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Mr Gerard Hayes Secretary Health Services Union

By email: secretary@hsu.asn.au

Dear Mr Hayes

I am writing to advise you of proposed changes to the Staff Health Service within the South Western Sydney Local Health District (SWSLHD), which has the potential to directly affect your members.

A review of the Staff Health Service was completed across SWSLHD, with a key focus on streamlining processes, to strengthen, standardise and regulate Staff Health. We have put forward a change to centralise the service to ensure professional and proactive delivery, strengthen support and staff development, and align positions to meet service demand.

To ensure the proposed changes have the input of employees, consultation is being planned, in line with the consultative provisions of the Public Health System Nurses' and Midwives' (State) Award. I am writing to invite you to attend a meeting with employees to discuss the proposed changes on Thursday, 28 September at 10:30am, via MS Teams or in person at SWSLHD District Campus, Ngara Building, and to provide any comments regarding the proposed changes within two weeks from the date of this meeting.

Alternatively, I would be happy to meet to discuss this matter further with your representatives prior to this meeting.

If you would like to discuss the proposed changes further, please do not hesitate to contact Staff Health Nurse Manager, Jade Roberts via email: Jade.Roberts@health.nsw.gov.au or by phone 0418 470 370.

Yours sincerely

Dr Rebecca Leon

Executive Director People & Culture

Date: 18 September 2023

General Correspondence