

Child Migration – Methodist Children’s Home – Magill SA

1948 – 1955

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The file Child Migration – Methodist Children’s Home, mainly contains correspondence between the Methodist Children’s Homes, the Children’s Welfare and Public Relief Department and the Commonwealth Department of Immigration.

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The letters relate to applications by the Homes for providing care for Child Migrants and correspondence about subsidies and other funding. The file includes reports on the facilities at the Homes and policies in relation to care and aftercare of children. Some documents include the names of Child Migrants, dates of birth and details of their arrival in South Australia.

This file also contains references to the St Vincent De Paul Orphanage at Goodwood which also accepted migrant children.

More info

Organisations in these records

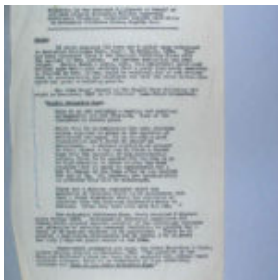
Related Organisations

- [St Vincent de Paul Orphanage \(1866 - 1975\)](#)
- [Methodist Children's Homes \(1924 - 1960\)](#)

Resources

- Coldrey, Barry, [Good British stock: child and youth migration to Australia](#), 1999

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