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# Doctor Profile

## Anaesthesia



## Dr Tessa Smith

**BA, MBBS, FANZCA**

I attended the University of Melbourne and completed a Bachelor of Arts degree majoring in recent Australian history and English. Following some time overseas, I was accepted into the graduate entry medical program at Flinders University in South Australia and moved to Adelaide to complete the degree, spending some time in Alice Springs in the process. I returned to Melbourne for internship, and after 3 years working at Western Health and in Emergency & Trauma Medicine, was accepted into anaesthetic training at the Alfred Hospital. I completed a year-long paediatric anaesthetic fellowship at the Royal Children's Hospital to round out my anaesthesia training, including a term in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

I continue to work at The Alfred Hospital as a Consultant Anaesthetist and participate in the Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists Continuing Professional Development program. I also regularly attend updates and meetings of the Society of Paediatric Anaesthetists of New Zealand and Australia.

### Other interests

Travel, hiking, kayaking, stand up paddleboarding (with my dog), gardening, live music and Australian gin distilleries. I am a member of the Zoos Victoria Foundation Advisory Board and am passionate about conservation and sustainability.

### Memberships

Fellow of the Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists, member of the Australian Society of Anaesthetists and Doctors for the Environment Australia.

### Areas of interest:

Paediatric and adult surgical  
Ear Nose and Throat surgery  
Orthopaedics  
Urology/Urogynaecology  
General Surgery

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