

# Department of Community Development, Northern Territory Government

1978 – 1987

## Details

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The Department of Community Development took over from the Department of Community and Social Development in 1978. It became responsible for the social welfare, including child welfare, guardianship and adoption. In 1987 this department was combined with Department of Resources and Health to form the Department of Health and Community Services [1]

## More info

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### Chronology

- Department of Community and Social Development, Northern Territory Government (1977 - 1978)
  - **Department of Community Development, Northern Territory Government (1978 – 1987)**
    - Department of Health and Community Services [1], Northern Territory Government (1987 - 1995)

### Related Entries

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- [Her Majesty's Gaol and Labour Prison, Alice Springs \(1938 - 1996\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - 1984
- [Dundas House \(1961 - 1979?\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - 1979?
- [Tambling House Family Home \(1976 - 1978\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - ?
- [Chapman Road Remand Home \(1976? - 1979\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - 1979
- [Giles House Juvenile Detention and Training Centre \(1978 - 1991\)](#)  
Date: 1978 - 1986
- [Malak House Remand and Assessment Centre \(1979 - 1987\)](#)  
Date: 1979 - 1986
- [Darwin Correctional Centre, Berrimah \(1979 - 2014\)](#)  
Date: 1979 - 1984

### Other Resources



**Title:** Community Department with many jobs

**Type:** Image

**Date:** 1980

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## Records

### Records

- [Correspondence files relating to social development with "SD" prefix, Northern Territory Social Development Branch and successors \(1974 - 1980\)](#)
- [Children's Registers \(1951 - 1999\)](#)

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