

## **Union win!**

# **HSU members say no to bad EBA deal**

Dear Member,

HSU members have won a significant victory today, by giving a strong 'no' to a bad wage offer from Catholic Healthcare.

We've just received notice that 61.7% of voters were against the deal, meaning that the proposed EBA deal has been rejected by staff.

This is a strong win and was only achieved because HSU members got active and campaigned against the low wage offer and against cuts to the medication allowance.

Congratulations to everyone who participated in the campaign. By sharing information with your colleagues, attending union meetings and encouraging everyone to vote 'no', you've shown management that we are an active union and that our voice will be heard.

This is a great result, but the campaign is not over.

Catholic Healthcare have said that they will be in contact with the union shortly to discuss the next steps. We will continue to push for a fair wage offer and for no cuts to current conditions and entitlements.

Now is the time that we need to be strongest, to secure a better offer that is fair for everyone. If your colleagues are not yet HSU members, please encourage them to join today. They can join online at [www.hsu.asn.au/join](http://www.hsu.asn.au/join) or by calling 1300 478 679.

Only when you're an HSU member are you part of the team campaigning for a fair pay offer and a decent enterprise agreement.

Congratulations to all HSU members. We will keep you updated on the negotiations as things progress.

In unity,



Gerard Hayes  
Secretary, HSU NSW/ACT/QLD