

“COVID, AUSTRALIA AND THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD”

FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER, 12:00 – 1:00PM AEDT

THE WEBINAR

This webinar is the second in a series bringing together practitioners and academic experts to develop greater knowledge and understanding of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC), and its relevance to Australia’s children.

This webinar with new National Children’s Rights Commissioner **Anne Hollonds**, and DTP alumna **Sue-Anne Hunter** of SNAICC will focus on the impact of government policies and actions on the rights of children during the Covid-19 pandemic.

Children and young people have raised five major concerns to a consultation organized by the Human Rights Commission from January to April. The webinar will link these concerns to recommendations of the CRC Committee to Australia and show how the CRC and action on the recommendations would have addressed some of the concerns expressed by children and young people.

SPEAKERS



Anne Hollonds,
National Child Rights
Commissioner



Sue-Anne Hunter
National Sector Development
Manager, SNAICC

MODERATED BY

Faith Gordon, Senior Lecturer ANU, Director of the International Youth Justice Network

Noam Peleg, Senior Lecturer UNSW, Review Editor, The International Journal of Children's Rights

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

All welcome. The webinar will be of particular interest to:

- NGOs
- State and territory government officials interested in how to implement the CRC
- Indigenous rights advocates
- Children’s rights commissioners and staff
- Social and children’s services providers and practitioners
- Students and members of the public

NOTE: At least half an hour will be allocated for questions and answers, and comments

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