

RWVP News



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Welcome to the August edition of our newsletter. We'll answer some of your most frequently asked questions and share more new resources with you (hint: you can watch them!).

You may have seen working with children checks in the news recently. Attorneys-General from all Australian states and territories have agreed to take action to deliver a more consistent, national approach and fix systemic gaps in working with children checks, to help keep children safe across Australia.

Tasmania's Registration to Work with Vulnerable People (RWVP) Scheme already has robust checks in place. In this newsletter, we explain one of the key safeguards we have in Tasmania: continuous monitoring. And we'll keep you informed as the work at a national level progresses and how any changes may affect you.

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Continuous monitoring explained

In Tasmania, once you have a RWVP, you will be monitored throughout your registration for any new information about your conduct. This is aided by Tasmania Police, Child Safety Services, and others who share information with the RWVP Scheme about the reportable behaviour of individuals.

Some information will trigger a new risk assessment. You will be notified in writing if this is required, and you may be asked for additional information or have your RWVP suspended or cancelled.

[Learn more about our risk assessment process.](#)

What ID documents do you need for your RWVP?



Organising your ID documents

Before you sit down to apply for or renew your RWVP, gather your proof of identity documents in front of you to make the process a breeze.

Then when you head to Service Tas to complete the process and get your photo taken — don't forget to take those same proof of identity documents with you!

Our website details the type of documents you must have. They can be original or certified documents.

[Find out what proof of ID documents you need.](#)



What is a regulated activity? Do you need a RWVP?

If you're working and volunteering in a role that requires a RWVP, then we have new fact sheets to help you. This includes one for employers, because employers have RWVP obligations too!

Whether you're a bus or taxi driver, a school crossing patrol officer, or a driving instructor, our new transport services sector guide explains how RWVP applies to you. We also have new sector guides for:

- religious services and activities
- clubs and associations

- coaching and tuition for children
- children's party and entertainment businesses.

We're also creating animated videos that really bring RWVP requirements to life! Watch these to find out who needs a RWVP, what a RWVP is for, and how a RWVP differs to other checks.

If you're an employer, we encourage you to read and share these resources with your workers, volunteers and other stakeholders, so they understand the importance of their RWVP.

PS: We've got more resources coming soon: animated videos on offences, guides for sporting clubs, fact sheets on exemptions, and more.

[Read — and watch! — our new resources.](#)



Take our employer portal survey

If you've already completed our employer portal survey — thank you! Your feedback is helping us understand your experience and build a new portal that meets your needs.

No matter the size of your organisation or the sector you work in, your feedback (good or bad!) is valuable to us. So, if you haven't yet...

Please take our employer portal survey now!

If you're new to the RWVP Scheme...

- Catch up with all our newsletter updates.
- Learn about the RWVP Scheme.
- Encourage others in your team or community to sign up for future news!



Our mission

To deliver a robust Registration to Work with Vulnerable People Scheme as an important means of safeguarding children and vulnerable adults.

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