



**Health**  
Mid North Coast  
Local Health District

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Mr Gerard Hayes  
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Via Email: [secretary@hsu.asn.au](mailto:secretary@hsu.asn.au)

Dear Mr Hayes,

**RE: Bellinger River District Hospital – Roster Trial Cleaning Team**

We write to inform you of a proposed roster trial for the cleaning team at Bellinger River District Hospital.


The proposed trial will see one (of three) AM cleaning shifts change from 6am – 2.30pm to 8am – 4.30pm, Monday to Friday. This would be trialled until the end of August 2022.

This initiative will ensure greater cleaning coverage while we experience an increase in patient presentations/admissions requiring infection control cleaning.

Discussions with cleaning team have commenced and team members have been provided with the option to participate in the trial.

We look forward to working with the HSU and our Cleaning team to ensure that rosters meet the needs of team members and the facility.

Yours sincerely,



Janelle Goodall  
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