



New South Wales

# Community Services Accreditation Order 2015

under the

Children and Young Persons (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 2000

I, the Children's Guardian, in pursuance of clause 22AA of the Children and Young Persons (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 2000, make the following Order.

Dated, this 21 day of July 2015.

KERRY N BOLAND,  
Children's Guardian

## Explanatory note

Clause 22AA(2) of the Children and Young Persons (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 2000 provides that accreditation of Community Services as a designated agency under the *Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998* (the *Act*) and the regulations made under that Act ceases to have effect on the following date:

- (a) 31 July 2015,
- (b) if a later date is determined by the Children's Guardian by order published on the NSW legislation website – that date.

The object of this Order is to extend the accreditation of Community Services as a designated agency to 31 July 2016. The Children's Guardian is of the opinion that, as a result of changes or proposed changes to the administration of out-of-home care under the *Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998*, it is appropriate for the accreditation to continue in effect until that date.

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### **1 Name of Order**

This Order is the *Community Services Accreditation Order 2015*.

### **2 Commencement**

This Order commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

### **3 Extension of accreditation of Community Services**

(1) Pursuant to clause 22AA(2)(b) of the Children and Young Persons (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 2000 (the **Regulation**), the accreditation of Community Services under clause 22AA of the Regulation ceases to have effect on 31 July 2016.

(2) In this clause:

*Community Services* means the division of Community Services in the NSW Department of Family and Community Services.