

# NATIONAL CATHOLIC SAFEGUARDING STANDARDS

The National Catholic Safeguarding Standards by Catholic Professional Standards Ltd. provide a framework for Catholic Church entities in Australia to build child-safe cultures & advance the safety of children & adults at risk in the Catholic Church in Australia.



## Standard 1

Committed leadership, governance and culture



## Standard 2

Children are safe, informed and participate



## Standard 3

Partnering with families, carers and communities



## Standard 4

Equity is promoted and diversity is respected



## Standard 5

Robust human resource management



## Standard 6

Effective complaints management



## Standard 7

Ongoing education and training



## Standard 8

Safe physical and online environments



## Standard 9

Continuous improvement



## Standard 10

Policies and procedures support child safety