. You will also receive your member number via text on Wednesday 15 January prior to voting opening. These are the details you will need to vote with, if you wish to update them please call the ANMF Tasmanian Branch on (03) 6223 6777 or 1800 001 241 if calling from outside Hobart and staff will be able to assist you.

Please continue reading for more details and instructions on how to vote.

HOW TO VOTE:

You can vote from **0900 hrs on Wednesday 15 January to 1200 hrs on Wednesday 22 January 2020** by following the below steps.

1. Go to **www.myvote.com.au/anmftas**



2. Enter your first name, last name and ANMF member number, then click on the 'Submit Voter Identity' button.

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Please fill in your details below then click on the submit button

This information is only used to check that you are eligible to vote and that you have not already voted in this ballot. The way you vote remains secret. This information remains confidential and will be destroyed after the completion of the ballot.

<input type="text"/>	First Name
<input type="text"/>	Last Name
<input type="text"/>	ANMF Member Number

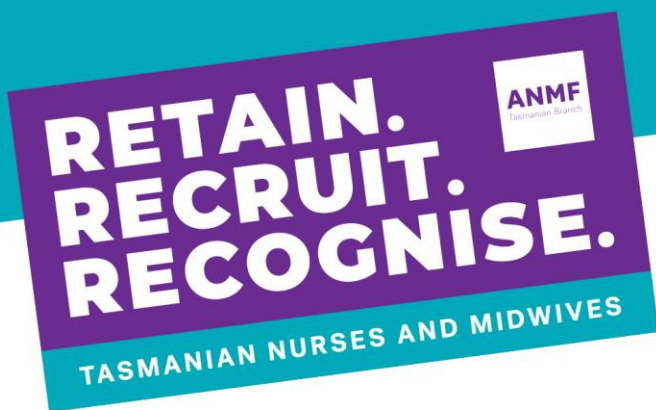
3. Click on either the YES or NO box vote.

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**Do you approve the proposed
Nurses and Midwives (Tasmanian State Service) Agreement**

Click on either the YES or NO box then click on the submit button.
If you make a mistake click the same box again to clear the entry.

<input type="checkbox"/>	YES - I approve the Agreement.
<input type="checkbox"/>	NO - I do not approve the Agreement.



4. Double check your selection is correct, then click the 'Submit Ballot' button.

IMPORTANT - Once you click the SUBMIT button you cannot change your vote.

Members will be advised of the ballot outcome as soon as the results have been received by the ANMF from Elections Australia.

Members are encouraged to visit the ANMF Tasmanian Branch website <https://ea.anmftas.org.au/> to review the Tasmanian Government offer for the replacement Public Sector Nurses and Midwives Agreement.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Member Support Team on (03) 6223 6777 or 1800 001 241 (if outside Hobart). Alternatively, email membersupport@anmftas.org.au.

Authorised by Emily Shepherd, Branch Secretary
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