



The Hospital Research Foundation's

Under Our Roof

WHERE?

UNDER OUR ROOF IS LOCATED AT 30 AND 30A NICHOLLS TERRACE, WOODVILLE WEST, ADELAIDE, SA.



WHY?

UOR WAS BUILT TO MEET A CRUCIAL ACCOMMODATION NEED FOR COUNTRY CANCER PATIENTS WHO ARE REQUIRED TO TRAVEL TO ADELAIDE FOR TREATMENT AT THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL AND ROYAL ADELAIDE HOSPITAL.

EACH HOUSE HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO PROVIDE A WELCOMING, WARM AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR FAMILIES TO STAY TOGETHER DURING WHAT IS OFTEN A CHALLENGING TIME.



EACH HOUSE HAS 2 BATHROOMS; 2 LIVING AREAS AND CAN SLEEP UP TO 6 PEOPLE.



UOR GUESTS HAVE INDICATED A STRONG PREFERENCE TO BE LOCATED WITHIN A COMMUNITY SETTING AND LOCAL NEIGHBOURHOOD GIVING THEM A SENSE OF NORMALITY, COMPARED TO A MOTEL OR VILLAGE STYLED FACILITY.

DISTANCE

UOR IS THE ONLY SUBSIDISED FAMILY-SIZED ACCOMMODATION FOR COUNTRY CANCER PATIENTS NEAR TQEH. UOR IS APPROX 8 KMS TO NEW RAH WHEN IT OPENS IN 2017.



UOR IS AN APPROVED ACCOMMODATION PROVIDER UNDER THE PATS SCHEME (PATIENT ASSISTANCE TRANSPORT SCHEME) OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA AND IPTAAS (ISOLATED PATIENTS TRANSPORT AND ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME) OF NEW SOUTH WALES, MEANING ACCOMMODATION IS OFFERED AT NO COST.



TOTAL NUMBER OF OCCUPIED DAYS

FEB-DEC 2016 – 268 DAYS (81%).



WE'RE CLOSE TO OUR TARGET! YOU CAN HELP BUILD THE SECOND UOR BY SUPPORTING MERCER SUPERCYCLE 2017.



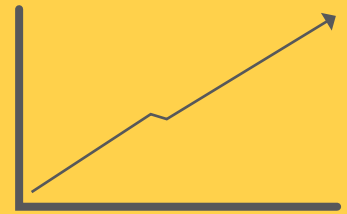
MERCER SUPERCYCLE

MERCER SUPERCYCLE IS THE MAJOR SUPPORTER OF UNDER OUR ROOF.

WHERE HAVE OUR UOR PATIENTS COME FROM?



DUE TO DEMAND, SOME PATIENTS ARE UNABLE TO STAY AS THE HOMES ARE BOOKED OUT.



PATIENTS WITH THE GREATEST NEED & THOSE NEEDING TO BE ACCOMMODATED AS A FAMILY UNIT ARE GIVEN BOOKING PREFERENCE.



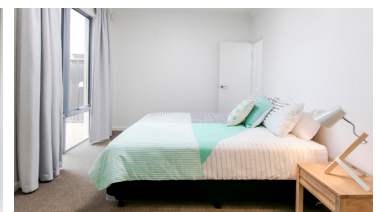
A THANK YOU

“IT’S A CHALLENGING TIME — BUT HAVING A PLACE TO STAY HAS ALLEVIATED SO MUCH FINANCIAL WORRY FOR US. WHAT EVERYONE INVOLVED HAS PROVIDED US IS STABILITY AND A SENSE OF NORMALITY IN A PLACE THAT FEELS LIKE HOME.” - FRANCESCA, MOTHER OF ONE, CEDUNA

“IF I HADN’T HAD THIS PLACE TO STAY MY EXPERIENCE WOULD HAVE BEEN VERY DIFFERENT. I’M EXTREMELY GRATEFUL TO EVERYONE WHO HAS PARTICIPATED IN RAISING MONEY FOR THE UNDER OUR ROOF PROJECT, MAKING THE HOMES POSSIBLE. IT’S BEEN FANTASTIC AND I CAN’T THANK EVERYONE ENOUGH WHO MADE THIS POSSIBLE. I COULDN’T IMAGINE HAVING TO DO THIS ANYWHERE ELSE.” - KAHLA, MOTHER OF THREE, WHYALLA

“WHEN I WAS FINALLY ON MY OWN IN THE HOME — I LAID BACK IN THE BEAUTIFUL RECLINER CHAIR AND JUST CRIED AND CRIED — NOT BECAUSE I WAS SAD BUT BECAUSE I WAS INCREDIBLY GRATEFUL TO BE HERE IN THIS AMAZING HOUSE — IT’S BEEN MY HOUSE OF HEALING” - COLLEEN, VICTOR HARBOR

“WORDS ALONE CANNOT EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION FOR THE GENEROSITY OF THESE GROUPS OF INCREDIBLE PEOPLE WHO RAISED THE FUNDS AND SUPPORTED THIS PROJECT. BEING ABLE TO STAY IN A COMMUNITY HOME ENVIRONMENT HAS MADE OUR STAY AWAY FROM HOME A MUCH BETTER EXPERIENCE THAN WE COULD EVER HAVE ANTICIPATED. IT HAS ALSO MADE DANIEL’S TREATMENT THAT LITTLE BIT LESS STRESSFUL.” - MARIA, DANIEL AND FAMILY, WHYALLA



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