# Child Safety Department, State Government of Queensland

12 February 2004 – 26 March 2009

## **Details**

The Child Safety Department was created in February 2004 when the Families Department (including the Child Protection Branch) was abolished and its functions transferred to two newly-created departments: Communities Department, and Child Safety Department.

On 26 March 2009 the Child Safety Department (Child Protection Services) was abolished and its functions transferred to the Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services.

#### More info

#### Chronology

- Family Services Department, State Government of Queensland (14 December 1987 7 December 1989)
  - Family Services and Aboriginal and Islander Affairs Department, State Government of Queensland (7 December 1989 - 25 January 1996)
    - Department of Family and Community Services, State Government of Queensland (25 January 1996 26 February 1996)
      - Department of Families, Youth and Community Care, State Government of Queensland (26 February 1996 - 22 February 2001)
        - Department of Families, State Government of Queensland (17 February 2001 12 February 2004)
  - Child Safety Department, State Government of Queensland (12 February 2004 26 March 2009)
    - Communities Department, State Government of Queensland (12 February 2004 3 April 2012)
      - Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services Department, State Government of Queensland (3 April 2012 - 12 December 2017)
        - Department of Child Safety, Youth and Women, State Government of Queensland (12 December 2017 - 12 November 2020)
          - Department of Children, Youth Justice and Multicultural Affairs, State Government of Queensland (2020 - 2023)
            - Department of Child Safety, Seniors and Disability Services, State Government of Queensland (2023 - 2024)

#### **Related Entries**

#### Ran

Brisbane Youth Detention Centre (July 2001 - current)

### Resources

- Protecting Children: An Inquiry into Abuse of Children in Foster Care in Queensland, January 2004
- Child Safety Department (Agency ID 10722), Queensland State Archives website, No date

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