



Annual Report

2020/21

DVCONNECT
Be heard. Be safe.



"After years of being told I was crazy and imagining things, your belief in me helped me realise I wasn't crazy and that I was being abused."

"Thank you DVConnect for helping to get my babies and I to a safe place when we had nowhere else to go."

"I'm so grateful to the Sexual Assault Helpline because you believed me as a male survivor and helped me to start healing."

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OUR Vision

Our vision is for all relationships to be free from domestic, family and sexual violence.

OUR Values

Integrity
Compassion
Accountability
Respect
Empowerment

OUR Purpose

Creating pathways for a life free from violence and fear.

OUR GUIDING Principles

1. Domestic, family and sexual violence is one of the most prevalent, pervasive and serious human rights violations.
2. Everyone has the right to be respected and live without fear from violence.
3. The use of violence is a choice and people need to be held responsible and accountable for their behaviour.
4. We operate from an intersectional feminist framework, acknowledging that domestic and family violence is gender-based violence, predominantly perpetrated by men against women.
5. It is critical that we continue to learn from and include diverse voices of survivors and culturally diverse communities when seeking to prevent violence.
6. We provide inclusive services that are evidence-based and trauma informed.
7. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People know best what their communities need and want.
8. We acknowledge and respect the abilities, strengths, goals and needs of people living with disability.
9. We are committed to working collaboratively as part of a broader system.
10. Our governance will be robust, ethical and transparent.

OUR Strategies

Impact

Influence

Strength

Courage

Growth



Message from Shaan

BOARD CHAIR

Imagine a world where women were treated as, considered to be and celebrated as equals. That's a world I want to live in and that's the same world I want to raise my children in. It's also the world in which every dedicated employee of DVConnect would hang up their boots and go home to be with their families, friends and loved ones. Yet, it's still far from our reality. As we close out on another year, I feel a sense of great pride in the work that DVConnect does every single day, but I also feel that twinge of desperation to continue this plight for every single woman and child who still needs our support. We live in a world where our passion sometimes leaves us feeling overwhelmed, but also ensures we keep going. But, here I am talking about me when I actually always feel a little like a fraud. You see I get to take all of the applause for the work that the staff at DVConnect do day in and day out. I get to stand alongside colleagues and stakeholders at functions and hear all about the positive experiences people have with DVConnect. I get invited to functions to raise money for DVConnect and people ask me how I do what I do. I always meet them with the same response:

"My role as the Chair of the Board of Directors at DVConnect is the proudest moment of my entire career. I stand on the shoulders of the women before me and those who surround me who do all the heavy lifting. Those same humans won't stop until they know a woman and her children are safe".

Often the work of each employee at DVConnect is overshadowed by others on the front line. Yet, to me, there is nothing more front line than answering the phone to someone who is using or experiencing domestic or sexual violence. Those initial minutes, the need to build trust, have empathy, understand what is occurring and respond swiftly and according to the risk is such a nuanced and lifesaving skill. This work is the stuff of true leaders!

I want to say a huge personal thank you to Beck O'Connor, Kathy Whiting and the entire Senior Leadership Team. The work you all do, often behind the scenes, is incredible, admirable and inspiring. I would also like to thank my fellow Board Members who go over and above to ensure that DVConnect's best interests and the best interests of the Queensland community is always at the fore.

Our organisation is always looking for ways to make a positive impact, over and above our day to day life saving frontline service. We are grateful for our partnerships with all of the state-wide and national services, networks and supporters. A special mention also to our incredible CEO, Beck, who is also on the Board of Directors for the LGBTQ DV Awareness Foundation, who are simply amazing advocates in this space.

I would also like to make another special mention about Bella's Sanctuary, an initiative very dear to my heart. Since Bella's Sanctuary was built by Halcyon and Mirvac in August 2019 we have housed 13 women and 15 children in the transitional accommodation. That is 28 lives we have supported to heal, reconnect and thrive. This is a project we would love to see multiplied in the coming years as we work to ensure that all women and their children have a safe place to call home.

