



## Supporting you to succeed.

Graduate study days, education sessions, formal courses, workshops and supernumerary hours are just some of the ways we support you in your graduate year.

Most importantly, your educators, leaders and teammates care about your success. Some have been supporting and educating others for over 20 years – so they have a good understanding of what you'll experience and need to succeed as you progress through your career.

## Paying it forward.

As part of UnitingCare, we believe people should be able to experience life in all its fullness. It's for this reason that we're dedicated to giving back to our community.

St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital helps deliver vital cardiac services to rural and regional areas of Queensland, from the back of a 25-metre-long semi-trailer as part of the Heart of Australia program.

According to the Heart Foundation, Australians living outside capital cities are 26% more predisposed to cardiovascular disease than their city counterparts. It can also be more difficult for people in the country to access essential medical services – including getting a heart health check and managing cardiovascular disease once diagnosed with it.

Nicknamed 'The Heart Bus', the rolling clinics have welcomed more than 2,000 patients, assisting those in communities presenting with critical, life-threatening symptoms. St Andrew's continues to strengthen its partnership with Heart of Australia to ensure people in the country have access to this vital medical service.

## Let's connect

Visit our website for more information on applying for upcoming graduate programs.

[standrewshospital.com.au](http://standrewshospital.com.au)

**St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital is  
proudly part of the UnitingCare family.**

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# Graduate Nurse Program



## Welcome to St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital. First class treatment. World class results.

As a graduate nurse at St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, you'll be part of a world-renowned healthcare team. Here you'll be able to learn in one of the highest acuity, tertiary hospitals in Australia.

For over 60 years, we've been a leader in complex health needs, bringing together the finest medical experts and technology to deliver holistic care and support for our patients and their families.

St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital is proudly part of UnitingCare, one of the largest private hospital groups in Queensland.

### Specialised clinical rotations

St Andrew's offers a 12-month program, giving you the opportunity to broaden your skills in a single clinical speciality. Whichever stream you choose, our program will provide you with a deep, rich learning experience supported by experienced staff who care about your future.

## Two streams to consolidate your skills

### General Nursing:

- Acute Medicine, Respiratory, Palliative Care
- Cardiology/Coronary Care
- Cardiothoracic/Vascular
- Orthopaedics/Neuroscience/Neurosurgery
- Rehabilitation
- Surgical – Adult and Paediatrics, Plastics, ENT, Colorectal, Eye, Gynaecology, General Surgical

### Perioperative Stream

There are three Perioperative programs available at St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, including:

- Scrub/Scout Program
- PACU (Post Anaesthetic Care Unit)
- Anaesthetics Program

Each program includes a comprehensive theoretical component as well as a supportive clinical component.

### Achieving success together

At St Andrew's, we're proud of our reputation for graduate support, retention and success, with many graduates going on to experience exceptional careers with our family, and beyond. We're also proud of the wide range of career opportunities we offer in a variety of clinical specialties.

Throughout your program, you can expect to be exposed to varied and exciting work. Then once finished, you'll be supported and encouraged to continue your career with St Andrew's or explore other opportunities within UnitingCare. You can either apply for the areas you completed placement in, or look to try something completely different.

Importantly, we're in it for the long haul. We're committed to your ongoing career development, as demonstrated by the fact that our program consistently achieves a retention rate of over 90%.

We recognise the importance of continually learning and developing as individuals, and this is embedded within our values. We partner with the University of Tasmania to provide our people with professional development opportunities through a range of postgraduate courses.

We also offer scholarships and bursaries to continue your professional development long after your graduate program finishes.

