



Call for applications – State Board in Tasmania

The National Registration and Accreditation Scheme (the National Scheme) regulates more than 740,000 registered health practitioners and over 180,000 registered students across 16 health professions. 15 health profession boards (National Boards) and the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (Ahpra) work together to deliver the National Scheme.

The primary role of the National Boards is to protect the public by registering suitably qualified and competent practitioners, dealing with notifications about registered practitioners and by developing registration standards, codes and guidelines to guide registered practitioners.

A vacancy for one practitioner member is arising on the **Tasmanian Board of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia**.

The National Scheme has a commitment to increasing Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Peoples' leadership and voices. Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people are strongly encouraged to apply, as are people from rural or regional areas in Tasmania.

Appointments are made by the Minister for Health in Tasmania under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law, as in force in each state and territory. Appointments can be for up to three years, with eligibility for reappointment.

To be eligible for appointment as a practitioner member, you must hold current registration as a nurse and/or midwife. It is expected that applicants practise and/or reside in Tasmania.

More information about the roles, eligibility requirements and the application process can be found within the online application form on Ahpra's page:

<https://www.ahpra.gov.au/National-Boards/Statutory-Appointments/Board-member-recruitment#state>

For enquiries, please contact **statutoryappointments@ahpra.gov.au**

Employees and contractors for Ahpra are NOT eligible for these positions.

Applications close: **5.00pm AEST, Friday 25 September 2020**