



## How we work:

UnitingCare Australia represents a collaborative network that gives greater expression to a church that cares and works together for justice.

Our network is an integrated structure cognisant of diversity, but committed to collaboration and creative change.

We work with others for a unified public voice to defend justice, the need for good governance, and investment in the common good.



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# UnitingCare Australia

*Towards a healed and reconciled  
world in which all people thrive*

**UnitingCare Australia** is the national body for the Uniting Church's community services network and an agency of the Assembly of the Uniting Church in Australia



We give voice to the Uniting Church's commitment to social justice through advocacy and by strengthening community service provision

We are the largest network of social service providers in Australia supporting 1.4 million people every year across urban, rural and remote communities.



**50,000 staff**



**30,000 volunteers**



**1,600 sites**



**1.4m people**

We focus on articulating and meeting the needs of people at all stages of life and those that are most vulnerable.

### Our guiding principles:

Our work is guided by the following principles:

- all people in Australia are to be treated justly, accorded dignity and have their basic rights protected
- Australian society must be guided by a commitment to justice and full participation by its citizens across all domains of life, recognising those most disadvantaged and marginalised and the unique place of our First Peoples
- decision making on national policy must operate in a truly democratic way involving and empowering the greatest number of people through working cooperatively and ecumenically
- the Church, as part of society, must devote itself to worship, witness and service to give greater expression to God's love for the world and the Church as a loving agency that cares and works together for justice.

### Our values:



Hope



Respect



Justice



Compassion



Integrity



Innovation

### Our strategic priorities:

A just and fair society

Accessible and effective service systems for all

Action informed by sound evidence, research and innovation

Uniting together

Strong leaders, good stewards