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Follow the Sun...

...and HealthStaff Recruitment will make it happen for you in Brisbane.

HealthStaff Recruitment has the widest choice of hospitals and job opportunities for Registered Nurses seeking employment in sub-tropical Brisbane.

St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, situated in the heart of the City, is currently undergoing a large redevelopment and greatly expanding. The hospital is a 286 bedded acute care hospital specialising in technologically advanced surgical and general medical care.

The Royal Brisbane & Women's Hospital, located in the inner city suburb of Herston, is a 948 bed general, tertiary referral teaching hospital. The newest addition to the hospital includes a recently opened Cancer Care Day Unit.

The Royal Children's Hospital is expanding to a 400-bed world class paediatric hospital.

Greenslopes Private Hospital is Australia's largest private hospital and is operated by Ramsay Health. Located only minutes from Brisbane's CBD, Greenslopes Private Hospital has a high commitment to staff development



and training ensuring that their nurses are at the forefront of medical expertise and patient care.

Princess Alexandra Hospital, provides Acute Medical, Surgical, Mental Health, Rehabilitation and Allied Health Services. The hospital is nationally recognised for its expertise in spinal injury management and is a major transplantation centre for livers, kidneys, bone, cartilage, and corneas.

These are just a few of the hospitals where we can place you in Queensland. If you are interested in a nursing career in sunny Brisbane, where the average temperature is 25 degrees C, please call a HealthStaff Recruitment consultant or visit our website.

Voula Thanos
Recruitment Consultant

Very generous relocation packages available from 2 weeks Free accommodation up to \$5000 reimbursement of relocation expenses. For more information, ask a friendly consultant.

Canada Recruitment Drive

HealthStaff Recruitment will be conducting a recruitment drive in Canada in November 2007!

We are planning to visit Vancouver, Toronto and Calgary and hope to bring back some fantastic nurses for our Australian and New Zealand clients, ready to commence in 2008. We will be recruiting in all speciality areas with a special focus on the high demand areas of Operating Theatre, Intensive Care, Emergency Medicine and Oncology. We are also promoting longer term contracts of 12 months + as our hospital clients are requesting.

Canadian nurses are well respected for their standard of nurse training as well as their clinical skills.

Australians have also had an affinity with Canadians and like to feel that we have similar countries and values which make for an easy transition.

If your hospital would like to promote any particular vacancies to these nurses, please contact me at HealthStaff Recruitment to discuss your individual needs.

Georgie Barnum
Recruitment Consultant



- ★ Vancouver - 26/28th November
- ★ Calgary - 28/29th November
- ★ Toronto - 29/30th November

Interviews in UK and IRELAND



HealthStaff Recruitment is conducting face to face interviews from the **14th until 25th January 2008** throughout the UK and Ireland for Registered Nurses who are interested in seeking employment in Sydney and other parts of New South Wales.

Interview venues are: **London, Birmingham, Manchester, Edinburgh, Newcastle, Bristol, Dublin and Cork.**

Representatives from Sydney and other New South Wales hospitals are accompanying us and they will offer employment to successful applicants on the spot.

Contact our consultants via the website or on our freecall numbers to secure an interview time.

Brooke Ross
Recruitment Consultant

Doctors... Welcome to Australia and New Zealand

HealthStaff Recruitment is the preferred healthcare recruitment company for most hospitals in Australia and New Zealand and we offer the widest variety of Medical Jobs.

Currently we are recruiting **GP's, RMO's, Registrars and Specialists** for hospitals and practices throughout Australia and NZ.

Our service is comprehensive and free to all Doctors and includes:

- Matching you with the best position available for your speciality
- Assisting you through the assessment of your qualifications
- Assisting you with gaining medical registration in Australia or NZ
- Guidance with visa and migration process
- Comprehensive relocation service

For more information please contact Alex Bodor on one of our free call numbers or email your CV to doctors@hsr.com.au

Interviews in Germany
Frankfurt & Berlin
4 - 7 December 2007
Contact us today to secure your interview time



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Australian Nursing Awards 2007

Congratulations to Robyn Williams, RN - winner of the HealthStaff Recruitment Nurse of the Year Award 2007

This year the Australian Nursing Awards was organised and presented by Hesta Super Funds.

As founders of the Australian Nursing Awards, HealthStaff Recruitment is the only sponsor of the Awards and presented the Nurse of the Year Award 2007.

