

**CHILD SAFE STANDARDS DEVELOPED BY THE ROYAL COMMISSION INTO
INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSES TO CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE**

STANDARD 1 CHILD SAFETY IS EMBEDDED IN INSTITUTIONAL LEADERSHIP, GOVERNANCE AND CULTURE.

STANDARD 2 CHILDREN PARTICIPATE IN DECISIONS AFFECTING THEM AND ARE TAKEN SERIOUSLY.

STANDARD 3 FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES ARE INFORMED AND INVOLVED.

STANDARD 4 EQUITY IS UPHELD AND DIVERSE NEEDS ARE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT.

STANDARD 5 PEOPLE WORKING WITH CHILDREN ARE SUITABLE AND SUPPORTED.

STANDARD 6 PROCESSES TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINTS OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE ARE CHILD FOCUSED.

STANDARD 7 STAFF ARE EQUIPPED WITH THE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND AWARENESS TO KEEP CHILDREN SAFE THROUGH CONTINUAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING.

STANDARD 8 PHYSICAL AND ONLINE ENVIRONMENTS MINIMISE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR ABUSE TO OCCUR.

STANDARD 9 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CHILD SAFE STANDARDS IS CONTINUOUSLY REVIEWED AND IMPROVED.

STANDARD 10 POLICIES AND PROCEDURES DOCUMENT HOW THE INSTITUTION IS CHILD SAFE.