



**Australian Health Ministers' Advisory Council**  
**National Nursing and Nursing Education Taskforce**

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**Scopes of Practice Symposium**

The second stage in program of work is the **Scope of Practice Symposium** schedule for March 30, 2005. The symposium will bring together invited representatives and key stakeholder groups from across Australia to engage in dialogue about the complexities and challenges involved in implementing a national framework for scopes of practice for nurses and midwives.

The Stakeholders include the Commonwealth Government, State and Territory Governments, workforce planners and policy makers, Regulatory Authorities, the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Council (ANMC), education and training providers, and public and private employers from a range of service sectors. The interests of nurses and midwives are represented by unions, professional colleges and organisations directors of nursing and national nursing organisations with both specialist and generalist focus. The Table of invitees list the invited stakeholders and their parent organisations. The list will be updated as attendance is confirmed.

**Invited Stakeholders**

Ms	Rosemary	Bryant	Executive Director	Royal College of Nursing, Australia
Adjunct Professor	Kathy	Baker	Chief Nursing Officer	Department of Health New South Wales
Ms	Sue	Macri	Executive Director	Australian Nursing Homes and Extended Care Association (NSW)
Ms	Fiona	Stoker	Principal Nurse Advisor	Department of Health Tasmania
Professor	Pauline	Nugent	Head, School of Nursing	Deakin University
Professor	Jill	White	Dean, Faculty of Nursing, Midwifery & Health	University of Technology, Sydney
Ms	Katherine	Henderson		
Ms	Di	Lawson	Chief Executive Officer	Community Services & Health Industry Skills Council
Associate Professor	Kim	Usher	Chair	Council of Deans of Nursing and Midwifery (Australia and New Zealand)
Prof	Phillip	Della	Chief Nursing Officer	Department of Health - Western Australia
Mr	Greg	Rikard	Principal Nurse Advisor	Department of Health & Community Services
Ms	Fiona	Stoker	Principal Nurse Advisor	Department of Health & Human Services
Ms	Kim	Sykes	Principal Advisor/Director, Policy Branch	Nurse Department of Human Services
Adj. Prof.	Debra	Thoms	Chief Nursing Officer	Department of Human Services South Australia

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Ms	Sue	Norrie	Principal Nurse Advisor of Health Advisory Unit Queensland	
Adj. Prof.	Jenny	Beutel	Chief Nurse	Nursing & Midwifery Office, ACT
Ms	Anne	Morrison	Chairperson, ANMC	c/o Queensland Nursing Council
Ms	Karen	Cook	Manager/Registrar	Nurses Board of the Australian Capital Territory
Ms	Marion	Clark	Chief Executive Officer	Nursing Council of New Zealand
Mr	Michael	Cleary	Executive Director	Nurses and Midwives Board, New South Wales
Ms	Christine	Quirke	Executive Officer	Nursing & Midwifery Board of the Northern Territory
Ms	Anne	Morrison	The Executive Officer	Queensland Nursing Council
Ms	Judi	Brown	Chief Executive Officer	Nurses Board of South Australia
Ms	Moira	Laverty	Chief Executive Officer	Nursing Board of Tasmania
Ms	Louise	Milne-Roch	Chief Executive Officer	Nurses Board of Victoria
Ms	Margaret	Watson	Chief Executive Officer	Australian Nurse Regulatory Authority for Western Australia
Mr	John	Ramsay	Chair	Australian Health Workforce Officials Committee
Ms	Helen	Townley	Executive Officer	Australian Health Workforce Officials Committee
Mr	Paul	Gavel	Executive Officer	National Health Workforce Secretariat
Professor	Judy	Lumby	The College of Nursing	(Incorporating The NSW College of Nursing)
Ms	Jill	Iliffe	Chairperson, Office of the Secretariat	National Nursing Organisations Secretariat
Ms	Mary	Kirk	Chair	Nurses Board of the Australian Capital Territory
Ms	Annette	Huntington	Chairperson	Nursing Council of New Zealand
Professor	Jill	White	President, Board of Directors	New South Wales Nurses Registration Board
Ms	Sharon	Sykes	Chair	Nurses & Midwifery Board of the Northern Territory
Ms	Susan	Young	Chairperson	Queensland Nursing Council
Ms	Lynette	Cusack	Presiding Member	Nurses Board of South Australia



