

The Australian Women's Register

Entry type: Person
Entry ID: AWE0575

Baker, Edith Clarice

(1899 - 1983)

Born	18990713, Port Wakefield South Australia Australia
Died	19831231
Occupation	Matron, Nurse

Summary

Edith Baker undertook her nursing training at Memorial Hospital, Adelaide and then worked in South Africa and England before being appointed to the Royal Australian Air Force Nursing Service (RAAFNS) in 1941. Baker rose to the position of area matron before being discharged on 8 May 1944.

Events

1941 - 1941
Appointed to the Royal Australian Air Force Nursing Service (RAAFNS)

1944 - 1944
Discharged from the RAAFNS

1944 - 1944
Married Eric G McGlaughlin

1925 - 1941
Nursing experience in South Africa and England

1943 - 1943
Promoted to Area Matron, RAAFNS

1943 - 1943
Promoted to Matron, RAAFNS

1942 -
Promoted to Senior Sister, RAAFNS

1921 - 1925
Training at the Memorial Hospital, Adelaide

Published resources

Resource Section

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Edited Book

Who's Who in Australia 1950, Alexander, Joseph A, 1950

Who's Who in Australia, 1947, Chisholm, Alec H, 1947

Resource

Where are the Women in Australian science?, Australian Science and Technology Heritage Centre, 2003,
<http://www.austehc.unimelb.edu.au/wisa/wisa.html>

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Book

Story of the RAAF nursing service : 1940-1990, Halstead, Gay., 1994

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