Robyn has been a Blue Care Community Nurse at Wynnum, Brisbane for the past 13 years. She works the full-time afternoon shift; hours that suit her lifestyle and give her time for sporting activities before work or a bit of "quiet" time. Robyn said:

"On discovering Community Nursing some 13 yrs ago, I knew I had found a special area of nursing that enthralled me. I was passionate about the contemporary mode of nursing which was emerging and the support systems developing to keep clients in their own home, all philosophies I embraced. Hence I have found going to work each day a joy, a challenge and a sociological experience, which continues to hold my interest even after 13 years.

Winning the Nurse of the Year Award is the greatest honour bestowed upon me. I am honoured, thrilled, excited and humbled at the same time, because with my 43 years of nursing I am very aware that there are also thousands of nurses in Australia today doing what I do on a daily basis, and to all nurses I would like to pay tribute to their care, expertise and compassion."



Melissa Doyle, John de Haard MD HealthStaff Recruitment, Robyn Williams and David Koch

The Award ceremony at The Crown Casino, Melbourne was sensational. Melissa Doyle and David Koch from Channel 7's Sunrise were the hosts. Eight of my fellow work colleagues

attended with me as a support crew; it made the night even more special. I am so lucky to work for an organisation who value their nurses.



Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital UK Recruitment Drive

HealthStaff Recruitment is the preferred supplier of nurses to Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital in Perth.

HealthStaff Recruitment recently held interviews in the UK with representatives from Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital, Perth. We traveled to London, Manchester, Birmingham and Edinburgh and interviewed a number of nurses who were successfully offered positions at Sir Charles.

Sir Charles is a large, public teaching hospital close to the city centre of Perth. They offer a wide variety of opportunities for nurses, a supportive environment, and training and development opportunities including access to some post graduate courses

Thank you to all nurses that attended these interviews. We look forward to meeting you once you get to Australia.

There are still positions available at Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital in the following specialties:

- Emergency Department
- Orthopaedics-Trauma & Elective
- Orthopaedics and Neuro
- General Medical
- Acute Medical Admissions
- Rehab & Aged Care

- Oncology - Ward & Clinic
- Theatre
- Urology & General Surgery
- Neurosurgery & HDU
- Respiratory
- General Areas
- Renal & Hepatology
- Transplant/Medical
- General Surgery
- Dialysis
- HDU - Medical & Surgical
- Neurology
- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Midwifery
- ICU

If you are a nurse and are interested in working at Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital please contact HealthStaff Recruitment to find out more.

Jonelle Mais,
Senior Recruitment Consultant



Melbourne International Film Festival

In August, the 40th Annual Melbourne International Film Festival [MIFF] took place over 19 days, and I saw as many movies as possible (a friend managed to see over 40 films!). A favourite film from the festival was "Daywatch", a Russian film which is part two of a trilogy. In September the Melbourne Underground Film Festival [MUFF] took place. This is an independent and non-profit organisation which showcases a diversity of film and video based works in the areas of underground, independent, guerrilla and

exploitation. If movies are your thing then Melbourne is definitely a place to be! <http://www.melbournefilmfestival.com.au>

Melbourne is a vibrant multi-cultural city which stages many exciting events throughout the year including the Melbourne International Arts Festival, the Melbourne Writers Festival, the Melbourne International Comedy Festival, the Melbourne Food and Wine Festival, Moomba, and the Spring Racing Carnival in November which features the Melbourne Cup. At the moment the "Guggenheim Collection: 1940s

to Now" is showing at the National Art Gallery of Victoria. The Melbourne Fringe Festival took place in September/October and HSR's own playwright Katie Dircks' theatre production "Imitation of Strangers" premiered at the Northcote Town Hall in September. In a related matter HSR premiered on youtube. Go to our website and check it out www.hsr.com.au...a must see!

Tom Pisevski

A big warm welcome to our new Consultants Katie Dircks and Alex Bodor

Katie Dircks has joined us as an Evening Consultant for Registered Nurses from the UK. Prior to joining HealthStaff Recruitment, Katie worked as a Recruitment Consultant recruiting Allied Health Professionals from Australia to the UK. She also worked in Administration at The Alfred Hospital and Epworth Rehabilitation Hospital, and spent the last 3 winters working in the Ski Lift Ticketing Department at Mount Buller. Katie loves the snow, the theatre and reading.



