Australian Resuscitation Council

Council Member Organisations

The Australian Resuscitation Council brings together leading health, emergency care, education, first aid and community organisations to support high-quality resuscitation practice across Australia.

Our member organisations

The Australian Resuscitation Council is a voluntary coordinating body that represents major groups involved in the teaching and practice of resuscitation. Its member organisations contribute clinical expertise, education experience, community reach and sector leadership to help promote consistent, evidence-based resuscitation guidance.

Why membership matters

Resuscitation requires coordinated action across hospitals, ambulance services, primary care, defence, first aid, lifesaving, education, research and the wider community. By working with member organisations, the Australian Resuscitation Council provides a forum for shared discussion, review of scientific evidence, guideline development and national consistency in techniques and terminology.

Member organisation

- Australian College of Midwives
- Advanced Paediatric Life Support Australia
- Australasian College for Emergency Medicine
- Australasian College of Paramedicine
- Australian College of Critical Care Nurses

Australian College of Nursing

Australian Defence Force

Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists

Australian and New Zealand Intensive Care Society

Australian Red Cross

Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand

College of Emergency Nursing Australasia

Council of Ambulance Authorities

Heart Foundation

Perinatal Society of Australia and New Zealand

Royal Australian College of General Practitioners

Royal Australasian College of Physicians

Royal Australasian College of Surgeons

Royal Life Saving Society Australia

St John Ambulance Australia

Surf Life Saving Australia

State and territory branches

The Australian Resuscitation Council also works through state and territory branches, supporting local engagement, education and implementation of resuscitation guidance across Australia.

- Australian Capital Territory Branch
- New South Wales Branch
- Queensland Branch
- South Australian Branch
- Tasmanian Branch
- Victorian Branch
- Western Australian Branch