



Useful links



The Australian Human Rights Commission is an independent statutory organisation, established by an act of Federal Parliament. We protect and promote human rights in Australia and internationally.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/>

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work>

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Gender Equality

Women experience inequality in many areas of their lives. At work, women face a gender ‘pay gap’ and barriers to leadership roles. Many encounter reduced employment opportunities because of the time they give to family and caring responsibilities.

Sexual harassment and gender-based violence also threaten women’s basic right to feel safe and respected at work, in public, in places of study and at home.

Organisations can play an important role to promote gender equality.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/quick-guide/12038>

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Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Justice

All of us can play a part in making sure that every Australian – Indigenous and non-Indigenous – has the opportunities and choices they need to lead full and healthy lives.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-social-justice>

Age Discrimination

Young, old and everyone in between – Australians of all ages have the right to be treated fairly and to enjoy the same opportunities as others.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/age-discrimination>

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Children's Rights

Help us make sure that children and young people have a genuine say on the issues that affect their lives.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/childrens-rights>

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Disability Rights

Join us in promoting the rights of people with disabilities and building a more accessible, more inclusive community.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/disability-rights>

Race Discrimination

Join us in building communities where people of all cultures and backgrounds feel safe, respected and included.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/race-discrimination>

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Sex Discrimination

Join us in promoting gender equality, removing discrimination and harassment and building a fairer, more productive future.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/sex-discrimination>

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Asylum Seekers and Refugees

Australia has obligations to protect the human rights of all asylum seekers who arrive in Australia

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/asylum-seekers-and-refugees>



Rights and Freedoms

Human rights are about recognising and respecting the inherent value and dignity of all people.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/rights-and-freedoms>

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LGBTI

Every person has inherent dignity and value. Human rights help us to recognise and respect this in ourselves and in each other.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/lgbti>

Business and Human Rights

Every business has a responsibility to respect human rights, regardless of their size or location.

<https://humanrights.gov.au/our-work/business-and-human-rights>