Katie Dircks

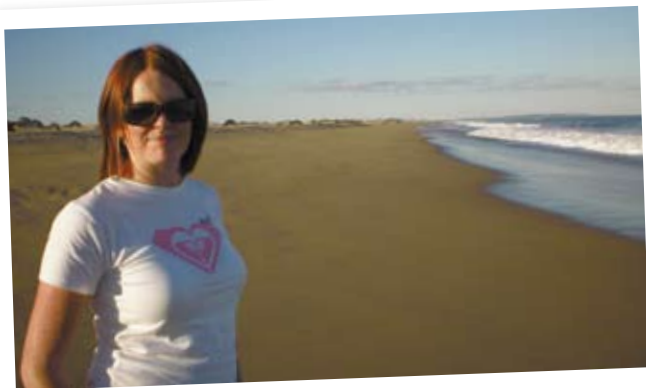


Alex Bodor

Alex Bodor is our Senior Consultant dedicated to Physician Recruitment. Alex is originally from Romania. His recruitment experience began in the United States in the year 2000. First he worked in IT recruitment, before moving onto Physician recruitment in 2003. In November 2006 he moved to Australia where he continued his career, first in Sydney before recently making the move to Melbourne to join us here at HealthStaff Recruitment. Alex has a BA in Psychology. He enjoys reading, watching great movies and travelling. Alex's wife Christina handles Radiographer Recruitment and fills in for consultants on annual leave and during Recruitment Drives.

Tania Murtha
Recruitment Consultant

Success in Sydney...



Rebecca Crumpler, RM



Sydney Opera House

Working on the Northern Beaches

I was recommended to HealthStaff Recruitment by a friend who had used their services and had an amazing year travelling Australia working as a midwife. Coming out and working in Aus is something my husband and I had been thinking about doing for years and her experiences and stories made us think more seriously about it. I contacted HealthStaff and the ball was suddenly rolling!

Brooke was fantastic and helped me with all my silly questions right from the word go. She was very approachable and always replied to my silly questions and queries and when she wasn't able to, someone else replied on her behalf really quickly! It makes a massive difference that you have someone to talk to available in UK business time.

We came over on working holiday visas to give us the freedom of investigating areas to live and work without being tied down to one employer.

Even getting a working holiday visa, which is a by far the quickest visa option, still took 4 months as I was coming over working as a midwife. My husband's came through in 24 hours! The Registration process was without doubt the most tedious, hard part of the whole process and I would advise anyone thinking of

coming to NSW apply for it asap as it takes a lot longer than you would imagine, and bring all your original documents out with you as they need these when you collect your certificate! I learnt that the hard way! And your police clearance. Mine took forever and at one time almost cost me the job I had accepted!

Once we got here HealthStaff were fantastic and searched for possible jobs for me, arranged interviews and were a constant support throughout. After being offered one job, which I couldn't accept due to accommodation, they were straight back on the job search and Jonelle found me a job much closer to where we could live.

I am now working as a midwife in a great unit in Mona Vale, on the northern beaches above Sydney. It is a great maternity unit with fabulous services, friendly staff and amazing views of the beach! All much more laid back than the unit I was in previously! We have a great apartment on the beach in Manly and have completely fallen in love with the place. So much so we are now looking at long term visas and HealthStaff is helping us out still!

I would recommend HealthStaff to anybody thinking of coming down here to work. They are very individual in that it feels they are really working for what is best for your individual scenario. The help and support they provide is priceless and has made a very big and scary move a lot easier and calmer!

Rebecca Crumpler, RM

Sydney Working Holiday

I contacted HealthStaff Recruitment last year to plan an extended overseas Working Holiday. I had contacted other nursing agencies and at the time felt as though I was 'just another number for the books'- this was definitely not the case with HealthStaff Recruitment! I felt welcomed and my enquiries were and have never been too much trouble.

Everyone at HealthStaff Recruitment was only too happy to help me and soon arranged for an interview for me for my current position here in Sydney. HealthStaff Recruitment helped me with all the information for the necessary arrangements for Registration, travel, pick up and transport to my accommodation, and they also organised my accommodation for the duration of my present contract.

