

## Gifts and Benefits Register

**Period: 1 January 2026- 31 March 2026**

Gifts or benefits received or given with a retail value of more than \$150 are recorded in the Metro South Health's Gifts and Benefits Register. Multiple gifts or benefits (from a single donor) with a cumulative value of more than \$150 are also recorded in the register. This Register captures gifts and benefits declared and approved by the delegated decision makers within this quarter.

The Register is published under the *Right to Information Act 2009* as part of the MSH's publication scheme.

For organisational donors, name of organisation is included. If the donor is an individual, a generic reference E.g. "individual", "family of patient" has been used.

Updated as at 7 April 2026.

Gift or benefit offer received by an employee/MSH or given by MSH:	Date gift or benefit was offered:	Description of Gift or Benefit:	Value:	Donor Organisation:	Name of Recipient:	Reasons for Accepting/Benefit to QLD Community	Gifts Received: Retained by Employee, or, Offer Declined, or, Retained by Queensland Health	Approval Status
To be received by an employee or MSH	31/10/2025	Attend the UTAS Implementation Science Workshop at the PAH on 12 November 2025 0900 – 1630	\$450.	UTAS	Nicola Rogers	Free place to attend the workshop (MSH offered 5-7 places), selected based on EOI process.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	06/11/2025	Convening for AAMHP conference required onsite early mornings and late evenings and I accepted 2 nights accom onsite to manage the potential for fatigue. The assoc is voluntary with no financial or preference treatment gained.	\$480.	Australian Association for Manual Handling of People	Jenny Bates	In the convenor role I supported Metro South Health and Qhealth with an event that provided innovative solutions for patient handling.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	12/11/2025	Gifted attendance at the UTAS Implementation Science workshop (\$450) to be held at the PAH 12th November 2025. EOI to attend was submitted by direct line manager and reviewed by an external/independent group.	\$450.	UTAS (University of Tasmania)	Christine Ossenberg	Attendance at this workshop will enable me to further develop my understanding and application of implementation science principles to the research I conduct in MSH, and the research support provided to MSH clinicians in my role as nurse researcher	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	04/11/2025	Education (Current Trends in Immuno-Oncology) Melbourne Fri night 20 & Sat 21 March 2026. Return flight MEL to BNE (Yes 1 flight only, as I am self-funding flight down, as convening a virtual symposium). Accomx1 night, meals, 1xdinner, 2xlunch, transfer	\$1,044.	Merck Sharp and Dohme (Australia)	Marissa Ryan	Improve knowledge in the pharmaceutical management of oncological and haematological conditions with immunotherapy treatments. I can impart knowledge gained and use in my daily practice as a consultant cancer pharmacist	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	17/08/2023	Virtual registration for the ESMO Conference held on 20-24 October 2023	\$1,432.	MSD	Laura Tam	Staying on top of advances in oncology to provide the best care for patient	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	24/02/2025	Accommodation at CTIO conference in Sydney - but did not actually use. Made alternative accommodation.	\$450.	MSD	Laura Tam	Being able to attend conference to hear the latest updates in immunotherapies from renowned experts	The gift or benefit was declined in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits.	Not Approved - Offer was not accepted
To be received by an employee or MSH	07/11/2025	Funding from Atos Medical/Coloplast of \$6000 to attend (invited) clinical masterclass, site visit & med tech summit from Mon 9th to Fri 13th Feb 2026 in Sweden and Netherlands. Funding supports return airfares, accommodation & travel expenses	\$6,000.	Atos Medical	Kelli Hancock	As per overseas travel application - collaboration and networking with NKI ENT and Speech Pathology department, opportunity for benchmarking models of care and service post laryngectomy surgery, attendance at advance level masterclass	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	01/07/2025	Donation to MSH: Quickie Iris manual wheelchair and seating system (Serial number: IRS-123388; colour: Red; located in Spinal Injuries Unit Physiotherapy Gym)	\$17,660.	LSRR	Emilie Gollan	Highly beneficial equipment for inpatients undergoing primary rehabilitation. Provides mobility, facilitates participation in rehab, expedites equipment trials in preparation for hospital discharge and can be easily customised for many patients.	The gift or benefit is to be retained/used by Metro South Health.	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	30/12/2025	Gift entailed a bottle of wine and card. When the recipient read the card, inside the envelope was also 2 x \$100 ultimate gift cards that can be used at multiple store locations.	\$200.	Metro South Health Staff Member	Amanda Kopp	The staff member wanted to thank-you for the leadership provided by the recipient and how grateful they are to be working in the Outreach team.	Bottle of wine retained by employee however the two gift cards were not approved for acceptance.	Bottle of wine approved for acceptance, Gift cards were not approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	15/01/2026	Travel to Sydney for Transcatheter Edge-to-Edge Repair course sponsored by Abbott Medical. I perform these procedures (MitraClip) at PAH and participation in this course would be beneficial to update procedural skills and meet CPD requirements.	\$355.	Abbott Medical ANZ	Yash Singbal	This hands on course of MitraClip patient selection and device deployment will augment my procedural skills with the resultant aim of improved patient outcomes and shorter procedure times. I perform this procedure at PAH.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	23/01/2026	Accommodation, car hire and flights to and from Wagga. This was offered as it is standard practice for this LHD to fund specialist speakers. The return flight is to Melbourne where I am continuing to work for two days delivering education.	\$1,700.	Murrumbidgee Local Health District	Kylie Ash	Increased project funds available to undertake further project activities to meet requirements and enhance outcomes of the activity work plan for Advance Care Planning Australia.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
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To be received by an employee or MSH	08/12/2025	Donation of journal books that have Aboriginal Artwork on the cover	\$290.	Staverton Kindergarten	Deborah Dowsett	Donation of journal books with Aboriginal artwork to be given to First Nation patients of MSPCS	The gift or benefit is to be retained/used by Metro South Health.	Approved

To be received by an employee or MSH	14/02/2025	One of our patients and family members gave me a thank you card end of their treatment. In the thank you card, it has a gift card (massage voucher from Soakbathhouse).	\$160.	Patient	Hanna Kim	In the notes, patient and family mentioned that I can share with our team.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	05/01/2026	A Breville Coffee Machine and a box of pods	\$900.	Past Patient	Jaime Goodwin	Staff to have access to a coffee machine for personal use.	The gift or benefit is to be retained/used by Metro South Health.	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	26/03/2025	Travel related costs of airfare (\$1,988), accommodation (\$1272), meals (\$360) and transport (\$100) funded by the National Cancer Grid, Tata Memorial Hospital to present at the International Cancer Rehabilitation Conference 2026, in India.	\$6,363.	National Cancer Grid, Tata Memorial Hospital	Erin Kelly	Benefits include sharing of evidence-based international practice, and increased capability and aim for improved pathways in speech pathology brain tumour management, directly benefiting patients across MSHHS and statewide services.	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved
To be received by an employee or MSH	06/11/2025	Registration for the 4th Indonesian Scientific Meeting on Obstetric Anesthesia and Critical Care Conference in Indonesia 10-13 May 2026, accommodation, airport transport, domestic flights in Indonesia, speaker fees, and catering.	\$1,000.	ISMOAC Organising Secretariat	Shahir Mohamed	Contributes to CME activities for myself to meet the requirements of the college CPD requirements. Enables links with fellow Indonesian anaesthetic community and with the organisers who are from the University in Solo (Universitas Sebelas Meret).	I wish to personally accept/retain the gift or benefit and I certify that the offer of the gift or benefit is in accordance with the MSH procedure PR2020-230 Gifts and benefits and its Key Principles, and the Code of Conduct	Approved