

Cairns Early Years Conference 5-6 May 2022 Cairns Convention Centre

"It takes a village to raise a parent"

All Queensland children and families thriving starts with you.

If you want to make a difference in the village.....then this conference is for you.

The Early Years Conference promotes the wellbeing of children and families by advancing collaboration and evidence-based practice; and provides a platform to reflect multiple perspectives to improve early childhood development.

The Early Years Conference takes a cross-sector approach and is relevant for all professionals working with children and families from birth to 12 years including early childhood educators, teachers, healthcare professionals, child protection professionals, family support workers, child and family counsellors, community workers and program managers.

The conference is true cross-agency collaboration success story and a testament to how true partnerships can work to achieve a great start for children and families. Over the years this partnership has grown and now includes:

- Act for Kids
- Department of Children, Youth Justice and Multicultural Affairs
- Department of Education (Early Childhood Education and Care)
- Mission Australia
- Queensland Health
- The Benevolent Society
- The Cairns Institute, James Cook University
- Wuchopperen Health Service Ltd