## Learn more about creating a Child Safe Environment

We are in the process of compiling material to support playgroups to create a child safe environment. Our aim is to provide relevant information so that you feel better equipped to run your group in a safe and considerate manner.

To begin, we recommend you first look at the resources on the **Commission for Children and Young People** webpage. While there is a lot to consider, you may identify things that you are already doing what is recommended. We suggest starting with the these two links first:

Plain language Child Safe Standards resources Steps to develop or update your Code of Conduct

## **Explore Further Resources:**

- A guide for creating a Child Safe Organisation
- Short guide to the Child Safe Standards
- On-demand video: Child Safe Standards
- Child Safe Standards Information Sheet
- Translated Child Safe Standards resources
- Creating a Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy
- Practical guide to choosing, supervising and developing suitable staff and volunteers
- Sample learning or training action plan
- Risk assessment and management templates
- Child Safe Standards self-assessment tool
- Overview of the new Child Safe Standards
- Compare the previous and new Child Safe Standards
- Empowerment and participation guide
- Frequently asked questions
- Online safety and COVID-19
- A guide for creating a child safe organisation tip sheets
- Reviews of Child Safe Standards decisions made by the Commission
- Posters about the Child Safe Standards
- Community of Practice

We will keep your details on hand and when our child safe resources are ready, we will send them to you.

## **Timely Support- The Orange Door**

If you have any concerns now, you can contact The Orange Door which is a statewide service that provides quick and simple access to support for:

- · Adults, children and young people who are experiencing family violence and
- Families who need support with the care and wellbeing of children and young people

People seeking services can call or attend *The Orange Door* in person without a referral.

Professionals can contact *The Orange Door* by phone, email or in person to make referrals or seek information and advice. To find the closest Orange Door to you click here: The Orange Door locations Open between 9am-5pm, Monday- Friday. In case of emergency call 000.







