



RED LILY HEALTH BOARD
WORKING TOGETHER FOR BETTER HEALTH IN WEST ARNHEM

NEWSLETTER



RED LILY HEALTH BOARD MEMBERS

Red Lily Health acknowledges the traditional owner and custodians accross the lands on which we live, work and we pay our respect to elders both past, present and emerging.

COMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS



Red Lily Board Members gathering together in our last meeting on the 13th and 14th February held in our Darwin office.



NEW STAFF



Name: Jennifer Jenkins

Role: Health Development and wellbeing manager

Workstation: Darwin



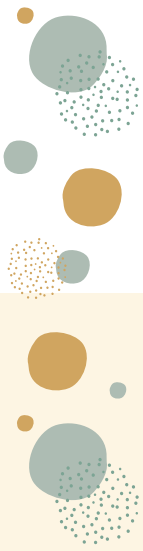
Jenny has predominately lived and worked in the Top End of the NT since 2012. She has primarily worked in remote clinics as a Remote Area Nurse in communities and providing outreach services. She did work as a clinical mentor for the Remote Alcohol and Drug workforce across the whole territory. Also had a keen interest in improving health outcomes for indigenous people which took her to Menzies for a few years. She has returned from a stint in Fiji where she helped set up 2 hospitals and trained staff to reach International accreditation standards. She is happy to return to the territory and look forward to a new role.



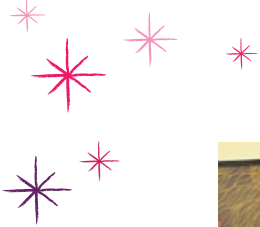
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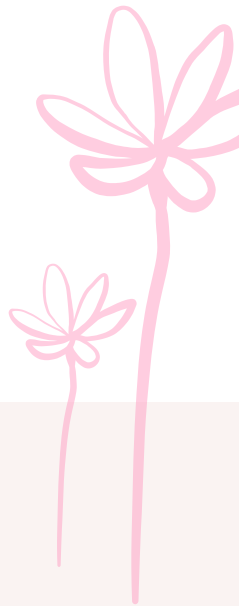
Is nice to see our staff in Warruwi Health Center helping with the Ambulance cleaning and learning what equipment are in the Emergency Packs



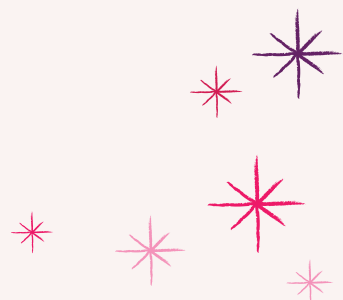
Women's Day



Our clinic staff in Warruwi, Minjilang and Jabiru receiving their gift for Women's Day.



Our Darwin staff attending the No Woman Left Behind Conference under the theme "Elevate and Celebrate". The event featured inspiring speakers, interactive workshops, fashion and local designer exhibitions and musical performances.



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**“ ARE YOU A
WOMAN
AGED 50 YEARS
OR OVER? ”**

The BreastScreenNT
bus offers **FREE**
mammograms
(Breast X-Rays)


Millie bus will be screening at **WARRUWI HEALTH CENTER** on:

Monday 8th until Friday 12th April 2024

Talk to our CLINIC MOB to make an appointment.



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SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL WELLBEING WORKFORCE FORUM 2024

Working together to support healing through culture

TUESDAY 30TH APRIL - WEDNESDAY 1ST MAY
8.30:00 AM - 4:30 PM
VENUE: BOTANICAL GARDEN VISITOR & EVENT HALL

The SEWB workforce forum is open to all staff working in SEWB, Mental Health and AOD in Aboriginal organizations across the NT.

THURSDAY 2 MAY
ATTEND AN OPTIONAL 3-HOUR WORKSHOP IN SEWB AND SELF-CARE
BUS PICK UP FROM BOTANICAL GARDEN AT 8AM
FOR 9:00AM - 12:00PM ACITIVITIES
VENUE: PADUKUL ABORIGINAL CULTURAL & EDUCATION TOURS



[Click here or scan the QR code to register](#)

For more information contact:
sewb.training@amsant.org.au



Watch out for scammers targeting mob and offering money for personal and banking information.

