

Have you been in State care in WA?

Then you may be interested in Redress WA

Redress WA seeks to address historical child abuse.

Adults who, as children, were abused in State care including Child Migrants and Stolen Generation children, prior to 1 March 2006 are eligible to apply to **Redress WA**.

The Western Australian State Government deeply regrets that past abuse has taken place.

Those eligible for an *ex gratia* payment will receive an official apology from the State Government.

Support, self-help and consumer advocacy services as well as a public memorial will be funded by Redress WA.

The State Government acknowledges that while abuse was found to have occurred in some Western Australian institutions, foster homes and other residential care settings, this was not necessarily the case with all of these.

The State Government also acknowledges that people had very different experiences in State care and not all were found to be negative.

Redress WA will open for 12 months from 1 May 2008 and applications must be lodged by 30 April 2009.

FURTHER INFORMATION

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