Tasmanian Industrial Commission Outcome

Launceston General Hospital Angiography Suite

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation Tasmanian Branch (ANMF) officials attended the Tasmanian Industrial Commission (TIC) on 13 November 2019 for a conference to discuss the current excessive workloads of our members working at the Launceston General Hospital (LGH) Angiography Suite. An outcome of this conference was that the Tasmanian Health Service (THS) were to ensure that the Angiography Suite business case was heard at the next THS Executive Committee meeting and the outcome was to be shared with the ANMF as soon as possible.

The ANMF are pleased to advise that we were advised on 2 December 2019 the Angiography Suite business case for the requested nursing FTE has been approved.

The ANMF are scheduled to report back to the TIC on 4 December 2019 to discuss the workloads of our members and the onerous requirement to sustain an on-call roster with a limited number of nursing FTE. At this conference the ANMF will hold discussions regarding the impact this FTE will have on the on-call roster and what would make a more sustainable roster.

The ANMF will conduct a report back members meeting following the TIC conference. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact our Member Support Team on 1800 001 241. Alternatively, email membersupport@anmftas.org.au

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