

Have *your* say! Get *heard*!

If you are a child or young person in care, the Advocate for Children in Care is just for you.

Who or what is the Advocate for Children in Care?

Judy Garsed is the Advocate, and is available to talk with you by phone or email, or to meet with you - whatever you prefer.

You can bring someone you trust with you if you want to, and if you need an interpreter, it can be arranged.

How can the Advocate for Children in care help me?

She can help you sort out complaints or problems, and make sure you have a say in decisions that affect your life.

These might be about:

- your placement
- contact arrangements
- your education
- health or finances
- your DCD case manager
- anything that is important to you.

How do I contact the Advocate for Children in Care?

During office hours:

Telephone 9222 2518

Freecall 1800 460 696 (excl. mobiles).

Out of hours:

Leave a message or text
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Email:

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Write to:

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