



Office of Research and Education

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Dear Sam (Sam.oram@hsu.asn.au) and Nathan (Nathan.collins@hsu.asn.au)

Consultation – Full-time permanent position employment

In accordance with Section G of the ACT Public Sector Administrative and Related Enterprise Agreement, where there are proposals by the Territory to introduce change, the head of service will consult with the effected employees and relevant unions.

This proposal relates to the expansion of the Office of Research and Education at the Canberra Health Services to establish a Canberra Health Services Centre for Exceptional Care.

The Centre for Exceptional Care will oversee the development of delivering continuous system-wide improvements through multiple Learning Health System domains. A learning health system is where scientific, social, technological, policy, legal and ethical dimensions are synergistically aligned to enable cycles of continuous learning and improvement to be routinised and embedded across the system. The Office of Research and Education currently provides the foundations of a learning health system.

Position number	65131
Classification	SOG B
Division	Office of the CEO
Branch	Office of Research and Education

Rationale for Change

The current staffing in the Office of Research and Education is insufficient to undertake the work to establish a Centre for Exceptional Care.

Benefits of this change

The benefits of the position are as follows:

- addresses the need to help execute the establishment of the Centre for Exceptional Care
- ensure the establishment of the Centre for Exceptional Care is undertaken with an understanding of the landscape and conducted in consultation and collaboration of all relevant stakeholders

Next steps?

To allow staff and unions a genuine opportunity to contribute to and influence the decision-making process prior to the decision being made, the consultation period for the proposed changes will be two weeks from the date of this letter.

Should you have any further questions regarding the proposed restructure, please contact me by email imogen.mitchell@act.gov.au.

I look forward to your response and contribution to this consultation process.

Yours sincerely,

Executive Director, Research and Academic Partnerships

Canderra Health Services

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CC:

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