

## Nathalia District Hospital

<b>Address:</b>	34 - 44 McDonell Street Nathalia, Victoria 3638
<b>Telephone:</b>	(03) 5866 9444
<b>Fax:</b>	(03) 5866 2042
<b>Email:</b>	<a href="mailto:nathalia@humehealth.org.au">nathalia@humehealth.org.au</a>
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.humehealth.com.au/nathalia">www.humehealth.com.au/nathalia</a>
<b>Director of Nursing</b>	Mrs Leigh Giffard
<b>Contact for Further Information</b>	Mr Grant Hutchins, Associate Director of Nursing
<b>Information Session</b>	No
<b>Description of Hospital</b>	Nathalia District Hospital (NDH) is a small rural health service in northern Victoria, which offers a range of rural health services, including; acute medical, palliative and residential aged care. In addition, the service provides, transitional care, community nursing services, an unfunded Urgent Care Centre, and an extensive primary health program tailored to meet the needs of its community.
<b>Bed Allocation:</b> <b>Number and Type of Beds</b>	6 acute care beds, one of which is a specifically designated palliative care bed. 20 high acuity residential aged care beds
<b>GRADUATE YEAR PROGRAM:</b> <b>Aim of Program</b>	The program aims to provide opportunities for graduate nurses to develop both clinically and professionally through supported learning, enabling them to excel as practitioners in a diverse rural health setting, assisting the transition from student to nurse. The program links with the graduate nurse program at Goulburn Valley Health Shepparton (GVH), including study days and support, with opportunities for rotations through areas of GVH if desired.
<b>Number of Positions Available</b>	1 -2 dependent on organisational need each year.
<b>Date of Intake</b>	January each year.
<b>Interviews Required</b>	Yes
<b>Hospital Requirements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letter of Application</li> <li>• Curriculum Vitae</li> <li>• Clinical placement reports</li> </ul> <p>Should be sent to: Mr Grant Hutchins Associate Director of Nursing Nathalia District Hospital 36 - 44 McDonell Street Nathalia Vic 3638</p>
<b>Full Time or Part Time Positions</b>	Full Time or Part Time as negotiated
<b>Closing Date for Applications</b>	Usually late July each year
<b>External Rotations</b>	Yes – Study days and support are provided by Goulburn Valley Health Shepparton (GVH). The student will also be offered up to three specialist rotations through GVH if desired, complimenting the graduate nurse program. (Rotations will be dependent upon GV Health's ability to accommodate placement and the number of graduates NDH accepts).