

## TAS Support Services

Service	Function	Contact
<b>VICTIMS SUPPORT SERVICES</b>	Provides a range of information and support services.	1300 300 238 <a href="http://www.justice.tas.gov.au/victims">www.justice.tas.gov.au/victims</a>
<b>CENTRE AGAINST SEXUAL ASSAULT</b>	Free and confidential services to men, women and children who have been affected by sexual assault or rape at some time in their lives. Services the West and North West Coast. Counselling rooms in Burnie and Devonport.	(03) 6431 9711 <a href="http://www.dhhs.tas.gov.au/service_information/services_files/centre_against_sexual_assault_casa">www.dhhs.tas.gov.au/service_information/services_files/centre_against_sexual_assault_casa</a>
<b>SEXUAL ASSAULT SUPPORT SERVICES INC</b>	24 hour community based service committed to providing high quality support and information services to survivors of sexual assault in South Tasmania (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	(03) 6231 1817 <a href="http://www.sass.org.au/">www.sass.org.au/</a>
<b>LAUREL HOUSE</b>	Free and confidential services to men, women and children who have been affected by sexual assault or rape at some time in their lives. Services North and North West Tasmania.	(03) 6334 2740 (North) 0409 800 394 (North – after hours) (03) 6431 9711 (North West – 24/hr) <a href="http://laurelhouse.org.au/">http://laurelhouse.org.au/</a>
<b>RELATIONSHIPS AUSTRALIA TASMANIA</b>	Delivers a wide range of services from three main office locations: <a href="#">Hobart</a> , <a href="#">Launceston</a> and <a href="#">Devonport</a> with counselling, education and some services also available by appointment in regional locations (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1300 364 277 (03) 6279 5000 <a href="http://www.relationships.org.au/">www.relationships.org.au/</a>
<b>TASMANIAN ABORIGINAL CENTRE</b>	Provides a range of services for the Aboriginal Community, including a health service, a legal service, and counselling.  Provides support for Aboriginal Community members who would like information and advice about the Royal Commission and I to	Hobart - 6234 0700 <a href="mailto:hobart@tacinc.com.au">hobart@tacinc.com.au</a>  Launceston - 6332 3800 <a href="mailto:launceston@tacinc.com.au">launceston@tacinc.com.au</a>

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	Speak to someone about support options. Contact person: Ruth Langford.	Burnie - 6431 3289 <a href="mailto:burnie@tacinc.com.au">burnie@tacinc.com.au</a>
<b>1800 RESPECT</b>	24-hour sexual assault and domestic violence support (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1800 737 732 <a href="http://www.1800respect.org.au">www.1800respect.org.au</a>
<b>ADULTS SURVIVING CHILD ABUSE (ASCA)</b>	ASCA is the peak national body for adults with complex trauma including child sexual abuse. Services for survivors include workshops and counselling through a Professional Support Line which runs 9am-5pm, 7 days. ASCA holds a database of trauma specialists and can provide referrals to trauma-informed counsellors (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1300 657 380 <a href="http://www.asca.org.au">www.asca.org.au</a>
<b>BRAVEHEARTS</b>	Counselling for survivors (face to face in Qld only), training and child protection advocacy (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1800 272 831 <a href="http://www.bravehearts.org.au/">www.bravehearts.org.au/</a>
<b>CARE LEAVERS AUSTRALIA NETWORK (CLAN)</b>	Support, counselling and advocacy for care leavers and their families (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1800 008 774 <a href="http://www.clan.org.au/">www.clan.org.au/</a>
<b>TZEDEK</b>	Information, advocacy and referral service for Jewish survivors of child sexual abuse. (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1300 893 335 <a href="mailto:info@tzedeck.org.au">info@tzedeck.org.au</a> <a href="http://www.tzedeck.org.au/">www.tzedeck.org.au/</a>
<b>IN GOOD FAITH AND ASSOCIATES</b>	Provide advocacy, justice and healing for survivors of clergy and religious abuse. (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	03 9326 5991 <a href="http://www.igfa.com.au/">http://www.igfa.com.au/</a>
<b>PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY AUSTRALIA</b>	A national telephone line to provide information and referrals to people with disabilities. (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1800 422 015 <a href="http://www.pwd.org.au/">http://www.pwd.org.au/</a>

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<b>CHILDREN WITH DISABILITY AUSTRALIA</b>	Provides information, referrals, and education to people with disabilities. (DSS funded for Royal Commission work).	1800 222 660 03 9428 1130 <a href="http://www.cda.org.au/">http://www.cda.org.au/</a>
<b>SEXUAL ASSAULT COUNSELLING AUSTRALIA</b>	Sexual Assault Counselling Australia is a national counselling service for anyone who is involved in or considering participating in the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse.  The telephone service is available from 8am to 11pm AEDT Monday to Friday.	1800 211 028 <a href="http://royalcommissioncounselling.org.au/">http://royalcommissioncounselling.org.au/</a>

## Contact knowmore

**knowmore** is an independent legal service giving free legal assistance to people who are considering telling their story or providing information to the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse.

Free advice line 1800 605 762

[www.knowmore.org.au](http://www.knowmore.org.au)

Email [info@knowmore.org.au](mailto:info@knowmore.org.au)

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## See our 'Taking Care of You' resource sheets:

- Common Experiences
- Self-Care
- Telling Your Story & Managing Distress
- For Families, Partners & Friends
- For Workers

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