

## **YULU-BURRI-BA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH**

*The Yulu-Burri-Ba Aboriginal Corporation for Community Health (Yulu-Burri-Ba) is responsible for providing a safe, friendly, confidential and culturally appropriate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander primary health care service in line with community needs and consistent with relevant National and State Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health frameworks.*

### **OUR VISION**

*We empower our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and community to achieve excellence in their healthcare outcomes.*

## **Where to find us**

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for Community Health

## **Kinship & Foster Care Program**

***Foster Carers are everyday people who want  
to make a difference in a child's life***

A Kinship and Foster Care program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Carers in the Bayside and surrounding areas

Kinship Care is the nurturing and protection of children by relatives or any adult who has a kinship bond with the child.





## What do we do?

The Yulu-Burri-Ba Kinship & Foster Care Program recruits, trains, assesses and supports Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander carers.

Our aim is to place Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander children with appropriate carers ensuring they remain connected with their cultural identity and retain relationships with their families and community.

Provide support for the care of children and young people  
Direct worker support in the home

Emotional support

Practical support

Help you explore training options

Understand your child's development and needs

Regular check-ins with you to maintain care arrangements

Support in understanding the use of the Kinship & Foster Carer Connect app.

## How to become a carer

The Yulu-Burri-Ba Kinship and Foster Care workers are committed to the welfare of children and acknowledge that becoming a recognised carer can be a tough process.

If you want to become a carer and help our children, we can help you navigate the process and equip you to be prepared

We will be part of your team and will provide support and guidance through your journey to becoming a carer. Contact one of our friendly team to find out more!

## What is the role of a carer?

- Kinship & Foster Carers provide a home and loving care to children who are unable to live at home with their family as they are at risk of harm.
- You will be the helping hands that supports, guides and prepares the child to return home.
- Carers work with the Kinship & Foster Care officers, Department of Child Safety, Health professionals and in some cases, the child's family.



## We are keeping our mob connected...

by partnering with Child Safety and SE Region Placement Services Unit to identify long-term Kinship placements for children and young people in residential care.

## Interested?... What are the next steps?

Contact a Kinship & Foster Care officer at Yulu-Burri-Ba and we'll gladly meet to discuss your options!