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Ms	Jo	Jones	Chairperson	Nursing Board of Tasmania
Ms	Ella	Lowe	President	Nurses Board of Victoria
Ms	Louise	Horgan	Presiding Member	Australian Nurse Regulatory Authority for Western Australia
Ms	Helen	Hopkins	Executive Director	Consumers' Health Forum of Australia Inc.
Mr	John	Ramsay	Chair, AHWOC	Secretary, Department of Health & Human Services
Mr	Brett	Lennon	Commonwealth AHWOC Nominee	Acting First Assistant Secretary, Health Services Improvement Division
Mr	Peter	McKay	Queensland AHWOC Nominee	Executive Director, Workforce Reform Branch
Mr	Robin	Michael	South Australia AHWOC Nominee	Executive Director, Corporate Resources
Ms	Deborah	Hyland	New South Wales AHWOC Nominee	Director, Workforce Development and Leadership
Ms	Megan	Cahill	Australian Capital Territory AHWOC Nominee	Executive Director, Government Relations and Planning Division
Mr	Rob	Lindsay	Western Australia AHWOC Nominee	Director, Workforce Directorate
Mr	Peter	Allen	Victorian AHWOC Nominee	Under Secretary, Policy & Strategic Projects Division
Mr	Peter	Carver	Victorian AHWOC Nominee	Director, Service & Workforce Planning
Mr	Mark	Hathaway	Northern Territory AHWOC Nominee	Director, Human Resources & Workforce Development
Ms	Maria	Fernandez	DEST Nominee	Branch Manager, Funding & Student Support Branch, Higher Education
Ms	Jill	Ilfie	Federal Secretary	Australian Nursing Federation
Mr	Craig	Thomson	National Secretary	Health Services Union (HSU)
Dr	Sally	Goold	Chairperson	Congress of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Nurses
Ms	Sue	McAlpin	Chair	National Rural Health Alliance
Ms	Jill	Ilfie	Secretariat	National Aged Care Alliance
Dr	Leon	Clark	President	Australian Private Hospitals Association
Mr	Francis	Sullivan	Chief Executive Officer	Catholic Health Australia
Ms	Deborah	Green	President	Australian Healthcare Association
Mr	Francis	Cook	President	Australian Nursing Homes & Extended Care Association



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Ms	Maria	Fernandez	Branch Manager	Australian Government
Ms	Margaret	Lyons	First Assistant Secretary, Health Services Improvement Division	Australian Government
Dr	Joanne	Ramadge	Aged Care Clinical Adviser	Australian Government
Ms	Denise	Harris	President, Board of Directors	Australian College of Critical Care Nurses
Dr	Barbara	Vernon	Executive Officer	Australian College of Midwives Inc.
Ms	Kim	Ryan	Executive Officer	Australian New Zealand College of Mental Health Nurses
Ms	Karen	Francis	President, Management Committee	Association for Australian Rural Nurses
Professor Glenn		Gardner	Director of the Centre for Clinical Nursing	Royal Brisbane & Women's Hosp Health Service District and Queensland University of Technology
Professor Mary		Chiarella	University of Technology Sydney	City Campus
Ms	Cheryl	Simpson	President	The Enrolled Nurse Professional Association (NSW)
Ms	Lynda	Maidens	President	National Enrolled Nurse Association
Mr	David	Deans	Chief Executive	Council on the Ageing National Seniors
Ms	Helen	Hopkins	Executive Director	Consumers' Health Forum of Australia Inc.

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