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Notification of Workplace Change – Cooma Patient Support Services

Dear Mr Hayes,

I am writing to inform you that HealthShare NSW intends to alter the standard shift patterns within the Patient Support Services at Cooma Hospital.

This follows an approved change of service that will increase the cleaning shifts at Cooma. The changes aim to ensure our operational needs are met, with a focus on maintaining service quality and supporting our employees.

Current roster:

- 3 shifts of 8 hours, operating 7 days a week
- 2 shifts of 8 hours, operating 5 days a week
- 1 shift of 8 hours on Thursdays
- 1 shift of 4 hours, Monday to Sunday 0600-1000

Proposed roster with the updated service model:

- 3 shifts of 8 hours, operating 7 days a week
- 2 shifts of 8 hours, operating 5 days a week
- 1 shift of 8 hours on Thursdays
- 1 shift of 8 hours, Monday to Friday 1330-2200
- 1 shift of 8 hours on Saturdays

The first consultation meeting will be held on 28 November 2024 at 11:00am at Cooma Health Service to discuss the proposed changes and training schedule with the impacted staff. The Health Services Union (HSU) is welcome to attend. Please confirm if a Union Organiser will be present.

Should you require additional information, please feel free to contact Wayne Rose, General Manager of Food & Patient Services for Murrumbidgee & Southern, at 0428 115 032 or wayne.rose@health.nsw.gov.au

Sincerely,



Amy Bisson
Acting Associate Director, Service Delivery