Together, we are changing the world!



Message from Beck

CEO

This has been another year where DVConnect has worked in unprecedented times, yet my team have shown up every day and navigated new challenges because of their commitment to safety for all people and accountability for those who choose violence. My team's dedication, flexibility and creativity to support our clients through this time, is something I want to spotlight in this year's Annual Report.

Despite the escalation, complexity and severity of domestic, family and sexual violence in times of natural disaster, our response to the community has not wavered. My team have given their all to this work and I feel so privileged and grateful to overhear every day, conversations at DVConnect where my team show profound kindness and compassion. I feel lucky to learn and grow from them through observing their individual practice and skill.

At DVConnect, our commitment to safety for all people is as strong as our dedication to learning and growing in this work. So this year, we launched our Strategic Plan for 2020-2024.

Our strategies are to have:

- **IMPACT** in reducing domestic and family violence through the services and programs we deliver
- **INFLUENCE** through our collaborative partnerships with people with lived experience and organisations committed to ending violence
- **STRENGTH** even in extraordinary times such as a global pandemic and in championing our team's diverse backgrounds, experiences and perspectives
- **COURAGE** as we advocate for the safety of all people in Queensland and across Australia, regardless of sexuality, gender, visa status or any other experience that currently prevents people from accessing support
- And finally, to **GROW** so that DVConnect is effective in being a service for the whole community, not leaving any person behind who has been impacted by domestic, family or sexual violence in Queensland.

Although we are early on in our Strategic Plan, we have taken great strides in working towards achieving all of the goals set out in it. Through our community engagement and training activities, our partnerships with organisations and networks like Ending Violence Against Women Queensland, RizeUp, National Queer Family Violence Network and WorkUp Queensland, through maintaining our responsiveness to calls in the pandemic, celebrating and empowering our team members with a strong focus on wellbeing, through our advocacy around housing, justice responses to domestic and family violence and support for LGBTQ+ folk impacted by DFV, and raising our profile through social media, events and community education.

It has been a big year at DVConnect off the back of another extremely challenging year. We have taken collaboration and problem solving to new heights within our team, across sectors and with government.

While we are working creatively to respond to these challenges, and there has been a lot of reward with safety outcomes, the work is not over yet.

I am extremely grateful for my team's commitment to this work and our shared vision for all relationships to be free from domestic, family and sexual violence.

Our Services and Programs





Womensline

Womensline supports women and their children in Queensland who have been impacted by domestic and family violence



Sexual Assault Helpline

The Sexual Assault Helpline is for any person in Queensland who has been or suspects they have been sexually assaulted or wants to help a friend



Mensline

Mensline supports men in Queensland experiencing abuse or using abuse in their intimate partner or family relationships



Bella's Sanctuary

Bella's Sanctuary is a safe place for women and their children in Queensland after they have left refuge, to rebuild and heal



Training

DVConnect delivers tailored training packages on domestic and family violence to workplaces, in-person and virtually



Pets In Crisis

The Pets In Crisis Program in partnership with the RSPCA QLD provides pets with safe accommodation, food and vet care.

1800RESPECT

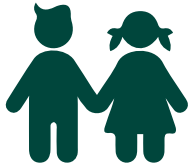
1800RESPECT is the national sexual assault, domestic and family violence counselling service. It is delivered by Medibank on behalf of the Federal Government Department of Social Services, as part of the National Plan to Reduce Violence against Women and their Children 2010-2020. 1800RESPECT provides specialist counselling through a panel of expert non-profit sexual assault, domestic and family violence support services, including DVConnect. This partnership is integral to ensuring a high quality service, while meeting the significant number of contacts to 1800RESPECT.

Our Impact

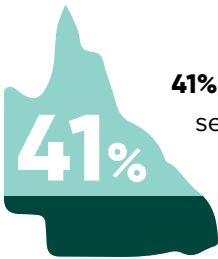


1 call every
5 MINUTES

100,000+ contacts
in 2020-21



3000+
young people
supported into emergency
accommodation



41% of people accessing our
services are from
**Regional, Rural & Outer
Regional** areas across
Queensland.

