

## **FOUNDATION DAY AND STAFF LONG SERVICE CELEBRATED AT BETHESDA HEALTH CARE**

Long serving staff members were recognised today at Bethesda Health Care as part of their annual Remembrance Foundation Day celebrations. Thirteen staff had reached the impressive milestone of either working 10, 15, 20 and 25 years at the not-for-profit health care provider in Claremont.

Remembrance Foundation Day marks the ‘official’ opening of the hospital on the Claremont site in 1944, and encompasses a celebratory lunch, a church service and the length of service awards.

Also during the ceremony Kerry Jones – Patient Services Clerk was awarded the Matron Beryl Hill Exemplary Professional Practice Award by Deborah Bell, Executive Manager, Clinical and Support Services / Perioperative Services at Bethesda Health Care. Kerry can be found four days a week manning the hospital reception desk and as the voice of the switchboard. She has been a member of staff for eleven years.

Hospital CEO Ms Yasmin Naglazas said that ‘Kerry is the first point of contact that anyone has with our organisation and she is the perfect ambassador. She is always welcoming, calm and polite, and she shows empathy and compassion when dealing with patients and family members. It is also the perfect opportunity to recognise Kerry during our annual Remembrance Day which acknowledges our heritage, Christian beginnings and our ongoing commitment to caring’.

Bethesda Health Care long serving staff members:

<b>10 YEAR</b>		<b>AREA</b>
Deborah	Bell	Exec
Elizabeth	Burke	Theatre
Colin	Chester	Exec
Cheryl	Decore	Patient Services
Margarethe	Edwards	Patient Services
Shabari	Pal	Finance
Frances	Rush	PCU

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<b>15 YEAR</b>		
Danielle	Street	CSSD
<b>20 YEAR</b>		
Anna	Anzini	Hotel Services
Janet	King	Theatre
Jennifer	Thompson	Theatre
<b>25 YEAR</b>		
Marion	Bowater	Riviera
Steven	Taylor	Hotel Services

Bethesda Health Care is an independent 88-bed award-winning hospital in Claremont which has been providing care and service to the Western Australian community for more than 70 years.

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