

# Democratic Structure of the New South Wales Nurses and Midwives' Association

Strength in numbers is one thing, but the New South Wales Nurses and Midwives' Association also depends on the commitment of its members to make a difference. The more active and involved our members, the stronger the Association.

The Association empowers nurses and midwives to actively participate in shaping every aspect of their profession: from pay claims and workload relief to workers' compensation and legal protection.

Participation in democratic branches throughout NSW allows nurses and midwives to control their own agenda and to ensure that each workplace has a voice in the Association's direction.

This diagram shows how individual members can affect policy by being involved.

