

Queensland Wills Week – make your wishes known

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<p>It's Queensland Wills Week – make your wishes known</p> <p>Would your family know what you want and who you'd like to take care of, at a time when you are no longer able to tell them?</p> <p>Whether you have a lot to leave behind or very little, everybody over the age of 18 needs to make sure they have a valid, up-to-date Will and have plans in place for their future care. If you die without a Will (Intestate) your estate may not be distributed the way you would have liked and could add additional burden on those you love.</p>	 A graphic for Wills Week 5-12 September 2020. It features a man and a woman sitting on a log in a field, blowing a dandelion seed. A speech bubble says "Make Your Wishes KNOWN". The text "WILLSWEEK 5 - 12 SEPTEMBER 2020" is at the top.
<p>How do I make a Will??</p> <p>Creating your Will allows you to clearly state your wishes, outlining how you would like your assets distributed, and who you would like these to go to. You can also name who you would like to administer your estate.</p> <p>You can either write your own Will using a Will kit, have your solicitor write your Will or have your will written by the Public Trustee.</p>	<p>Video</p>
<p>Be brave enough to start a conversation that matters!</p> <p>Who will make decisions for you if you can't?</p> <p>A serious illness, disability, or an accident can happen at any time. Losing capacity can be temporary or permanent and doesn't just happen to people who are ageing.</p> <p>An enduring power of attorney, is a plan that sets out who you want to step into your shoes and make financial and personal decisions on your behalf if you can't.</p>	 A graphic for Wills Week 5-12 September 2020. It shows a couple embracing in a field, with a large shadow of a person in the background. The text "WILLS WEEK 5 - 12 SEPTEMBER 2020" is at the bottom right.
<p>Are you getting married or celebrating the birth of a child?</p> <p>It's time to update your Will.</p> <p>A Will should be part of your life journey; as your life changes, your Will should be updated to reflect those changes.</p> <p>An up-to-date Will ensures the most important people in your life are looked after. As a rule, you should change your Will after a significant life event</p>	 A graphic for Wills Week 5-12 September 2020. It shows three people in separate frames: a man with a ring icon labeled "Marriage", a man with a handshake icon labeled "De facto", and a woman with a crossed-out heart icon labeled "Divorce". The text "WILLSWEEK 5 - 12 SEPTEMBER 2020" is at the bottom.