

Celebrating International Women's Day

International Women's Day is...

A recognition of the value that women are making every day in their personal, professional and community lives.

Embodying Mater mission and values

Acknowledging and respecting co-workers and professional colleagues, patients, visitors and external stakeholders. I strive to be a role model for others and encourage others to embody this too.

Female influences who have helped shape my life

My mother was the most powerful influence in my life. She was left with five children to raise when my father died, and she did this whilst always being there when we were coming home from school. She always encouraged me to be independent and to be open to new knowledge and ways of achieving goals.



Words of wisdom

My mother used to say, "once you are a mother, you will worry about your children the rest of your life regardless of their age". I have found recently that this is very true.

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