

# Holy Family Children's Home

1956 – 1985

## Details

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The Holy Family Children's Home was established at Marayong in Sydney's west in 1956 by the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth. It cared for boys and girls, usually migrant children from Poland or Malta. The Holy Family Children's Home closed in 1985.

In 2013 the site of the former Holy Family Children's Home is occupied by a child care centre.

## More info

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### Related Entries

#### Run by

- [Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth \(1875 - current\)](#)  
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#### Related Organisations

- [Catholic Children's Homes Enquiry Service \(1994 - current\)](#)  
Catholic Children's Homes Enquiry Service holds copies of records relating to Holy Family Children's Home.

## Resources

- Australian Catholic Social Welfare Commission and the Australian Conference of Leaders of Religious Institutes, [A piece of the story : national directory of records of Catholic organisations caring for children separated from families](#), November 1999

## Records

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For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

### Records held by other organisations

- [Catholic Children's Homes Registers \(c. 1888 - c. 1990\)](#)
- [Correspondence files, single number series with 'B' \[Child Endowment\] prefix \(1904 - 1974\)](#)  
Item B492 of the Child Endowment correspondence files relates to Holy Family Children's Home
- [Notification of Reception, Holy Family Children's Home \(1956 - 1967\)](#)
- [Notifications of Discharge, Holy Family Children's Home \(1958 - 1970\)](#)
- [Notice of Reception, Discharge, Death or Admission to Hospital, Holy Family Children's Home \(1965 - 1983\)](#)
- [Record of Admission, Holy Family Children's Home \(1967 - 1986\)](#)

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