



About Us

PeakCare Queensland is the peak body for child protection in this state.

We are a membership based not-for-profit organisation, established in 1999, evolving from the Child and Family Welfare Association of Queensland (CAFWAQ) and previously the Board of Governing Authorities for residential care.

Our Vision

Healthy and safe children, young people, families and communities who are strong and connected.

Our Mission

PeakCare works in partnership to pursue excellence in policy development, planning and implementation and delivery of services to promote the safety and well being of children, young people and their families.

Reconciliation

We are committed to reconciliation through listening to, acknowledging, respecting, understanding, consulting and partnering with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander stakeholders, to build and maintain strong families and communities.

Our Goals

- To promote a robust integrated, sustainable service system
- To initiate a social movement around child protection
- To be sustainable
- To take a vibrant leadership role in the sector

Our partners

We work in partnership with key stakeholders to build capacity across the child protection and family support service delivery system across Queensland – such as other peak bodies, organisations, government, and our members.

Our members are agencies and services throughout Queensland which provide a range of child protection services.

We welcome professionals and community members who are concerned about the welfare of vulnerable children and their families. These may be childcare workers, Police, educators or health professionals.



Our Services

PeakCare is committed to providing services relating to child protection & child and family wellbeing. These include:

- Advice & information
- Advocacy for children, families and a strong service system
- Policy and research
- Education, professional development & training
- Sector development focused on the inclusion of services that may not identify child protection as their core business, yet provide support and services to vulnerable children and their families

We promote evidence-based approaches to policy and practice to ensure quality services for children and their families.

All PeakCare Queensland activity is underpinned by reference to the following:

- PeakCare Queensland policy framework
- Queensland Compact
- National child protection framework
- UN Convention on the Rights of the Child

Funding

PeakCare is a not-for-profit organisation funded primarily through the Queensland Government Department of Communities (Child Safety Services), which provides recurrent funding and resources. Membership fees also assist in delivering objectives.

More information

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