

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

AASW	Australian Association of Social Workers
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
AFCA	Australian Foster Care Association
AFVPLS Vic	Aboriginal Family Violence Prevention and Legal Service Victoria
AHRC	Australian Human Rights Commission
AIFS	Australian Institute of Family Studies
AIHW	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
ALS	Aboriginal Legal Service
AMA	Australian Medical Association
ATSILS Qld	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Legal Service (Qld) Ltd.
Blue Care	Blue Care Multicultural Services
CALD	culturally and linguistically diverse
Census	Census of Population and Housing
Centre for Excellence	Centre for Excellence in Child and Family Welfare Inc.
COAG	Council of Australian Governments
committee	Senate Community Affairs References Committee
COTA	COTA Australia
Council	Family Law Council
Department	Department of Human Services
Federal Circuit Court	Federal Circuit Court of Australia
Framework	National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children 2009-2020
FRSA	Family and Relationship Services Australia

Gosnells	Gosnells Community Legal Centre Inc.
GRG WA	Grandparents Rearing Grandchildren WA (Inc.)
ICT	information and communication technologies
LAC	Legal Aid Commission
LCA	Law Council of Australia
NAAJA	North Australian Aboriginal Justice Agency
NATSEM	National Centre for Social and Economic Modelling
NDIS	National Disability Insurance Scheme
NLA	National Legal Aid
Principle	Aboriginal Child Placement Principle
Shoalcoast CLC	Shoalcoast Community Legal Centre Inc.
SNAICC	Secretariat of National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Child Care
SPRC	Social Policy Research Centre
TARS	The Aged-care Rights Service Inc.
TSA	The Salvation Army
WA Commissioner	Commissioner for Children and Young People, Western Australia
Victorian Commission	Victorian Commission for Children and Young People
VCOSS	Victorian Council of Social Service
Wanslea	Wanslea Family Services Inc.
Winangay	Winangay Resources Inc.
WLS NSW	Women's Legal Services NSW