

Are you a burns survivor who would like to support burns patients?

S.H.A.R.E. is a peer support program for inpatients and outpatients with a burn injury at the following adult burn units: Concord Repatriation General Hospital, Royal North Shore Hospital and the Graythwaite Rehabilitation Centre Ryde Hospital.

Talking with someone who has been affected by a burn injury can help to reduce isolation. Peer support facilitates the pathway to new meaning through the sharing of lived experience. Peer Support Volunteers offer reassurance, comfort and hope.

As a Peer Support Volunteer, you would need to successfully complete the application process, participate in a comprehensive orientation and education program and be available for a minimum of 2 hours per month. Volunteers will receive ongoing support in their role.

If you have had direct experience recovering from a burn injury, are actively re-engaged in community life and are interested in finding out more about the program or how you can become a Peer Support Volunteer, contact:

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