NURSING AND MIDWIFERY STRATEGIC DIRECTIONS 2019 –2022

Nurses and Midwives will lead the design and provision of quality sustainable health care services to improve the wellbeing of all South Australians.

**OUR VALUES**

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**ENABLING PROFESSIONALISM**

Nurses and Midwives:
- Will be leaders and drivers of change across the health care system
- Influence, shape and design health services through effective policy and decision making
- Recognise and celebrate our professional identities
- Value their contribution to the health and wellbeing of South Australians
- Will continue to work collaboratively to extend their full scope of practice
- Commit to caring for themselves and each other

**CONNECTING CARE**

Nurses and Midwives:
- Provide compassionate, reliable person centred care that is timely, appropriate and supports wellbeing
- Bring a unique body of knowledge essential to the development of successful models of care
- Are at the forefront of clinical governance
- Recognise and enable a person’s right to self-determination for wellbeing
- Recognise and welcome diversity in the community

**WORKFORCE AGILITY**

Nurses and Midwives:
- Will promote and build a sustainable, resilient, contemporary and adaptive workforce to meet the needs of the community
- Will foster strong authentic leaders at all points across the care continuum
- Recognise the value of lifelong learning opportunities
- Embrace a culture of respect and create continual opportunities for growth and professional development

**RESEARCH AND INNOVATION**

Nurses and Midwives:
- Recognise research is essential in driving innovation and translating evidence into practice
- Are early adopters of technology into care
- Will utilise data and information to innovate, create and support decision making
- Use evidence to predict and plan future health care directions
- Value innovation through collaboration and partnerships

**KEY PRIORITIES**

**SA HEALTH**

Inspiring South Australia

Influencing Nationally

Leading Globally