



Flinders
UNIVERSITY

PROPOSED CARING FUTURES INSTITUTE



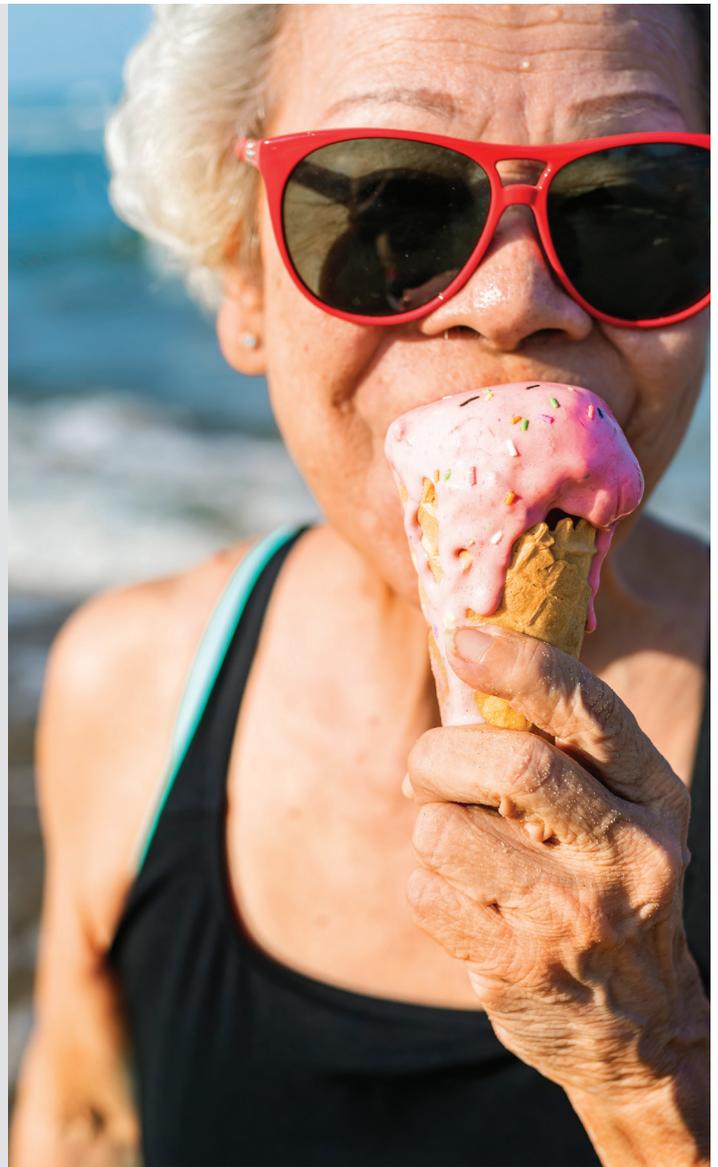
for research into better care and health outcomes

The Flinders University College of Nursing and Health Sciences is in the early stages of developing the world's first fully dedicated research institute for the study of self-care and caring solutions.

Our society

like others around the globe faces a range of critical challenges as we look at improving the way we care for those in need. An **ageing population**, the **rising cost of healthcare**, **chronic illness** and **social isolation** are among the problems that require our serious attention.

So we're inviting our industry partners to be part of the discussion around the future of care, so we can **explore and co-design new solutions for better lives, better communities and better systems of care.**



Engaging strongly with leading care industry and healthcare professionals,

this expert body will pioneer outcome-driven applied research, redefining how caring informs and impacts health outcomes, quality of life and social and economic prosperity, bringing together multiple academic and clinical disciplines.



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THEMES:**

VISION

To create the first ever fully dedicated research institute for the study of self-care and caring solutions leading to better lives, better communities and better health systems.

MISSION

Our mission is to co-design self-care and caring solutions for better lives, better communities and better health systems.

IMPACT

We will redefine how caring informs and impacts upon health outcomes, quality of life and social and economic prosperity.





THE PROPOSED INSTITUTE WILL FOCUS ON THE FOLLOWING 4 THEMES:

THEMES	TYPES OF PROGRAMS INCLUDE:
<p>BETTER SYSTEMS Health & Social Care Systems & Processes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● WORKFORCE ● WHOLE SYSTEM RE-DESIGN ● MODELS OF CARE ● MENTAL HEALTH NURSING AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT ● SAHLN CASE STUDY ● NEW APPROACHES TO RESIDENTIAL AGED CARE
<p>BETTER COMMUNITIES Community Involvement & Participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● DISADVANTAGED GROUPS ● DISABILITY ● TECHNOLOGY ● CALD ● PEOPLE LIVING WITH AUTISM ● SMART HOMES
<p>BETTER LIVES Health & Wellness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● HEALTH & WELLNESS ● HEALTHY AGEING ● HEALTHY MOTHERS ● BABIES AND FAMILIES ● FRAILTY ● SAFE SLEEPING
<p>BETTER CARE Care Interventions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● PALLIATIVE CARE ● FUNDAMENTALS OF CARE ● INTEGRATED CARE ● ACCESS TO EVIDENCE ● RELATIONSHIP-CENTRED CARE ● CARDIAC REHABILITATION

We welcome all stakeholder contributions to help inform the proposed Flinders Caring Futures Institute and make a positive impact on health outcomes, quality of life and social and economic prosperity.