Calls to our Sexual Assault
Helpline increased by

13%

from the last Financial Year



**NEARLY
300 pets**
supported through our
Pets In Crisis Program
with the RSPCA QLD

We provided domestic and family violence
training to



15 organisations
across Queensland

WITH ALMOST
300,000

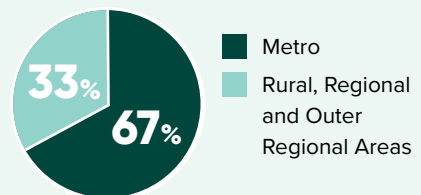
web page views

We had a **social media**
following of

13,500

DVCONNECT MENSLINE

GEOGRAPHY



POLICE REFERRALS



7000+
police referrals

SERVICE PROVIDED

3,000 men
**received
counselling**



Over 3,500 men
**received
information**



More than 20
**received crisis
intervention**



Our Partnerships

We are grateful to all of our partners who help us help more Queenslanders impacted by domestic, family and sexual violence. Without them, we couldn't do what we do. Some of our partners are Bank of Queensland, Rotary Brisbane West, QSuper, Halcyon, Mirvac, RSPCA Queensland, Maurice Blackburn, Queensland Rail, Fair World Foundation, Barbie Banks, Milton Common and Cheer Up Inc. This year, we're spotlighting a new partnership and a long-term partnership to show that any organisation that is committed to ending domestic, family and sexual violence can make a difference in their own unique way.



The Bank of Queensland and DVConnect partnership is new but already having a positive impact on the safety of people in Queensland.

Financial abuse is extremely common in domestic and family violence so we are grateful to partner with financial institutions committed to supporting their workforce and customers who have been impacted by domestic and family violence.

Along with making substantial donations to DVConnect, BOQ are committed to training their staff in understanding domestic and family violence as well as having procedures in place to best support their customers impacted by domestic and family violence.

Thanks Bank of Queensland.



DVConnect CEO Beck O'Connor (middle) accepts another donation for \$40,000 from BOQ. Corleze Malherbe and Shonna Veamatahau from BOQ are pictured left to right.



QSuper has been a proud supporter of DVConnect since 2016 by funding an additional full time telephone counsellor to answer an extra 4,000 calls every year.

Our partnership with QSuper has continued to strengthen as QSuper supported a new project to assist Queensland workplaces in supporting workers impacted by domestic and family violence.

QSuper has continued to work with DVConnect through getting training for their workforce in domestic and family violence, producing a financial abuse education package for people in rural, regional and remote communities in Queensland, and sponsoring domestic and family violence training through DVConnect for health practitioners.

Thanks QSuper.



A photograph captured by QSuper of the Story Bridge in Brisbane lit up in purple for the National Day to Remember Lives Lost to Domestic and Family Violence, May 5 2021

We also want to make special mention of our partnership with WorkUP QLD who through a Practice Studio have supported DVConnect to implement evidence in practice to improve the ways our Service responds to culturally and linguistically diverse people impacted by DFV and enhance multicultural and settlement services capacities to respond to people who are experiencing violence.



Celebrating Our People

In this extraordinary time, the DVConnect team have had to navigate problems they had never confronted before, including border closures and restrictions, communities going into lockdown, and increased pressure on referral pathways like health, justice responses and programs like Men's Behaviour Change.

Our team have given their all and shown up every day for the safety and wellbeing of others. They have shown they are adaptive, values-aligned and committed to providing exceptional client care. We are also extremely proud of our staff retention rates and aim to continue to create an exceptional employee experience that champions and values our people's unique backgrounds, experiences and perspectives. The culture at DVConnect is something we are very proud of.

Every single team member is valued for taking on the responsibility they do in this line of work. One particular team member we wanted to spotlight in this year's Annual Report is Lani who reached a milestone of working with DVConnect for 15 years! We asked Lani a few questions about working with DVConnect:

What do you enjoy about the work you do?

