



Maryanne Hawthorn

Current role

Western NSW Local Health District, Executive Director, Strategic Reform, Planning and Partnerships May 2023 – current

Responsible for providing strategic leadership at an executive level to ensure that Western NSW LHD is a sector leader in organisational strategy and health planning, data, analytics, and information management (including performance reporting and the use of data and health intelligence), evaluation, engaging meaningfully with communities and managing strategic reforms across the wider health system. My role includes developing relationships with health stakeholders including the Ministry of Health, Commonwealth Department of Health, other departments of the NSW State government, local health leaders, and building a network of stakeholders across the community and local government areas to ensure the planning and engagement needs of the WNSWLHD and its communities are met.

Recent experience

Western NSW Local Health District, Director Health Intelligence Unit, Planning and Service Development May 2019 - May 2023

Western NSW Local Health District, Manager, Planning and Service Development October 2018 – May 2019

Western NSW Local Health District, Quality and Safety Taskforce Leader January 2016 – October 2018

NSW Ministry of Health, Senior Policy Officer / Acting Manager (2012), Older People's Mental Health Policy Unit May 2011 – January 2016

Department of Health and Ageing, Acting Assistant Director, Office for and Ageing Australia and Policy Officer, Population Health Programs Branch April - May 2011

Education and qualifications

University of Sydney, Master of Health Policy 2010

University of Sydney, Bachelor of Applied Science (Occupational Therapy) 2005