

# There To Care AWARDS

*Celebrating excellence, respect,  
compassion, and community.*



## Andrea

Clinical Nurse  
North Adelaide Residential Care Home

*2025 Fourth Quarter Award Recipient*

Helping Hand recognises the impactful care and dedicated support Clinical Nurse Andrea consistently exemplifies, which has led to her *There to Care Award*. Not only is Andrea respected for her exceptional care but her mission to form meaningful connections with residents and their families.

"The most important job is to foster connections and build a trusting relationship, that is what truly underpins everything that I do. It helps me to liaise with staff, families and residents."

Her passion for care was ignited when she was cared for by her real-life "Florence Nightingale".

"I met a nurse 37 years ago, and I always say she was my Florence Nightingale. I had a challenging pregnancy, I was 20 years old having twins in Germany, and my mum and dad were here in Australia. I had my husband with me of course, but that nurse really cared for me," she says.

"She was very inspiring, and she really connected with me. She took a moment to sit down, held my hand and asked me how I really was. I always looked forward to seeing her, she was the brightest part of my day. She really inspired me to become a nurse."

The news of the award win came as a shock for Andrea.

"I felt embarrassed. I don't do anything special, there are so many who do amazing jobs. However, I know someone took the time to write a nomination for me, which I'm humbly grateful for," she says.

Thanks, Andrea, for being there to care.

**There To Care Awards focus on celebrating our values of excellence, respect, compassion and community, helping us to celebrate the amazing work our people do every day.**



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