Being able to assist women to safety and remind them that they always deserve better to how they have been treated, no matter what.

If you could write your own job title that best describes what you do here, what would it be?

Listener, advocate, feminist, problem solver, safety coordinator.

If you could turn back time, what advice would you give to yourself on your first day at DVConnect?

You can do this!



Board of Directors



Shaan Ross-Smith, Chair

Shaan commenced at Griffith University in late 2016 as the Director of the MATE program delivered through Griffith University's Violence Research and Prevention Program. Prior to commencing at Griffith University Shaan spent 16 years working with the Queensland Corrective Services through various managerial and director roles, including Director of Offender Rehabilitation and Management across Queensland. Shaan chose to diversify this experience in 2014 to work with victims/ survivors at the Domestic Violence Prevention Centre as the Integrated Response Manager. Shaan did this while continuing to work with perpetrators through a behaviour change program. Shaan is passionate about ending gender-based violence. Shaan holds post graduate qualifications in Psychology.



Enid Hughes, Deputy Chair

Enid is a strategic thinker and experienced management consultant bringing to the table broad executive capabilities across; business strategy, HR management, project management, brand management, organisational change and information technology. Her experience covers the private, public and not-for-profit sectors. Enid is focused on performance; with a passion for business transformation through technology and organisational change. Enid is an advocate of women at all levels and in all walks of life and is an active mentor. Enid holds a Master of Business Administration, Bachelor of Applied Science (Computing), and is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.



Ben Bjarnesen, Director

Ben is a passionate educator, campaigner, speaker and advocate for improved services for LGBTQ victims and survivors of DV. Ben is a 2016 Churchill Fellow who travelled to the USA, Canada, UK and the Netherlands where he explored best practice solutions for Police Departments to enhance the way in which they respond to domestic violence in LGBTQ communities. He has since been actively involved in advising government and NGOs around Australia on a range of initiatives designed to improve service delivery to LGBTQ communities. Ben is an operational Police officer and volunteers as Regional Coordinator of the QPS LGBTI Liaison Officer Program. In 2020 he founded the LGBTQ Domestic Violence Awareness Foundation.



Fiona Maxwell, Director

Fiona's career has spanned the non-profit, government and university sectors in Australia and the USA. Prior to becoming CEO of Brisbane Powerhouse, Fiona was Queensland Manager for Philanthropy Australia, establishing the Brisbane office and supporting philanthropists and non-profits alike to grow the sector. Fiona has extensive experience building strong relationships with stakeholders in various industries including the service industry, internet start-up sector and philanthropic sector. Fiona holds a Bachelor of Arts from Queensland University of Technology, a Masters from the University of New South Wales and recently completed the Executive Program for Non-profit Leaders at Stanford University.



Naomi Meade, Director

Naomi Meade is an employment law and employee relations specialist, with experience in both the public and private sector. Currently, Naomi is a Human Resource Manager at QIC. Previously she worked as the Queensland and Northern Territory Manager for employment relations case management at Qantas and as a practicing solicitor in workplace law with Crown Law in the DJAG. She started her legal career as a family law solicitor, working in private practice, at the Women's Legal Service, and at the Family Court of Australia as a Legal Associate in the appellate division. Naomi holds a Bachelor of Laws (LLB), Bachelor of Business (BlntBus) Law and Graduate Diploma.

Muna Ibrahim, Director

Muna Ibrahim is currently working as Disability Services Manager and previously was Coordinator of Community Action for Multicultural Society (CAMS). She has been with Islamic Women's Association of Australia (IWAA) since 1992 in various roles: volunteer Treasurer on Board of Management Committee, became employed as Settlement Officer in 1995 (10 years) but at the same time job shared coordination of disability services (two years), Home and Community Care Coordinator (seven years), Coordinator of Aged Care for people with Dementia project (one year). Muna was Office Coordinator for four years until 2011 and this role included human resource coordination, workplace health and safety officer and newsletter editor.

Resigned 4 November 2020.

