## **Edward Walker**

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#### **Attributes and Areas of Interest**

- Peer Mentoring and Education
- Working within multidisciplinary teams to create positive outcomes
- Developing advanced clinical and professional practice Emerging Leader
- Passion for contributing to positive work-place cultures
- Embracing innovative ways to improve workflow and delivery
- Helping my peers with IT issues
- Developing an Ethical Leadership Style
- Peer Responder Psychological First Aid

## **Qualifications and Education**

Master of Digital Health

(Latrobe University, enrolled for 2025)

#### **Leadership Essentials for Managers Program**

(Queensland Health, 2024)

#### **Immunisation Program Nurse**

(The Benchmarque Group, 2022)

## Graduate Certificate in Nursing – Health Leadership and Management

(James Cook University, 2021)

#### **Bachelor of Nursing (Graduate Entry)**

(Queensland University of Technology, 2015)

### **Career Summary**

Dates Nov 2023 – Current	Position Clinical Nurse Clinical Facilitator The Prince Charles Hospital, Education
Sep 2022 – Nov 2023	Clinical Nurse The Prince Charles Hospital, Pulmonary Hypertension
	Transplant Coordinator The Prince Charles Hospital, Queensland Lung Transplant Service
Mar 2022 – Sep 2022	Acting Clinical Nurse The Prince Charles Hospital, Nursing Workforce
Mar 2022 - Sep 2022	Registered Nurse The Prince Charles Hospital, Nursing Workforce Unit
Mar 2020 – Mar 2022	Clinical Nurse The Prince Charles Hospital, Ward 1B
Mar 2020 – May 2020	Clinical Nurse Student Facilitator The Prince Charles Hospital

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Aug 2016 – Mar 2020 Registered Nurse

The Prince Charles Hospital, Ward 1B

Feb 2016 – Aug 2016 Registered Nurse

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#### Clinical Nurse Clinical Facilitator - The Prince Charles Hospital

Working as a clinical nurse facilitator (clinical nurse teacher) my portfolio is the education and training needs for the nursing staff on a busy medical and interventional cardiology ward. Through this role I have developed training and facilitating skills, and a passion for how professional and ward culture can and should be nurtured from the very beginning of a professional career.

#### Clinical Nurse, Pulmonary Hypertension - The Prince Charles Hospital

Working in a specialist role collaborating with the multidisciplinary team to effectively manage patients with complex care related to rare lung diseases, this includes utilising a chronic disease case management and hospital avoidance model of care. The context of my role includes inpatient, outpatient, and case management within a state-wide pulmonary hypertension tertiary referral centre, that also includes a national CTEPH program, A significant component of this role has been developing education and training plans for patients and acquiring leadership and management skills. Within this role I contribute to the transplant and retrieval roster as a transplant coordinator.

#### Acting Clinical Nurse, Nursing Workforce Unit - The Prince Charles Hospital

Tasked with ensuring the hospital has the nursing staff levels needed to provide safe care to our patients and ensure continuity of service. This role involves onboarding new starters into the service, managing casual staff, and responding to staff concerns within a timely manner. This role requires working collaboratively with the nursing management teams and executive leadership teams at TPCH to provide solutions to staffing shortages and working within a time critical environment.

#### Registered Nurse, Nursing Workforce Unit - The Prince Charles Hospital

The nursing workforce unit at The Prince Charles Hospital provides nursing staff for workforce deficits across the hospital. It requires adaptability and self-efficient practitioners who are comfortable adapting to new teams and work areas seamlessly and building working relationships across the hospital.

#### Clinical Nurse, Ward 1B - The Prince Charles Hospital

This senior nursing role requires strong acute care skills in this 30-bed cardiology ward such that I deliver evidence-based and person focused care to patients, education and support to nursing students, and leadership to the permanent nursing team members of this unit.

#### Registered Nurse, Ward 1B - The Prince Charles Hospital

Ward 1B is the specialised advanced heart failure unit at TPCH, providing care for patients with end stage heart failure including inotrope support, advanced care planning, ventricular assist devices, and pre/post heart transplant.

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## **Professional Referees**

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