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Possum rescued from hospital window

A TERRIFIED ringtail possum was rescued from a two-storey window ledge at the Monash Medical Centre on Wednesday, April 30.

The adult possum had been stranded on the window ledge of the Jessie McPherson Private Hospital wing for two days.

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Shelter carer Michele Phillips said the possum must have fallen from the roof and was unable to escape.

About 50 patients, staff and visitors gathered to watch as Ms Phillips and four firemen staged the rescue over an hour and a half.

Ms Phillips said most wildlife rescues were not that dramatic.