I have been contacted by HealthStaff Recruitment on a regular basis to see if I am still happy with my employment position etc. I am still in contact with them regarding pending future positions.

The actual people that I have met that work for HealthStaff Recruitment, i.e. on transfer from the airport and at the 'drinks and nibbles' evening this year have been just the nicest folk.

Thank you HealthStaff Recruitment

Yours sincerely
MA Fortune, RN



Upcoming...
Melbourne Social Evening
Thursday 22nd November
Invitations coming soon to nurses
working in Melbourne,
Victoria

HOT JOBS...

NEW ZEALAND

Wellington

Pop 416,000. New Zealand's capital is a beautiful harbour city surrounded by hills with wooden Victorian houses. Enjoy a relaxed lifestyle offering a range of arts and culture, restaurants and night life.

Total of 25 positions in:

• **Cardiac Care - URGENT (will consider nurses from other specialty areas as long they have 2 years RN experience)**

- Cardiothoracic
- Paediatrics
- Post Anesthetic Care Unit
- Medical
- ICU - night duty

Dunedin

Pop 111,000. Founded by Scottish settlers, Dunedin still holds onto some Scottish traditions. A popular city for university students and a very affordable cost of living compared to other parts of New Zealand. Close to Queenstown and Wanaka which are famous for their adventure sports.

- General Medicine
- General Surgical/HDU
- Operating Theatre
- Mental Health
- Internal Medicine
- Older Persons Health
- Coronary Care
- Surgical & Urology
- Emergency
- ICU
- Neurosciences

AUSTRALIA

TROPICAL NORTH QUEENSLAND

Mareeba Hospital is a 53 bed facility with a 13 bed Maternity unit. It is run on a midwifery led model of care, and has about 150 births per year. 1 hour from Cairns with links to the Tertiary Hospital: Cairns Base Hospital.

Beautiful climate situated between the rainforest and the Great Barrier Reef. Mareeba produces 80% of Australia's coffee, so there are lots of great coffee shops around! Mareeba has a population of about 9,000 people in the town has good local shopping and supermarket.

Free onsite staff accommodation - individual room with shared bathrooms, kitchen and lounge.

Innisfail Hospital is a rural hospital on coastal far north Queensland. 5 minutes from the beach and 1 hour south of Cairns. Close to white water rafting and other adventure activities. Also close to the famous Mission Beach and beautiful Dunk Island. Innisfail has a population of about 8,000.

Around 30 positions available!

- 15 x Midwives
- Theatre
- High Dependency (integrated with Telemetry monitoring and Central Monitoring)
- Nurses must be willing to rotate with other wards...
- Adult Community Mental Health
- Child & Youth Mental Health
- Emergency
- Medical/Surgical

DARWIN

Pop 70,000. With a constant temperature of between 30-33 degrees Celsius Darwin is a popular escape. The dry season is from April to September and the wet season is from October to March. Home to some of Australia's best national parks and famous for fishing Darwin has a lot to offer with its easygoing lifestyle. Darwin is a multicultural city with over 50 different ethnic groups.

- Maternity
- Intensive Care
- General Medical
- Paediatrics
- Operating theatre
- Emergency
- Renal
- General Surgical
- Chemotherapy

ALICE SPRINGS

Population 22,500. On the edge of the outback Alice Springs is close to some of Australia's most spectacular and natural wonders. Rich in aboriginal history, art and culture it is a popular destination for Australians and tourists alike.

- Midwives
- Haemodialysis

MELBOURNE

Pop approx 3 million. Australia's 2nd largest city, Melbourne is a multicultural city with a more seasonal climate compared to the other Australian states. Often described as more European in style with its Victorian style buildings, parks, gardens, leafy boulevards and cafe strips.

- Gastro Surgical
- Emergency
- Cardio Thoracic
- Neurosurgery
- Oncology / Haematology
- Bone Marrow Transplant
- NICU - must have certification
- Renal (including transplants)
- Operating Theatre
- Coronary Care
- Trauma/Orthopaedics
- Neuroscience
- ICU - must have certification

BRISBANE

Pop approx 1.3 million. The holiday and sunshine state of Australia. Brisbane has a subtropical climate that rarely drops below 20 degrees Celsius. Offering every past time and water sport imaginable this is definitely the place to go if you are an active person who enjoys an outdoor lifestyle.

