



# NATIONAL *Family* NEWS



Think Families, Strengthen Families, Celebrate Families

## ***Thought leader interview:***

***This month, Sharron Williams, CEO, Aboriginal Family Support Service, SA, calls for improving culturally safe mental health diagnosis and support programs. View [video Here](#)***



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

- Improving online safety for children. AIFS: [More](#)
- Economic prosperity has not improved children's health and wellbeing. ARACY: [More](#)
- Mental health and youth suicide now firmly on the national health agenda.

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### **Other FA news**

Alliance for Forgotten Australians  
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- Call for human rights education in schools. AHRC: [More](#)
- Help for new parent relationships. AFRC: [More](#)
- Specific peer support training makes a difference. MHCNZ: [More](#)
- Resources for families living with mental illness. COPMI: [More](#)
- Tasmania launches plan to improve outcomes for children and young people.

TASGOV: [More](#)

- Stories from the Census. ABS: [More](#)
- Transitioning from care - report card 2011. CREATE: [More](#)
- Reducing adolescent social and psychological morbidity. PMCSA: [More](#)

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