

# File relating to “Our Children’s Home”, North Strathfield

1949 – 1987

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**To access these records:**

Please contact the Care Leaver Records Access Unit, Community Services:

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Website: <https://www.facs.nsw.gov.au/families/out-of-home-care/about-out-of-home-care/were-you-in-out-of-home-care>

**Reference Number**

Quote this number to access your records: State Records Authority of New South Wales Series Number, 14630

**Records Location**

These records are held by [State Archives and Records Authority of New South Wales \(June 1961 - current\)](#)

## Details

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State Archives New South Wales holds a file of records relating to Our Children’s Home, North Strathfield. The file contains: reports of alleged neglect and mistreatment of children; correspondence; field officers’ reports and periodical reports dealing with care, diets and accommodation of children; reviews of licence; matters regarding the care of children under 7; the death of a child in the home; and the closure of the home and amendments to the constitution of the Society.

## Access Conditions

Access to these records is currently restricted. In New South Wales, records relating to individuals, such as case files and correspondence are closed to public access for 100 years. Records such as registers and indexes are closed to public access for 80 years.

Care Leavers wishing to access records about themselves will need to complete a Care Leaver Records Access Application Form (downloadable from the Care Leaver Records Access Unit website or available at a Community Services Centre). Completed application forms with proof of identity can be sent to the Care Leaver Records Access Unit, or lodged with a Community Services Centre. For further information please contact the Care Leaver Records Access Unit.

## More info

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# Organisations in these records

## Related Organisations

- [Society for Providing Homes for Neglected Children \(1887 - current\)](#)
- [Our Children's Home \(1918 - 1982\)](#)

This file contains information about children who were at Our Children's Home (Ardill House)

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