

## Information for NURS8823 CaFHN students

### Western Australia placements

Please be aware that **Perth Metro Health venues do not currently have a student placement agreement with Flinders University**. Flinders University is willing to enter into an agreement and can progress that once we are permitted to receive a WA Health Student Placement Agreement. At this point we are waiting for that template to be available to us.

**Travel outside of the metro area to complete the required placements is highly likely in Western Australia.** There are no restrictions to sourcing placements in WA Country Health Services.

Non-government organisations/ Community-based organisations (such as Indigenous health services) and [WA Country Health](#) are more likely to accept Flinders University students, so this might be a good place to start to negotiate your placements.

[Ngala Residential Parenting Services](#) are independent providers (non-government) and are taking our students. Please request your placements with them directly and retain the confirmation email you receive.

**Placements can be undertaken outside of WA. Please refer to the relevant fact-sheets by state, if you require them.** Please note that you may have additional pre-placement requirements for each state and venue that you choose.

A **Placement Schedule or Student Placement Letter of Agreement** must be in place for each venue you wish to complete your placement with. This will be completed by your Flinders University WIL support officer once you have provided the contact details and evidence of the organisations willing to host you.

**Placements cannot commence without the appropriate agreements in place.**

**Considerations for a reduction in placements**, changes to the structure of placements to be undertaken or earlier commencement dates **need to be negotiated** with the topic coordinator.

**Please ensure you keep your contact information current** in the Student Information System, **including your best contact number, and semester-long residential address.**

You can check and update your information via the Student Information System tile on OKTA. If you need help with that, you will also find IT Support on OKTA.

[Please refer to our website](#) for **guidance on preparing your uniform, name badge, The Placement Reimbursement Policy** and other general placement related information.