They're gammon, they never pay you money. They use your information to take money from your account.

Don't share your personal or banking information to anyone you don't know unless you know it's for a proper purpose.

If you have shared your personal or banking information, contact your bank immediately. You can also reach out to the First Nations Infoline on 1300 303 143.

Help others by reporting scams to Scamwatch.

 **Scam Alert**

Bank scam targeting First Nations people



TRANSITION UPDATES

• **Minjilang and Warruwi Health Centres**

Red Lily Health manages both Minjilang and Warruwi clinic services.

• **Management of outreach clinical services**

Red Lily Health are working with NT Health to transition some of the Outreach positions (Remote Outreach Midwife/Women's Health Educator, and Child Health Nurse) at the same time as the Jabiru Health Centre transition. The remaining Outreach clinical resources will transition with the Gunbalanya clinic.

• **Medical services (doctors) for Minjilang, Warruwi, Jabiru and Gunbalanya**

Red Lily and NT Health have reached an agreement on the Medical Service provision for Minjilang and Warruwi. This means we will be managing the Minjilang and Warruwi medical services, including the weekly charter.

Dr Brad will continue at Minjilang. We are still recruiting to the Warruwi doctor position, but NT Health will continue to provide a doctor until we can recruit. Jabiru medical services will be included at the same time as the Jabiru clinic transition. Gunbalanya medical services are included in the Gunbalanya clinic transition.

The number of doctors hours will remain the same as NT Health, so no change yet. In time, Red Lily will be able to recruit to more doctor time.

• **Jabiru Health Centre**

The good news is that Red Lily and NT Health have an in-principle agreement with a financial package to allow Red Lily to manage the Jabiru health service. So, negotiations continue for an acceptable date to transition the service and meet all legal requirements. At this stage it would appear most likely during the 3rd quarter of 2024, i.e. before October timeframe.

NT Government have advised that there are continuing delays with the new Health Centre building completion and certificate of occupancy, with a revised date now of mid-2024.

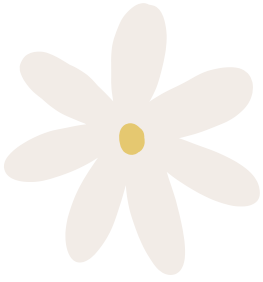
The medical service of 1 doctor, and the 2 Outreach clinicians are included with the clinic transition.

• **Gunbalanya Health Centre**

More good news, Red Lily and NT Health have reached an in-principle agreement for a financial package to transition health services at Gunbalanya.

As previously reported, the new building development has been enhanced by an NTG announcement that \$20 million will be allocated for a new clinic building. NTG advise that the tender process is expected to commence early 2024. It has not occurred as yet, but they say it's imminent.

Once the tender has been awarded, Red Lily can work with NT Health in planning for a transition date for services based at Gunbalanya.



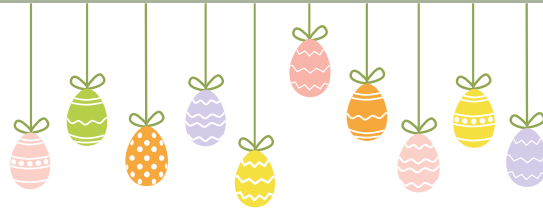
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wishing you all

HAPPY
Easter



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A friendly reminder that our Clinic in
WARRUWI & MINJILANG
will be closed for Easter break

From Friday **29th March**
until
Monday **1st April 2024**

Open for emergency only

HAPPY
EASTER.



Do you have questions or want more information?

Contact Red Lily Health Board at info@redlily.org.au

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The Red Lily Health Board Aboriginal Corporation (RLHB) was formed in 2011 to empower Aboriginal people of the West Arnhem region to address the health issues they face through providing leadership and governance in the development of quality, effective primary health care services, with a long-term vision of establishing a regional Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service.