



## ***Latest news and research:***

- *Growing them strong...* Report focuses on improving the system. NT Gov: [More](#)
- National Carers Week 17 - 23 Oct. Carers Aust: [More](#)
- National Childrens Week 23 - 31 Oct. CWCoA: [More](#)
- Happy healthy women, not just survivors of sexual abuse. AWC: [More](#)
- Importance of fathers in child & family services. AIFS: [More](#)
- Ethics in public policy. E-book launch. ANU: [More](#)
- Children to move out of immigration detention. AHRC: [More](#)
- Inconclusive result - community visitor study. SA GYCP: [More](#)
- Decision Tree, taking back responsibility for health. ABC: [More](#)
- Survey, effectiveness for ATSI families & workers. RCN: [More](#)
- Aboriginal children's self publishing workshop. SNAICC: [More](#)
- Expressive language helps toddlers. MSU: [More](#)

## ***News from Families Australia***

- CEO speech to Australian College of Child &

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Families Australia is a national, independent, not-for-profit, peak organisation which promotes the needs and interests of families at the national level.

This monthly newsletter covers a range of issues affecting families and children across the country, including an opportunity to participate in research on the effectiveness of the Raising Children Network website for Indigenous families and workers and the latest reports on child protection and out-of-home care.

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## **Other FA news**

Alliance for Forgotten Australians Booklet 2nd edition out now. Contact the Secretariat for paper copies (P: 02 6273 4885). Also available on-line. [More](#)

Annual Oration 2010 deferred until early 2011. More news when a date is confirmed.

Family Protection Practitioners Conference,  
October 2010 on National Framework for  
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