

# Administration Files – South West District Office [S.D. Sequence]

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### **Details**

Administration Files – South West District Office [S.D. Sequence] is a series containing records created by the South West Division of the Department of Native Welfare and the Department of Native Affairs. The files are concerned with education, health, housing, employment, missions and reserves, and staffing. Gnowangerup, Narrogin, Collie, Katanning, Kojonup, Broomehill, Dumbleyung, Tambellup and Borden are included in this district.

#### Access

The majority of the records in this series have restricted access in order to protect personal privacy, however there are some records in this series with open access. For access to restricted records, please contact the Aboriginal History Research Services. Open access records can be ordered directly from the State Records Office of Western Australia.

#### Records

This series contains a number of records relating to missions, hostels, and training farms. These records include reports, registers of people living in missions, admission and discharge records, and general administrative or unspecified records. This series also includes correspondence between the Department of Native Welfare/Native Affairs and the Child Welfare Department, including reports on Wards of the State by district.

The below document contains a list of items in this series that may be of relevance to Care Leavers. The items are arranged by the Home/Institution or theme that they refer to.

## More info

#### Organisations in these records

#### **Related Organisations**

- Gnowangerup Mission (1926 1973)
- Child Welfare Department, State of Western Australia (22 December 1927 15 June 1972)
- Department of Native Affairs, State of Western Australia (1936 1954)
- Roelands Native Mission Farm (1938 1975)
- Wandering Mission (1944 1979)
- Alvan House (1950 1961)
- Mogumber (1951 1974)
- Marribank (1952 1988)
- McDonald House (1952 1985?)
- Wongutha Mission Training Farm (1954 1993)
- Department of Native Welfare, State of Western Australia (1955 1972)
- Lake Grace Farm Training School (1964? 1972?)
- Fairhaven Hostel (1965 1987)
- Australian Aboriginal Evangelical Mission Hostel (1966 1980?)
- Gnowangerup Agricultural College (1966 2005)
- Albany Boys' Hostel (c. 1970 1978)
- Vailima Hostel (1971? 1977)

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