Glenn Henderson, Director

(Audit, Risk and Finance Committee Chair) Glenn Henderson is a Chartered Accountant with over 25 years experience in commerce (both private and ASX listed), government organisations and the accounting profession. Glenn has worked across several industries and sectors and operates at both strategic and operational levels. Glenn's qualifications include Chartered Account (AU/ NZ) and he has a Business Accounting Degree from QUT. He has worked predominantly in senior financial management positions in the services industry and has been involved in growing businesses both organically and through acquisition.

Resigned 16 November 2020.

Matthew Jones, Director

Matthew Jones is a Torres Strait Islander from Darnley Island, he is a Chartered Accountant and is the ninth Indigenous Australian to be accepted as a full member of Chartered Accountants – Australia and New Zealand. He has worked in public practice specialising in reconstruction and recovery as well as in a risk management role for a financier. Matthew holds a Bachelor of International Business and a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Griffith University and is completing his Masters of Business Administration at the University of Queensland. His focus lies within the small to medium sized business sector concentrating on process improvement and sustainable organisational growth.

Resigned 12 February 2021.



Fatima Deen, Director

Fatima is a Certified Practising Accountant (CPA) with 20 years experience in the insolvency, turnaround and restructuring fields focusing on small to medium enterprises. Fatima holds a Bachelor of Laws and Bachelor of Business (Accountancy) from the Queensland University of Technology, A Graduate diploma in legal practice, Advanced certifications in Insolvency and Restructuring & Turnaround (Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association and The University of New South Wales).



Sarah McAlister-Smiley, Director

Sarah is a commercial advisory specialist with 20 years professional experience, 15 of which were at Deloitte including 6 years as a Partner. In May 2020 she established her own firm – McAlisterSmiley Partners. Sarah predominantly works with C-Suite clients and Boards on financial and economic modelling, commercial advisory, business cases, feasibility studies and the development of visualisation tools. Sarah also served for 4.5 years on a pastoral Board and is currently on the Advisory Board of Exent. Sarah holds a Bachelor of Economics, Honours in Econometrics (Class 1) and a Bachelor of Laws with Honours. She also holds a Graduate Diploma of Applied Finance and has completed the Company Directors Course with AICD.



Linda Dreghorn, Secretary

Linda is currently Company Secretary for Green Cross Australia, and Manager, Business Performance – Governance at Arts Queensland. Previous roles include Company Secretary and Legal Counsel for Major Brisbane Festivals Pty Ltd, General Manager of Brisbane Festival 2006, Secretary and Director of the Secretariat of the Queensland Law Society Inc., Co-ordinator of Due Diligence for SunWater's acquisition of major water infrastructure and Lecturer in Law at the Queensland University of Technology. Linda has a Bachelor of Arts and a Bachelor of Laws from the University of Queensland, a Graduate Diploma in Company Secretarial Studies and is a graduate of the AICD Company Directors' course.



Heather Castledine, Cultural Advisor

Heather is a proud Kamilaroi-Kooma (Aboriginal) woman and is actively involved with many Indigenous organisations in Queensland. She is the Aboriginal Chair for Reconciliation Queensland Inc., committee member for The Logan Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Community Elders and Chair of Murrigunyah (Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders for Women, a Sexual Assault service), and a Director of Youth & Family Service (YFS). Heather works as an Indigenous Cultural Consultant to a team of clinicians for the Child & Youth Mental Health Service (CYMHS) of Queensland Health. Heather holds a Bachelor of Social Work, Certificate IV in Indigenous Leadership and a Diploma of Community Services.





Our Advocacy

In line with our new Strategic Plan (2020-2024), DVConnect has ramped up participation in targeted advocacy in Queensland and nationally. From marching at the March4Justice Rally, to reducing barriers for LGBTQ+ people to recognise and report domestic, family, intimate partner and sexual violence and advocating to the Government alongside other organisations and Networks for increased funding to specialist domestic, family and sexual violence services, our advocacy has been strong and continues to be ongoing.

