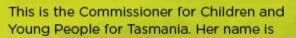
The Commissioner for Children and Young People wants to know...

WHAT'S GOING ON IN OUT-OF-HOME CARE?





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The Commissioner has started an important project to look at what's going on for young people who are in out-of-home care in Tasmania. This project will go for at least three years from July 2018. It is called the Out-of-Home Care Monitoring Program.





THE COMMISSIONER

is independent from the Government and the Child Safety Service. She will listen to what you have to say about things in out-of-home care that affect you — and will take what you say seriously.



THE COMMISSIONER CARES ABOUT WHAT HAPPENS TO YOU IN OUT-OF-HOME CARE.

The Commissioner is interested to know what is working well in out-of-home care in Tasmania — and what can be improved.

The Commissioner's work is child-centred—this means that the Commissioner always remembers that the rights and interests of young people are important.





WHAT IF
I HAVE A
PROBLEM
IN OUT-OFHOME CARE?

The Child Advocate in the Department of Communities Tasmania can help you to sort out problems you're having in out-of-home care — and make sure you have a say about what happens to you.

Contact the Child Advocate:

Mobile: 0419 970 181 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm)

Office: (03) 6165 6945 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm)

Free call: 1800 549 725 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm)

Email: child.advocate@communities.tas.gov.au



BE LISTENED TO



STAY IN TOUCH WITH PEOPLE WHO MATTER TO YOU

REGULAR CONTACT WITH YOUR WORKER

IDENTIFY WITH YOUR CULTURE, COMMUNITY AND RELIGION





BE SAFE & FEEL SAFE

HAVE YOUR PRIVACY RESPECTED

GAIN EDUCATION & LIFE SKILLS



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Phone: (03) 6166 1366 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm) Email: childcomm@childcomm.tas.gov.au

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