Sally Thomas

Sally Thomas relocated in 2002 from south-west New South Wales to Port Hedland, Western Australia, with her husband and four young children. She undertook the portfolio of palliative care for both the hospital and the wider community of the Pilbara.

Moving to the Kimberley in 2005, she completed a Graduate Certificate in Diabetes Education and worked across the East Kimberley. As a home care nurse, Sally provided palliative care for clients from both the Ord Valley Aboriginal Health Service and Kununurra District Hospital.

In 2011 Sally was appointed as the community health nurse generalist/school health nurse for Wyndham, Kununurra and surrounding communities.

Sally commenced as the Coordinator for Palliative Care Services in the Kimberley in April 2012—this challenging but rewarding role is ever-expanding.

Sally and Sarah Davies have worked hard to align their chosen specialties and their strong working relationship has positively impacted service delivery and care for those living in the Kimberley.