

July 2023

Celebrating NAIDOC Week at Tweed Valley Hospital

[NAIDOC Week](#) will be held across Australia from this Sunday 2 July to Sunday 9 July 2023, celebrating the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

This year's theme is [For Our Elders](#) who have played, and continue to play, an important role and hold a prominent place in our communities and families. They are cultural knowledge holders, trailblazers, nurturers, advocates, teachers, survivors and leaders.

Local Elders and community members have played an important role at the Tweed Valley Hospital project, through initiatives such as advising on edible and medicinal plant species, co-design of the sculpture for the main foyer, supporting cultural interpretations and language translations on hospital signage, and the integration of artworks by local Aboriginal artists across the campus.

We thank our valued members of the Aboriginal Community Working Group for their time, wisdom and guidance to ensure the Tweed Valley Hospital project delivers a hospital that meets the health needs of the local community now and well into the future.

To find out more, visit www.tweedvalleyhospital.health.nsw.gov.au
