# The Australian Women's Register

**Entry ID:** Person AWE0751

# Hailes, Dorothy (Jean)

(1926 - 1988)

Born	22 June, 1926, Melbourne Victoria Australia
Died	31 December, 1988
Occupation	Medical practitioner

# Summary

Dr Jean Hailes was a pioneer in women's health in Australia. In 1970 she began the first clinic in Australia dedicated to the management of women in midlife and beyond. Hailes was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia for service to medicine particularly in relation to women. Following her death in 1988, her colleagues and friends created the Jean Hailes Foundation to honour her memory.

#### **Events**

#### 1970 - 1970

Established the first Menopause Clinic in Australia at Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 1976 - 1986

Medical Officer in charge of the Menopause Clinic at the Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 1975 - 1980

Medical Officer in charge of the Family Planning Clinic at Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 2051 - 2051

Married Henry Buckhurst Kay and they had 3 children

#### 2012 - 2012

Inducted into the Victorian Honour Roll of Women

#### 1962 - 1972

Medical Officer at the Red Cross Bank, Melbourne

#### 1972 - 1972

Student health medical officer at Monash University

#### 1972 - 1975

Student health medical officer at University of Melbourne

#### 1986 - 1986

Appointed Member of the Order of Australia

#### 1970 - 1974

Voluntary work at Menopause Clinic, Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 1971 - 1974

Voluntary work at the Family Planning Clinic, Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 1978 - 1978

President of the Parents Association at Melbourne Church of England Girls' Grammar School

#### 1969 - 1969

President of Old Grammarians Society

#### 1972 - 1983

Medical Officer of the Family Planning Clinic at the Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

#### 1950 - 1950

Resident Medical Officer at the Royal Melbourne Hospital

## Published resources

#### **Edited Book**

Who's Who in Australia, 1988, Cadman, Kerith A, 1988

Who's Who of Australian Women, Lofthouse, Andrea, 1982

#### Book

The middle years, Hailes, Jean, 1926-, 1980

# Resource

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