



## Queensland Clinical Networks

# Queensland Maternity and Neonatal Clinical Network

## Join the QMNCN Steering Committee: expression of interest for clinicians

**Closes Monday 13th October**

Clinical Excellence Queensland's Healthcare Improvement Unit invites expressions of interest for Steering Committee **clinician** members for the Queensland Maternity and Neonatal Clinical Network (QMNCN).

QMNCN is seeking Steering Committee clinician members who have:

- an understanding of maternity and/or neonatal care and the challenges for
  - people who use these services, and/or
  - clinicians, and/or
  - the healthcare services
- established connections with communities or teams involved in maternity and neonatal care
- ability to recognise and respond to the current environment and lead improvement.

Interest from allied health and perinatal mental health professionals is welcomed.

## Queensland Clinical Networks

Queensland Clinical Networks and committees play a significant role in empowering clinicians to drive sustainable improvements to how healthcare is delivered across the Queensland health system. Networks partner with system leaders and collaborate across the state to lead quality improvement, develop standards, create knowledge and research capacity and deliver education. Networks design and support clinicians to implement innovative models of care that support best practice and improve system effectiveness, efficiency and health outcomes.

## QMNCN purpose

The purpose of the QMNCN is to:

- Be the leading clinical body within Queensland's public sector for matters relating to maternity and neonatal care service delivery.
- Foster collaboration between multidisciplinary maternity and neonatal clinicians, primary and secondary health care providers, consumers and consumer advocates.
- Advocate, develop, and implement co-designed strategies to promote quality, safety, access, efficiency, equity, and sustainability improvements in maternity and neonatal healthcare in Queensland.
- Provide advice, consultancy and/or independent review for clinical leaders, Hospital and Health Services (HHS) Executive, external partners, Department of Health Executive, and Minister for Health and Ambulance Services.



## QMNCN Composition

The Steering Committee includes people and organisations dedicated to improving maternity neonatal care and outcomes in Queensland including:

- Consumers and representatives from consumer organisations
- Queensland Health (and HHSs), Private hospitals, Healthcare and community organisations, General Practice and Primary care
- Geographic representation – metropolitan, regional, and rural facilities and services
- Medical, Midwifery, Nursing, General Practitioners, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health workers, Queensland Health (non-HHS) staff.

## Commitment

The Steering Committee meets monthly for two hours (currently 9-11am, fourth Thursday of the month) by MS Teams. Progressing priorities of the network and responding to requests are also undertaken out of session.

Steering Committee membership is a temporary appointment for two years, with the possibility to apply for consecutive terms.

## Remuneration

Clinical Excellence Queensland's Healthcare Improvement Unit does not provide separate remuneration to Department of Health or Hospital and Health Service employees to participate in this steering committee.

GPs who are part of a private practice and not in a QH funded position may also seek reimbursement for meeting attendance.

## Confidentiality

In accordance with the Hospital and Health Boards Act (2011), QMNCN Steering Committee members are required to maintain confidentiality of discussions, meeting materials and business of the Steering Committee.

## How to apply

Applications are asked to submit a resume and a short response (maximum 2 pages) addressing the following questions:

1. What are your areas of special interest/experience relating to maternity and/or neonatal care?
2. What do you think are the priorities for the healthcare system to improve maternity and/or neonatal care over the next two years?
3. How would you approach creating improvements in priority areas?
4. What collaborations and linkages would you bring to QMNCN?

Please submit your applications to [qldclinicalnetworks@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:qldclinicalnetworks@health.qld.gov.au) by close of business Monday, 13th October 2025.

## Further information

- [Queensland Maternity and Neonatal Clinical Network | Clinical Excellence Queensland](#)
- Please note, if successful there is an in-person Brisbane-based QMNCN Steering Committee Planning Day on Thursday 23 October 2025.
- Contact: Lyndel Gray, Coordinator, Queensland Maternity and Neonatal Clinical Network: [qldmaternityandneonatalnetwork@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:qldmaternityandneonatalnetwork@health.qld.gov.au)