

**Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation**  
**Australian Capital Territory**  
**ELECTION NOTICE - E2021/178**

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**Casual Vacancy Election**

*Fair Work (Registered Organisations) Act 2009*

Nominations are called for:

**Australian Capital Territory Branch**  
- Branch Executive Member (1)

**Nominations**, which must be in writing and comply with the registered rules of the Organisation, may be made at any time from 26/10/2021. Nomination forms are available on request.

Prospective candidates and nominators should verify their financial status and any other qualifications required by the Organisation's rules prior to lodging nominations.

Nominations must reach the Returning Officer via the lodgement method(s) stipulated below **not later than** 12:00pm Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) **on** 09/11/2021.

**How to lodge nominations**, nominations must be lodged via the following method(s):

**By Portal:** Australian Electoral Commission Portal, [www.aec.gov.au/ieb/](http://www.aec.gov.au/ieb/)

**By Email:** A properly completed nomination form including all necessary signatures and attachments may be scanned and submitted as a pdf file to [IEBnominations@aec.gov.au](mailto:IEBnominations@aec.gov.au)

**PLEASE NOTE:**

1. Emails to the AEC inbox that appear to be spam may be blocked. It is the responsibility of senders to ensure that their email reaches the AEC before the deadline for nominations.
2. In order to be able to be received by the AEC, emails should be no greater than 6 MB in size.
3. You may call 03 9285 7129 to enquire about the status of your nomination.

**Withdrawing Nominations**

Nominations cannot be withdrawn after 12:00pm Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) on 16/11/2021.

**Candidate Statements**

Candidates may submit a statement to be included with ballot material. Only statements which comply with the Rules and are received by the Returning Officer by 12:00pm (Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT)) on 16/11/2021 can be accepted.

Candidate statements shall not exceed two hundred words, submitted in word document format, and can include a photograph of the candidate if desired.

**Voting Period**

The ballot, if required, will open on 22/11/2021 and close at 5:00pm Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) on 22/12/2021.

**Scrutineers**

The appointment of scrutineers opens 26/10/2021 and closes Australian Eastern Daylight Time (AEDT) on 23/12/2021. A form is available from the Returning Officer for the purposes of appointing Scrutineers.

**Other Information**

Changed Address? Advise the Organisation now.

Please Note: A copy of the AEC's election report can be obtained from the Organisation or from the Returning Officer after the completion of the election.

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