



Bernadette is Manager Perioperative, Interventional, Intensive Care and Transport Services at St Vincent's Hospital

“ I came to St Vincent's 30 years ago first as a trainee and registered nurse and later as a clinician and a Manager.

My day begins early, with a quick review of what's happened in the Hospital during the last 14 hours, a catchup with the ICU and OR teams, then it's off to meetings and email processing. I've learnt to allow for a daily “free-time slot” to deal with unexpected issues that often crop up.

I stayed for the opportunities for career advancement and for its friendly and welcoming workplace It's become like family - you don't always agree, however the loyalty and commitment makes the difference, by holding you together. For those like me who ventured elsewhere for short periods ,it felt right coming back. The values and mission of the organisation are second to none.”



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