

# Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee (QEII) Hospital

## MSH Graduate Nursing Program

### Hospital Overview

- QEII is a medium-sized metropolitan hospital with 205 beds and more than 1500 staff.
- QEII provides a range of inpatient and outpatient services including general medicine, general surgical, cardiology, geriatric medicine, intensive care, acute stroke, palliative care, emergency department, peri-operative and endoscopy services.
- QEII is currently undergoing major expansion, including:
  - A new 5-level Clinical Services Building, adding 112 beds and treatment spaces to enhance patient capacity, Intensive Care, and Perioperative services.
  - An 8-level car park improving access for patients, visitors and staff.
- Accredited Pathway to Excellence® hospital providing a positive practice environment where nurses can flourish.

### Our Staff

QEII employs over 1500 staff including:

- 800 nurses
- 274 medical officers
- 156 allied health professionals



### Our Activity

In the 2025 – 2026 financial year there were:

- 40 055 patients admitted to QEII
- 60 916 patients treated in the Emergency Department
- 143 998 outpatient appointments
- 6 622 elective surgeries

### Aim of the

### MSH Graduate Program

- Assist the graduate nurse to transition from novice to competent practitioner.
- Provide structured learning experiences that will assist the graduate registered nurse to develop their required clinical knowledge and skills.
- Support the graduate in both education and clinical environments.
- Promote the development of confidence in clinical practice.
- Provide adequate organisational support and practice-based education to assist the graduates successful transition into the workplace and to remain satisfied in the profession long term.

### Find out more

[metrosouth.health.qld.gov.au](https://metrosouth.health.qld.gov.au)  
[QEII - MSH Graduate Program](#)

MSH-NMCRH@health.qld.gov.au  
(07) 3182 6330

### QEII Jubilee Hospital



# 2026 Graduate Program Overview

## ORIENTATION

- Comprehensive hospital orientation
- 2-day nursing orientation
- Digital hospital training
- Online learning modules
- Supernumerary support included

## EDUCATION

- 4 Study Days
- Speciality Transition to Practice programs
- Unit-based education
- Insight - Quality Initiative program

## SUPPORT

- Graduate Coordinator: A dedicated Nurse Educator who is responsible for the coordination and management of the MSH Graduate Program at QEII.
- Graduate Clinical Facilitators (CF): dedicated CFs to graduate transition, available to support with clinical skills, communication, and debriefing new experiences.
- Clinical Facilitators (CF): Unit CFs who can assist with transition to nursing culture, guidance, education or friendly debrief.
- Regular peer meeting with other new graduates.

## Metro South Hospital Initiatives



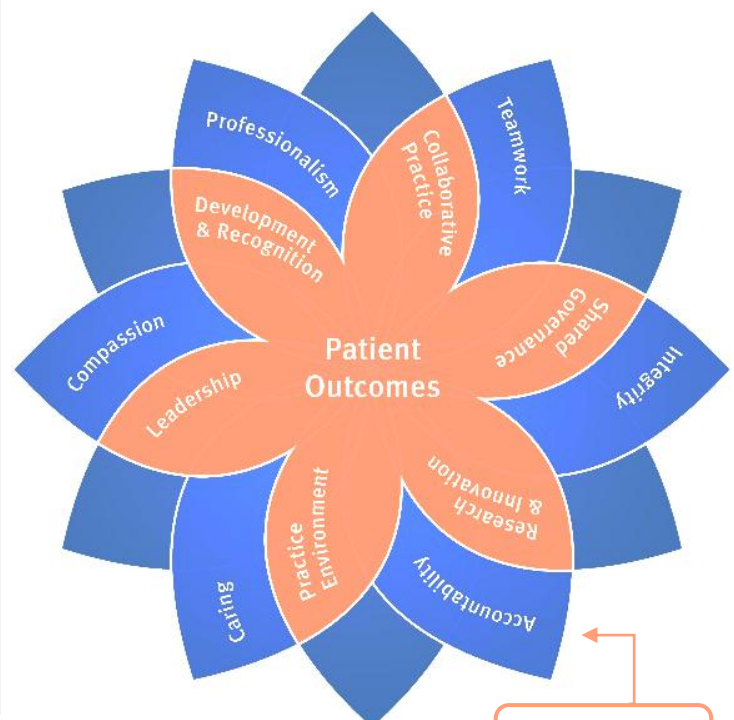
## Testimonials

The best thing about my new graduate year at QEII was the easy access to supportive education staff including the graduate educator, clinical facilitators & preceptors. I was so grateful for the personal service and tailored program to suit my needs. I love the size of QEII - I know so many people from all around the hospital and they know my name too.

- Tralee

The best thing about my new graduate year at QEII was working with such a friendly & supportive team that allowed my skills and confidence to grow. I gained the ability to communicate and offer support to patients and their family members. The greatest thing about working at QEII is the small community hospital feel with the benefit of working for Qld Health in a major metro area.

- Anna



QEII Professional Practice Model

[metrosouth.health.qld.gov.au/careers/nursing-and-midwifery-graduates](https://metrosouth.health.qld.gov.au/careers/nursing-and-midwifery-graduates)