

# The Australian Women's Register

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## Hailes, Dorothy (Jean)

(1926 - 1988)

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**Born** 22 June, 1926, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Died** 31 December, 1988

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**Occupation** Medical practitioner

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### Summary

Dr Jean Hailes was a pioneer in women's health in Australia. In 1970 she began the first clinic in Australia dedicated to the management of women in midlife and beyond. Hailes was appointed a Member of the Order of Australia for service to medicine particularly in relation to women. Following her death in 1988, her colleagues and friends created the Jean Hailes Foundation to honour her memory.

## Events

### **1970 - 1970**

Established the first Menopause Clinic in Australia at Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

### **1976 - 1986**

Medical Officer in charge of the Menopause Clinic at the Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

### **1975 - 1980**

Medical Officer in charge of the Family Planning Clinic at Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

### **2051 - 2051**

Married Henry Buckhurst Kay and they had 3 children

### **2012 - 2012**

Inducted into the Victorian Honour Roll of Women

### **1962 - 1972**

Medical Officer at the Red Cross Bank, Melbourne

### **1972 - 1972**

Student health medical officer at Monash University

### **1972 - 1975**

Student health medical officer at University of Melbourne

### **1986 - 1986**

Appointed Member of the Order of Australia

### **1970 - 1974**

Voluntary work at Menopause Clinic, Prince Henry's Hospital, Melbourne

### **1971 - 1974**

Voluntary work at the Family Planning Clinic, Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

### **1978 - 1978**

President of the Parents Association at Melbourne Church of England Girls' Grammar School

### **1969 - 1969**

President of Old Grammarians Society

### **1972 - 1983**

Medical Officer of the Family Planning Clinic at the Royal Women's Hospital, Melbourne

### **1950 - 1950**

Resident Medical Officer at the Royal Melbourne Hospital

## Published resources

### **Edited Book**

Who's Who in Australia, 1988, Cadman, Kerith A, 1988

Who's Who of Australian Women, Lofthouse, Andrea, 1982

### **Book**

The middle years, Hailes, Jean, 1926-, 1980

### **Resource**

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

## Author Details

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