(Honorary) Member of the Order of Australia (AM) in the General Division

Professor Deborah Parker, NSW

For significant service to community health, particularly through palliative and aged care research.

University of Technology Sydney (UTS)

- Professor of Nursing Aged Care (Dementia), School of Nursing and Midwifery, since 2016.
- Co-Director, University of Technology Sydney Aged Care Collaborative, current.
- Editorial Board Member, Australia's Aged Care Sector Reports, current.
- Member, Senior Leadership Team, Faculty of Health

The University of Queensland

- Adjunct Associate Professor of Nursing, current.
- Associate Professor, Director University of Queensland/Blue Care Research and Practice Development Centre 2010-2015.
- Acting Director, University of Queensland/Blue Care Research and Practice Development Centre, 2009.
- Director, Australian Centre for Evidence Based Community Care, University of Queensland, 2009-2015.

Western Sydney University

- Adjunct Professor of Nursing, current.
- Director and former Adjunct Professor, Centre for Applied Nursing Research, 2015-2016.

Queensland University of Technology

- Senior Research Fellow, 2006-2007.
- Project Manager, 2004-2005.

Flinders University

- Research Manager, Department of Palliative and Supportive Services, 1993-2002.
- Phd Scholarship, Department of Palliative and Supportive Services, 2000-2003.

Palliative Care NSW

- Member, Executive Committee, current.
- Vice President, 2020-2021.
- President, 2019-2020.
- President Elect, 2018.

Palliative Care - Other

- Co-Lead, End of Life Directions in Aged Care, current.
- Co-Lead, Decision Assist, 2013-2016.
- Member, European Palliative Care Association, Advance Care Planning for Older People Taskforce, current.
- Member, European Palliative Care Association, Palliative Care in Long Term Care Taskforce, 2011-2014.
- Chair, Palliative Aged Care Advisory Network 2016-2021.
- National Advisory Committee, Caresearch 2009-2021.
- Executive Member, Palliative Care Clinical Academic Group, SPHERE, current.
- Developer of the Palliative Approach Toolkit.
- Developer, Home Care Toolkit, Residential Aged Care Toolkit and Dementia Toolkit.
- Co-Developer, The Abbey Pain Scale.
- Former Member, various groups and committees including the Australian COVID Palliative Care Working Group. National Council for Palliative Care. Queensland Palliative Care Council.
- Former Member, Aged Care Sub-Committee, Palliative Care Australia.

Nursing

- Foundation Member, Australian Hartford Consortium of Gerontological Nursing Excellence, current.
- Executive Member, Aged Care Clinical Academic Group Education and Workforce, SPHERE, 2018-2022.
- Former Chair, Healthy Aging Policy Chapter, Australian College of Nursing.
- Co-Chair, NSW Nursing Strategic Advisory Committee to Office of Chief Nurse, 2016.
- Nurse, since 1984.

Sydney Local Health District

- Member, Nursing and Midwifery Executive, 2015-2016.
- Member, Clinical Skills and Governance Committee, 2015-2016.
- Member, Falls Committee, 2015-2016.
- Member, Wound Care Committee, 2015-2016.

National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)

- Member, Boosting Dementia Research Leadership Fellowship Grant Review Working Committee, 2017.
- Research Fellow, Palliative Care, The University of Queensland, 2008-2010.
- Research Fellow, 2007-2008.
- Chief Investigator, two funded grants, since 2001.
- Co-Investigator, Medical Research Future Fund Clinician Researchers Nurse, Midwives and Allied Health, current.
- Grant Review Panel Member, current.

Research and Publications

- Published over 100 publications in the field of Nursing Aged Care.
- Lead UTS investigator, Australian Research Council Hub of Digital Enhanced Living, current.
- Liverpool Hospital Research Committee, 2015-2016.
- Bankstown Hospital Research Committee, 2015-2016.
- Chair, Clinical Trials Management Committee, Palliative Care Clinical Studies Collaborative, 2018-2019
- Member, Scientific Management Committee, Palliative Care Clinical Studies Collaborative, 2018-2019.
- Research Associate, Royal District Nursing Service, 2000-2002.
- Associate Editor, Frontiers in Dementia Care.
- Chief Executive Officer, National Stroke Foundation, since 2016.
- Chairperson, Australian Living Evidence Consortium, since 2022.
- Board Member, Australian Stroke Alliance, since 2020.
- Co-Chair, Australian Stroke Coalition, since 2008.