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Collective Agreement Update

Together Delegates are working on finalising preparations to commence bargaining for your new Collective Agreement. While these preparations are underway it is important we review the current Agreement to ensure that all outstanding matters have been dealt with.

It is most important at this time not to look back and ask why the delay, but to get engaged in the review process and work toward finalising an agreed structure that will deliver benefits for clinicians whose experience has not necessarily been recognised by the current structure.

What is the status of the Review?

The Classification Structure Review sub committee participants are: Together Delegate, Allana Clark and management representative, Greg Burns. They are currently reviewing the structure and redrafting a new document.

What are the next steps?

A draft of the revised classification structure has been designed and released to you for your comment. As this is a difficult and complex task covering many disciplines, Together members have asked to form a reference group to support the work through these complexities.

Key Actions

- Diarise meeting times in your work location to ensure you have the latest news. Let your Together Delegates know you can assist with the Classification Structure Review reference group.
- **If you haven't already, join your colleagues and become a Together member today.** You can join online at: www.together.org.au or phone the union office on **1800 177 244**, or you can complete the membership application form on the reverse side of this bulletin and return to your local Delegate or the union office.

MEETING DATES, TIMES & LOCATIONS

Date: Tuesday 7 August

Time: 9.30am Venue: Juliette Street – Metro South – Board Room

Time: 11.00am Venue: Goodna

Time: 1.30pm Venue: Robina - Gold Coast

YOUR COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT – YOUR SAY

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