

SIGHT FOR LIFE FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER

Consumer / Staff

SUMMER 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

By Cate Rogers Clinical Services Manger

In October we upgraded our online medical system to FYDO giving patients the option for online preadmission. Staff, Patients and Dr rooms have found it easy to navigate and saves unnecessary paper use.

We are talking with several new surgeons who will be taking up theatre time in 2023. They will be bringing their skills in lesions, glaucoma, and cataract with them.

Sam is working hard on a consumer-friendly information sheet discussing intravenous cannula and antibiotics use for you the consumer. If you have any thoughts or idea, let reception know.

Total Number of Patients August to October: 2490f which 190 where cataracts, making it our most common procedure performed .



Upcoming Meetings

Staff Meeting: FEB 2023

Medical advisory (MAC): FEB 2023

SFLF Board: MARCH 2023.



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



Sight Foundation Staff.

What we are reading

Sam: The House in the Cerulean Sea
'This book is like a warm hug'

Cate: The Other half of Augusta Hope
'Picked it up and couldn't put it down'

Anne Maree: The Soulmate
'Easy reading and engaging'

Fen: Chinese Fiction book
'I like the time travel element'

James:
'I prefer the gym, to books.'

Beatrice: The Silent Patient
'Great twist at the end'

Katie: Spare
'Polarising and compelling read'



Recent Audits Results.

- Personnel File Audit 91%
- Hand Hygiene Audit 65.3%
- Surgical Time Out 100%

Upcoming Audit

- Disability Inclusion environmental Audit
- Quality Improvement Register Review
- Healthcare Record Audits

Patient Feedback

“James is a welcome sight for a nervous patient, His spark should be bottled “

“Clear information provided, they cared about what I was concerned about the facility was clean and staff were very friendly “

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.