

## The Children's Access Program

When children or young people live in out of home care, the Children's Court may order access to ensure links with family, community and culture are maintained.

Specialised staff supervise access in a child-friendly environment and work closely with the Department of Human Services.

GordonCare provides supervised access under the auspices of the Child, Youth and Families Act 2005, therefore referrals for the program can only be received through the department.

**What kind of childhood do you want your children to remember?**



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## Services for Separated Parents and their Children

**A range of child-focused services to help parents and children who are going through a difficult period in their lives as a result of separation, divorce or other problems.**



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## GordonCare for Children is committed to caring for children in need...

Our programs aim to help children develop better relationships with their parents and extended family members following separation and divorce.

We provide assistance to parenting orders work and minimise the backlash experienced by children of parents whose relationship has ended

Although the Family Law Courts are the usual source of referral, other courts, legal practitioners and families themselves are welcome to refer.

## Parent Orders Program

The **Parent Orders Program** supports families to move from high levels of conflict to workable, child-focused parenting arrangements.



**We can help you put the pieces back together**

## Parent Orders Program offers:

- Education / support groups for parents
- Groups for children
- Individual sessions for parents
- Individual sessions for children
- Child inclusive mediation
- Child focused case management service
- Integrated link to Children's Contact Services if required

## Service Venues

### Highett

1125 Nepean Hwy,  
Highett Vic 3190

### Frankston

35 Beach St (Cnr Lewis St),  
Frankston Vic 3199

### Boronia

Suite B, 6 Floriston Rd,  
Boronia Vic 3156

### Pakenham

Services Central, 6B Henry St,  
Pakenham Vic 3810

All enquiries, please call 9555 1439

## The Children's Contact Service offers:

- Opportunities for children to spend time with their separated family members in a safe, friendly and neutral environment.
- Venues where children's exposure to conflict is minimised while interacting with family members or during changeover.
- Integrated links with all aspects of the Parent Orders Program.
- Child inclusive practice in which your child can talk to a counsellor or case manager, who will, with his/her permission, provide feedback to you.

## Service Venues

### Frankston

35 Beach St (Cnr Lewis St)  
Frankston Vic 3199  
Ph 9783 5172 Fax 9783 5218

### Cranbourne West

1 Scarborough Avenue  
Cranbourne West Vic 3977  
Ph 5995 9806 Fax 5995 5627

### Mentone (full fee service)

1 Remo St (Cnr Venice St)  
Mentone Vic 3194  
Ph 9584 6777 Fax 9739 8561