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## **MAY DAY**

# **AWARDS**

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## **MODEL WORKER**

### **Kamariah Yahya**

Assistant Nurse Clinician  
National University Hospital

*Nominated by the Healthcare Services Employees' Union*

Kamariah Yahya is an exceptionally skilled and dedicated nurse who exemplifies the values of compassion, commitment, and excellence in delivering outstanding patient care. As a trained emergency nurse, she has demonstrated remarkable expertise in assessing and managing critically ill patients, including those with trauma, cardiac, and stroke conditions. Her contributions have significantly enhanced team efficiency and improved departmental metrics, such as reducing door-to-needle and door-to-balloon times.

With 13 years of service, Sister Kamariah has consistently shown unwavering dedication to excellence, particularly in Mass Casualty Incident (MCI) preparedness. Her notable achievements include leading the MCI Kingfisher Exercise in 2018, conducting ongoing decontamination training at the National University Hospital (NUH) as the national centre, preparing for VVIP medical coverage, and contributing to the Field Medical Team to ensure effective resource allocation. As a leader in NUH's Emergency Medicine Department (EMD), she has fostered collaboration with various stakeholders, implemented changes to emergency protocols, improved response efficiency, and developed training programmes to enhance MCI readiness.

Since 2023, Sister Kamariah has been appointed as a committee member of the Ministry of Health's Part-Time Professional Scheme, where she provides input on civil emergencies. Her ongoing contributions through the committee include offering suggestions and feedback to hospitals and polyclinics in Singapore regarding their standard operating procedures (SOPs) and assessing clinical spaces and processes to ensure feasibility during civil emergencies.

In her role with this committee, Sister Kamariah actively plans and participates in Exercise Kingfisher across public hospitals in Singapore where her involvement includes serving as Exercise Controller and Evaluator for the exercises, followed by the preparation of After Action Reports, recommendations, and lessons learned post-exercises.

Sister Kamariah's selfless service, unwavering commitment to patient care, and dedication to improving work processes make her truly deserving of recognition and appreciation.