

# Office of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy, State Government of Queensland

1996 - 1998

## Details

The Office of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy was created on 22 February 1996. It was previously known as the Family Services and Aboriginal and Islander Affairs Division of the Families, Youth and Community Care Department. The aim of this office was to improve the physical, social and economic well-being of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. In 1998, the Office was amalgamated with the Community and Personal Histories Section of various Government departments under the new name of Department of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy and Development.

# More info

#### Chronology

- Labour and Industry Department, State Children Department, State Government of Queensland (26 September 1963 1 August 1966)
  - Children's Services Department, State Government of Queensland (1 August 1966 6 June 1987)
    - Family and Youth Services Department, State Government of Queensland (9 June 1987 14 December 1987)
      - 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)
  - Office of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy, State Government of Queensland (1996 1998)
    - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy and Development Department, State Government of Queensland (1998 - 2001)
      - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Policy Department, State Government of Queensland (2001 2006)
        - 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)

## Records

#### Records

• Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Affairs Records (1880s - current)

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