DVConnect is:

- A member of the Queensland Council of Social Services (QCOSS) and the Women's Equality network, which is striving to improve the position for women across Queensland and provide advice to support the next Queensland Women's Strategy.
- A member of the National Queer Family Violence Sector Network
- A member of the Queensland Sexual Assault Network (QSAN)
- A member of Services and Practitioners for the Elimination of Violence Against Women Queensland (SPEAQ)
- On the Management Committee of Ending Violence against Women Queensland (EVAWQ), a peak body for women's health, women's refuges, sexual violence and domestic and family violence services in Queensland.
- A member and Secretariat for Queensland Domestic Violence Services Network (QDVSN), a network of 19 Queensland regional domestic violence services and the Centre for Domestic and Family Violence Research and the Immigrant Women's Support Service.
- Chair of the national SafeNet Australia, a network of crisis services across Australia responding to domestic and family violence.
- A contributor to joint letters about the issue of coercive control and domestic and family violence and has been consulted by and made a submission to the Women's Safety and Justice Taskforce.
- A member of the Stopping Gender Violence Advisory Board for QUT's Centre for Justice.
- Partnered with the national LGBTQ Domestic Violence Awareness Foundation Board of Directors (Beck O'Connor - Deputy Managing Director) to continue DVConnect's commitment to reducing barriers for LGBTQ+ people to recognise and report domestic, family, intimate partner and sexual violence.
- On the National Sector Advisory Committee for 1800RESPECT
- A member of the CALD Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Roundtable Advisory Group for the Queensland State Government.

We have participated in many social policy and systems reform activities throughout the year including:

- A part of the Coercive Control Research Project Reference Group for Women's Legal Services Qld
- A strong Advocate for continued additional funding for specialist women's safety services in Queensland and New South Wales in response to increased levels of family and domestic violence during the pandemic.
- A part of the evaluation of the National Plan to Reduce Violence against Women and their Children 2010-2022, with a focus on the effectiveness of the National Plan in engaging and supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women, CALD women and women with disability.
- Contributor to a number of submissions to the next National Plan to Reduce Violence Against Women and Children in Australia
- A part of the consultation for Queensland's plan to respond to domestic and family violence against people with disability
- A part of advocacy for increasing the inclusion of content on consent, sexuality and respectful relationships in the revised Foundation – year 10 (F – 10) curriculum.
- A contributor to QUT's Centre for Justice Paper, Impact COVID on Domestic and Family Violence Workforce and Clients: Submission to the Australian Parliament Standing Committee on Social Policy and Legal Affairs inquiry into and report on family, domestic and sexual violence.
- Leading the call for an Independent Review into criminal justice system responses to DFV in Queensland
- Contribution to the Qld Inquiry into serious vilification and hate crimes
- Advocacy on Consent and Mistake of Fact laws in Queensland

Bella's Sanctuary

TWO YEAR ON

Halcyon has been one of DVConnect's long-term supporters, having partnered with DVConnect, Mirvac and 90 local businesses to establish Bella's Sanctuary. Bella's Sanctuary is owned and managed by DVConnect.

Bella's Sanctuary is a safe place for women and their children to heal and rebuild after violence, providing independent, medium-term accommodation for up to five families at a time.

The friends of Halcyon Referral program is another way Halcyon continues to support people in Queensland affected by domestic and family violence.

For each referral to Halcyon that results in someone buying a home, the referrer can choose a charity to donate \$500 to. DVConnect has been the beneficiary of the Friends of Halcyon Referral Program on many occasions. Our partnership with Halcyon continues to change the lives of people in Queensland impacted by domestic and family violence.

Thanks Halcyon and Halcyon Homeowners.



First family welcomed to Bella's Sanctuary **September 2019**



Bella's Sanctuary costs over **\$70,000** per year to run and is funded by community donations



Five families at a time call Bella's Sanctuary home



Pictures from inside Bella's Sanctuary which includes 5 private, individual homes, a communal kitchen, living room, laundry, play area, garage, administration office, 24/7 security camera system, and more.

STARTING OVER AT Bella's Sanctuary

VANESSA AND HARRY'S* STORY

"I was afraid for mine and my baby's life more than once during my pregnancy. It was my midwife who supported me to call DVConnect the first time and to her, I will always be thankful.

