



Aged Care 2009

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Aged Care Nurses' Campaign 2009

Thank you for your commitment to secure better outcomes for both residents and nurses in your workplace. Your efforts in the past year are appreciated.

Throughout 2008 your Association has listened to what aged care nurses need in order to provide excellent care to residents. Many of you have voiced your ideas about what is important to you and shown your enthusiasm for positive change in 2009.

2009 will be an exciting time for aged care nurses. The Association, together with the Australian Nursing Federation (ANF), will be campaigning to deliver a strong message to both government and community organisations regarding three unambiguous outcomes:

- Improved wages and conditions
- Redress training and skill mix shortages
- Implement minimum staffing levels

The first steps to our campaign involve you. Let us know what you can do to assist raise the profile of nursing in aged care. Please take the time to complete the tear off slip and return to Linda Mudronja, Association Officer, in the enclosed reply-paid envelope, or call and speak with Linda at any time on 02 8595 1234 (Sydney metro) or 1300 367 962 (non-metro).



Please tick what you would be happy to do in your workplace or your community over the coming months to help us deliver safe and rewarding aged care nursing for residents.

- Receive information about the ANF/NSWNA aged care campaign 2009
- Distribute a petition in the workplace
- Be a community contact and work with other nurses to spread the message
- Write letters to a local paper
- Talk with my local state and federal minister

Name: Facility:

Phone Number: E-mail:

Be involved with the Nurses' Association today and let's work together to make sure that **together we go further.**