

SIGHT FOR LIFE FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER



Consumer / Staff

SPRING ISSUE FIVE

The Sight for Life Foundation acknowledge the Gadigal People of the Eora Nation, the traditional custodians of the land, and pay respects to elders both past and present.

Welcome

Welcome to Spring.

On the June 24th staff attended Mandatory training. We refreshed our CPR, manual handling and fire and rescue training. There were lots of laugh and fun had by all.

The Sight Foundation Theatre has recently obtained a cosmetic surgery licence for oculoplastic cases. This allows us to offer more eye care option for our surgeons and patients.

Did you know? The iris which is the coloured part of your eye has 256 unique characteristics, your fingerprint has just 40.

Number of surgeries in June /July: 219
Cataracts accounted for 77%
Corneal procedures 13.5 %
And other cases were 9.5 %

Written by Cate Rogers



Upcoming Meetings

Staff Meeting: NOV 2022

Medical advisory (MAC): 2022

SFLF Board: NOV 2022.



Did you know?

We are a not-for-profit organization. All profits go directly to funding the operation of the Sight Foundation training and research lab where trainee ophthalmologist hone their skills practicing new techniques. The Lab is supported by donations which fund the purchase and maintenance of equipment and consumables and other costs that arise from training the next generation of surgeons. If you would like to donate to the Lab, find the link on sightfoundationtheatre.org.au



Recent Audits Results.

Patient identification and timeout: 100%
Hand hygiene product availability: 98%
Healthcare Record Audits: 96.82%

Upcoming Audits

Clinician Satisfaction Survey
Aseptic Technique
Staff Education audit

Meet our Staff



Name: Katie O'Brien

Position: Business Manager

Years with Sight Foundation: 18 months full time

Hobbies: Going to the beach and interior design

What I enjoy most about my role? Working in a team and being able to provide training to young registrar via the lab.

Ravian Montero is an addition to the training lab team this month. Ravian brings a wealth of experience in the ophthalmic product field to the Sight Foundation

Patient Comments

“Everyone had a sense of humour, and I had a wonderful time”

“Care was excellent, and vision has improved immensely”

“Happy with care. Had 2 nice cups of tea and a very nice tomato and cheese sandwich.”

Consumer feedback

If you have any ideas or thoughts on how we can better improve our patient service, we would love to hear from you. Please contact info@sightfoundationtheatres.org.au or ask for a patient satisfaction survey from your nurse.