

# South Coast Home Modification and Maintenance Service Ltd trading as Scope Home Access

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## Child Safe Statement of Compliance

<b>Program:</b>	Commonwealth Home Support Program (CHSP)
<b>Service Types:</b>	Allied Health and Therapy Services, Home Adjustments, Home Maintenance and Repairs
<b>Reporting Requirement:</b>	Child Safe – G8A

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## Statement of Commitment

Scope Home Access is committed to the safety, wellbeing, and protection of all children and young people who may come into contact with our services. We recognise our responsibility to provide a child-safe environment and to take all reasonable steps to prevent harm, abuse, neglect, or exploitation of children.

This commitment applies to all staff, contractors, volunteers, students, and third-party service providers engaged by the organisation.

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## Compliance Declaration

Scope Home Access confirms that it has complied with all Child Safe requirements as set out under:

- The Commonwealth Child Safe Framework
  - The National Principles for Child Safe Organisations
  - CHSP Grant Agreement obligations and reporting requirements
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## Child Safe Policies and Procedures

The organisation has maintained and implemented appropriate child-safe policies and procedures, including but not limited to:

- A current child safety policy
- A Code of Conduct
- Clear procedures for identifying, responding to, and reporting concerns about child safety or suspected abuse
- Policies that support mandatory reporting obligations under relevant state and territory legislation

All policies have been reviewed and made accessible to staff and relevant stakeholders.

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## Risk Management and Service Delivery

The organisation has undertaken appropriate risk assessment to ensure child safety within the context of allied health and therapy services, including:

- Identifying situations where children or young people may be present during service delivery
  - Implementing safeguards for home-based, community-based, and clinical service environments
  - Ensuring services are delivered in a manner that upholds dignity, respect, and professional boundaries
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## Workforce Screening and Training

The organisation ensures that:

- All relevant staff, contractors, and volunteers held valid Working With Children Checks (WWCC) or equivalent
  - Child-safe considerations were embedded in recruitment, induction, and supervision processes
  - Staff received appropriate training and guidance relating to child safety, professional boundaries, and reporting obligations
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## Reporting and Response Processes

The organisation has established and maintained clear processes for:

- Raising and responding to concerns or allegations related to child safety
- Reporting incidents to appropriate authorities where required
- Managing concerns in a confidential, timely, and informed manner

No reportable child-related incidents occurred during the reporting period.

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## Continuous Improvement

Scope Home Access undertakes ongoing monitoring and review of its child-safe practices and is committed to continuous improvement, including learning from feedback, changes in legislation, and updates to best-practice guidance.

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## Declaration

I declare that the information provided in this Child Safe Statement of Compliance is true and correct and that Scope Home Access has met its child-safe obligations as stated above.

Authorised Officer Name: Steven Dixon  
Position: CEO  
Date: 31 March 2026

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