

# Anglican Health and Welfare Services

1974 – 2003

**Other Names:**

- AHWS
- Anglicare

## Details

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Anglican Health and Welfare Services was an agency established by the Anglican Diocese of Perth in 1974. It aimed to coordinate and manage welfare services in the diocese, including out of home care. It was common for government reports to mention both 'Anglican Health and Welfare Services' and 'Anglicare' as the operator of out of home care programs. After 1992, Anglicare is mentioned as the lead agency. From 2003 Anglican Health and Welfare Services had the legal name Anglicare WA.

## More info

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### Chronology

- **Anglican Health and Welfare Services (1974 – 2003)**
  - Anglicare WA (2003 - current)

### Related Entries

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- [Anglicare Emergency Foster Care Scheme \(1989 - 1992\)](#)
- [Anglicare Homesharers \(1982 - 1992\)](#)

Anglicare's 'Emergency Foster Care Scheme' ran concurrently with the Homesharers scheme.  
Date: 1988 - 1992
- [Anglicare Youth House \(1994 - 1995?\)](#)
- [Armada Youth Accommodation Service \(1989 - 2002\)](#)

Date: 2002 -
- [Yes! Housing \(1997 - current\)](#)
- [Chesterfield House, Rockingham Youth External Accommodation Project \(1983 - current\)](#)

Date: 1997 -
- [Carlisle Group House \(1976 - 1994?\)](#)
- [Anglicare Teenshare \(1991 - 2010\)](#)

#### Related Organisations

- [Anglican Diocese of Perth \(1856 - current\)](#)
  - [Communicare \(1977 - current\)](#)

Communicare relinquished its foster care program in 1991 and Anglicare took over its service area, with a focus on teenagers.
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