

# Children's Services Act 1965, Queensland

1965 – 2000

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## Details

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The Children's Services Act 1965 was designed 'to promote and protect the wellbeing of the children and youth of the State through a comprehensive and co-ordinated program of child and family welfare'. The focus was on the protection of children from neglectful acts and behaviour by parents, and protection from unacceptable living conditions. This act had the full title "An Act to Promote, Safeguard and Protect the well-being of the Children and Youth of the State through a Comprehensive and Co-ordinated Programme of Child and Family Welfare and to Amend "The Adoption of Children Act of 1964?, in certain particulars" (Act no.42/1965) and was repealed and replaced by the Child Protection Act 1999 (Act no.10/1999) in 2000.

## More info

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### Chronology

- Children's Protection Act 1896, Queensland (1896 - 1966)
- Guardianship and Custody of Infants Act 1891, Queensland (1891 - 1966)
- Children's Court Act 1907, Queensland (1907 - 1966)
- Infant Life Protection Act 1905, Queensland (1905 - 1966)
- State Children Act 1911, Queensland (1911 - 1966)
  - **Children's Services Act 1965, Queensland (1965 – 2000)**
    - Child Protection Act 1999, Queensland (1999 - current)
    - Juvenile Justice Act 1992, Queensland (1992 - current)

### Related Entries

#### Related Organisations

- [St Joseph's Home, Neerkol \(1885 - 1978\)](#)
- [Holy Cross Retreat \(13 October 1889 - 1978\)](#)
- [Tufnell Home \(1901 - 1993\)](#)

Tufnell Home was licensed under the Children's Services Act in 1966.
- [Enoggera Boys' Home \(1906 - 1978\)](#)
- [Children's Court of Queensland \(1907 - current\)](#)
- [Home Secretary's Office, State Children Department, State Government of Queensland \(1 December 1911 - 5 December 1935\)](#)
- [St George's Homes, Rockhampton \(1922 - 1979\)](#)

- [Margaret Marr Memorial Home for Boys \(1924 - 1973\)](#)  
Margaret Marr Memorial Home for Boys was licensed under the *Children's Services Act 1965* on 4 August 1966.
- [Riverview Training Farm \(1926 - 1956\)](#)
- [St Vincent's Home for Children \(1935 - 1971\)](#)
- [Silky Oaks Haven for Children \(1940 - current\)](#)
- [Tufnell Toddlers' Home \(1947 - c. 1975\)](#)
- [Redcliffe Home, Goodwood \(1955 - c. 1990\)](#)
- [Harrison Cottage Family Group Home \(1960 - 1981\)](#)
- [Kalimna Vocational Centre for Girls \(1962 - 1977\)](#)  
The Kalimna Vocational Centre was licensed under the *Children's Services Act 1965* on 4 August 1966.
- [Horton House \(1963 - 1976\)](#)  
Horton House was licensed under the *Children Services Act 1965* on 4 August 1966.
- [Labour and Industry Department, State Children Department, State Government of Queensland \(26 September 1963 - 1 August 1966\)](#)
- [Holland Park Family Group Home \(April 1964 - 2001?\)](#)
- [Carramar Children's Home \(1964 - 1967\)](#)
- [Children's Services Department, State Government of Queensland \(1 August 1966 - 6 June 1987\)](#)
- [Jellicoe Street Family Group Home \(1967 - 1994\)](#)
- [Mackay Family Group Home \(1976 - 2000?\)](#)
- [Granada Hostel \(18 August 1979 - 1 December 1985\)](#)
- [Gundinah Group Home \(3 September 1979 - 3 February 1987\)](#)

#### Is amended by

- [Adoption of Children Act 1964, Queensland \(1965 - 2010\)](#)  
Date: 1964 - 1965
- [Children's Services Act Amendment Act 1970, Queensland \(1970 - 1995\)](#)  
Date: 1970 - 1995
- [Children's Services Act Amendment Act 1971, Queensland \(1971 - 1995\)](#)  
Date: 1971 - 1995
- [Children's Services Act Amendment Act 1973, Queensland \(1973 - 1995\)](#)  
Date: 1973 - 1995
- [Age of Majority Act 1974, Queensland \(1974 - 1995\)](#)  
Date: 1974 - 1995
- [Status of Children Act 1978, Queensland \(1978 - current\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - 2000
- [Children's Services Act Amendment Act 1979, Queensland \(1979 - 1995\)](#)  
Date: 1979 - 1995
- [Family Services Act 1987, Queensland \(1987 - current\)](#)  
Date: 1987 - 2000
- [Children's Services Act and Another Act Amendment Act 1989, Queensland \(1989 - 1993\)](#)  
Date: 1989 - 1993

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