- Midwives
- Oncology
- Medical
- Emergency
- Rehabilitation
- Post Anesthetic Care Unit
- Neonatology
- Neuro/Vascular
- General Surgical
- ICU
- Cardiology
- Theatres (Pead Cardiac, EEN, & Gen)

SYDNEY AND NEW SOUTH WALES

Pop approx 3.3 million. Australia's most populated state. Sydney is built around one of the most famous harbours in the world. Busy and vibrant Sydney has great shopping, food and entertainment.

HealthStaff Recruitment is a preferred supplier of registered nurses for NSW Health Department. We have ongoing vacancies for registered nurses & midwives in most clinical specialties across all public hospitals in Sydney and the state of New South Wales.

- Coronary Care - Wollongong
- Neo Natal Intensive Care Unit
- Surgical (Sydney North Shore)
- Oncology
- Mental Health
- Cardiothoracic ICU
- High Dependency / Coronary Care Unit
- Paediatric Haemodialysis
- Medical (Sydney North Shore)
- Orthopaedics
- Operating Theatre
- Intensive Care
- Neurosciences
- Rehabilitation

REGIONAL & OUTBACK NEW SOUTH WALES

Midwives - Bathurst, Bourke, Broken Hill, Forbes, Orange, Parkes, Dubbo

Outback generalist RN positions in Baradine, Bourke, Brewarrina, Canowindra, Collarenebri, Coonabarabran, Coonamble, Molong, Tibooburra, Tottenham

Dubbo Base Hospital - ICU, Theatre, ED, Midwife, Mental Health, Day Surgery, General Ward

GRIFITH - SOUTHERN NEW SOUTH WALES

- ICU
- Medical
- Emergency
- Surgical
- Midwives

NEW SOUTH WALES NORTH COAST

Experience the idyllic lifestyle in the coastal towns of Lismore, Grafton, Coffs Harbour and Port Macquarie:

- Midwifery
- Orthopaedics
- Mental Health - many new positions!
- Renal
- ICU

CANBERRA

The national capital Canberra is surrounded by hills and close to good bushwalking and skiing. Canberra is made up of mainly government and home to the National Gallery, Parliament House, the High Court, many Foreign Consulates, and the Australian War Memorial. An affordable city that is well suited for families.

- Operating Theatre
- Critical Care - with ventilated patient experience

ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Pop approx 1 million. Adelaide is an ideal city for families. More affordable the Sydney and Melbourne without the busy hustle and bustle. Adelaide is close to a number of well know wine regions, beaches and the beautiful Adelaide Hills.

- Operating theatre
- ICU - must be certified
- Cardiac (min 4 years experience)

REGIONAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Short & long term positions

Australia's gold mining towns are growing in popularity each year.

Pilbara (Port Headland and Karratha)

- Registered Nurses - General
- Registered Midwives
- Emergency Nurses
- High Dependency/Acute Care Nurses

Geraldton

- Registered Nurses - Emergency Departments
- Registered Midwives
- General - Medical and Surgical Nurses
- High Dependency/Special Care Nurses

Albany

- Registered Nurse- Emergency Departments
- Acute Surgical Nurses
- High Dependency Nurses

PERTH, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Pop approx 1.38 million. Perth is growing in popularity each year and is currently experiencing a booming economy largely due to the mining industry. Australia's most isolated state is closer to Singapore than to Sydney. A popular destination for many British with its sunny dry climate, parks, numerous beaches, outdoor cafes and restaurants.

- Surgical
- Cardiac Cath Lab
- Operating Theatre
- Neurology
- Rehab & Aged Care
- Urology & General Surgery
- Respiratory
- Neurosurgery/High Dependency
- High Dependency Unit - Medical & Surgical
- Intensive Care Unit
- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Emergency Department
- Acute Medical Admissions
- Oncology - Ward & Clinic
- Orthopaedics -Trauma & Elective
- Midwives

ALLIED HEALTH OPENINGS

Cardiac Radiographers - Brisbane, Melbourne, Sydney, Adelaide and Perth

- Eligibility for A.I.R. Membership
- Registration as a Medical Radiation Technologist
- Knowledge of and proficiency in interventional radiography particularly cardiac and vascular

Speech Pathologist - Auckland NZ

- 2 year commitment required

Eligibility for membership of the New Zealand Speech-Language Therapists Association.

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