

# Treacher Family Group Home

1965 – 1995

**Other Names:** • Treacher

## Details

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Treacher Family Group Home, in Aspley, opened 3 July 1965. It was run by the Presbyterian Church until June 1977, when management was transferred to the Uniting Church. Children from W.R. Black Home, Chelmer were transferred to Treacher when it opened in 1965. From March 1985, the Home was known as 'Treacher'. It closed in 1995.

Treacher Family Group Home was licensed under the *Children's Services Act* on 5 August 1966.

A publication from 1968 stated that the purpose of Presbyterian family group homes in Queensland was:

*to provide children, bereft of normal family living, with a home environment, controlled by substitute parents. Each home accommodates ten children. Children of all denominations accepted, but they attend Presbyterian worship.*

*The children are classified into normal family units and natural families of brothers and sisters are kept together. They are assimilated into local schools, churches and other community activities (Social Services Queensland, 1968, p.93).*

## More info

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### Related Entries

#### Run by

- [Uniting Church in Australia \(1977 - current\)](#)  
Date: 1977 - 1995
- [Presbyterian Church of Queensland \(1849 - current\)](#)  
Date: 1965 - 1977

#### Related Organisations

- [W. R. Black Home \(24 November 1928 - 1965\)](#)  
When W. R. Black Home closed in 1965, some children were transferred to the Treacher Family Group Home.

## Records

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## Records

- [UnitingCare Queensland Records \(1910 - current\)](#)
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