



YOUNG BLOOD

MUSIC
NATE WEATHERALL
(GUMBAYNGGIRR & GAMILAROI)

LYRICS
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Dream fierce, young blood, let the fire ignite,
From outback's raw edge to the city's cold bite.
Heal like the Ancestors, make the mob stand tall,
Could be you, kid—rise and answer the call!

Dr Reggie
Thupmul and Thabbu from the Torres Strait
Dr Reggie's mum told her - 'education's NO waste'
Reggie worked hard, but it ain't no breeze
Now she's helping her mob escape chronic disease.

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Dr Nelli
Nelli's Dhanggati, from hills cold and high,
Grinding in the city, looking for the sky.
Grandad shared wisdom, stories to inspire,
He dreamed of her as a doctor, set her heart on fire.

Nothin' can stop you. You can push right thru'
your dream to be a Doc is made for you,
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Dr Belinda
Belinda's Barkindji, Malyangapa too,
the first from her mob to be a doctor - true,
did it real tough, found her calling late,
Now soars like the Muru, helping mob's her fate

Dr Clancy
A Bidjara man, Dr Clancy Read
No silver spoon, just heart and belief.
His Bidjara mum had a powerful plan,
Found scholarships, grants for her driven young man.
now helps country and mob, so our people can thrive
with changes-only-docs-can-make, our future, our lives.

Dream fierce, young bub, you can do it, too,
A doc can change the world, why not you?
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Elders spit fire, "You're the storm in the night,"
Docs like Nellie and crew bring the Ancestors' fight.
Reggie, Belinda, Clancy, tearin' through,
Dream fierce, young blood—Country's callin' for you!