A little while after giving birth, I went to a refuge which was strange at first. I hadn't been around people for the last few years and suddenly I was living with 10 people plus refuge staff!

After two months in refuge, I got a place at Bella's Sanctuary where we moved into a one bedroom unit. Bella's felt like a major turning point in my life.

Bella's was different to refuge because I could make it our home. I also loved that I had space to be alone with Harry but could be around other tenants or staff when I needed help or some company.

Re-learning my independence was one of the best things that time at Bella's gave me.

I also can't imagine how hard it would have been to get my first rental if I didn't have Bella's in my rental history.

Bella's changed my life and gave me time which was something Harry* and I really needed to get back up on our feet."

**Names have been changed*



Thank you

TO OUR SUPPORTERS, PARTNERS AND NETWORKS

And the many local, community-based organisations and services we work with every day throughout Queensland.







Financial Report

Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2021

DVConnect Limited ABN 66 101 186 476

DVConnect Limited:

Is a Registered Charity (Public Benevolent Institution entity subtype) with the ACNC
has been endorsed by the ATO as a Deductible Gift Recipient
has authority to fundraise in Queensland under Charity Number CH1459

Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income for the year ended 30 June 2021

	2021	2020
REVENUE	11,041,275	10,566,311
Other income	1,478	-
Employment expenses	(8,128,337)	(7,577,672)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(428,120)	(409,871)
Administrative expenses	(534,332)	(297,335)
Client related expenses	(1,164,664)	(1,905,375)
Property expenses	(166,322)	(119,200)
Finance costs	(44,021)	(46,570)
Other expenses	(39)	(28,077)
CURRENT YEAR SURPLUS (LOSS)	576,918	182,211
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:		
Total comprehensive income / (losses) for the year	576,918	182,211

The surplus has resulted from income not related to government contracts that are required to be fully spent.

Statement of Financial Position

for the year ended 30 June 2021

	2021	2020
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,811,618	1,644,366
Trade and other receivables	11,961	29,616
Financial assets	-	584,545
Other current assets	17,130	17,814
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	2,840,709	2,276,341
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Property, plant and equipment	1,991,078	1,924,427
Right of use assets	1,065,268	1,307,092
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	3,056,346	3,231,518
TOTAL ASSETS	5,897,055	5,507,859
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and other payables	735,829	844,196
Lease liabilities	217,448	201,291
Provisions	648,158	545,089
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,601,435	1,590,576
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Lease liabilities	874,665	1,092,113
Provisions	146,699	127,832
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,021,364	1,219,945
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,622,799	2,810,522
NET ASSETS	3,274,256	2,697,338
EQUITY		
General Reserve	3,274,256	2,697,338
Accumulated surplus	-	-
TOTAL EQUITY	3,274,256	2,697,338





Womensline

1800 811 811 | 24 hours, 7 days

Mensline

1800 600 636 | 9am – midnight, 7 days


Sexual Assault Helpline

1800 010 120 | 7:30am – 11:30pm, 7 days

1800RESPECT

1800 737 732 | 24 hours, 7 days

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DVConnect acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the Land we live and work on all across Queensland, and pay our respects to Elders Past and Present. We want to acknowledge First Nations Peoples extraordinary contributions and their journey to healing. As well as their aspirations for a better future based on justice and self-determination. At DVConnect, we are committed to continue learning from and including the voices of First Nations women and other survivors of violence and abuse.

We are committed to helping anyone experiencing domestic and family violence and/or sexual violence. This includes the LGBTQ+ community, children, pets and people of all ethnicities, religions, ages and physical abilities. Our core values are integrity, compassion, accountability, respect, empowerment.

DVConnect acknowledges the many women, women's organisation and survivor advocates who have spoken out about their experiences for decades. The work that we are doing builds on their legacy, their dedication and their advocacy that has preceded us. It is critical that we continue to learn from and include the voices of women when seeking to prevent violence across society.

