

# Toda transition to adulthood month

# **Promotional Toolkit**

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# **About T2A Month**

Transition to Adulthood (T2A) Month is held in November each year to highlight the needs of young people in Queensland as they make the journey from out-of-home care to adulthood.

Each year, more than 600 young people across Queensland make the transition from out-of-home care to living independently. This epic journey often involves finding accommodation, seeking employment or furthering their education, building support networks, accessing services, learning to budget and manage finances and banking, sorting out transport needs, locating important documents and much more. Getting this transition process and journey right, sets young people up for success.

While some young people are well supported through this process others make this transition without the support they need. All young people need practical support and advice, access to services and resources, and supportive networks in their journey to adulthood and that is what T2A month is all about!

### The 2023 Theme is Participation

It's all about young people getting actively involved in the decisions impacting their future and having their voices heard, respected and supported.

We want all young people in out-of-home care to know their rights, be informed of new supports available, so they can participate in important decisions affecting their lives and their future.

# How to get involved this T2A Month

#### Host a T2A event

T2A month is an opportunity to celebrate this important journey with young people and to share useful resources and information about services that can support young people while they transition into independent living. The success of T2A Month lies in the creativity and enthusiasm of our sector, organisations and Child Safety Service Centres, so we encourage you to partner together, look for local council grants, and join forces to make this year's events truly remarkable.

For information about T2A events in your region, visit <u>our events page</u>. To register your T2A event please email qld<u>@create.org.au</u>.

#### Have a conversation

Listen to young people's goals, dreams and support needs as they transition to adulthood. Support young people to participate in their transition planning and develop life skills. Make time to talk to young people about services like Next Step Plus, the changes to the Child Protection Act 1999 ensuring their voices are centred throughout their care journey and information about the new Extended Post Care Support Package.

#### **Get Resourced**

There are lots of fantastic T2A resources for young people and workers.

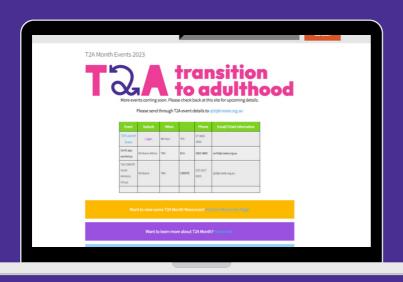
A list of T2A resources are available here at createyourfuture.org.au/t2a

Check out resources like:

- Sortli (a free app for young people transitioning to adulthood)
- Go Your Own Way Kit (a booklet for young people who are on their T2A journey)
- From 1 July 2023, new supports are now available to young people leaving care in Queensland from when they turn 18 up until their 21st birthday through the <u>Extended Post Care Support package</u>.

#### For T2A month resources, <u>head here</u>.

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