



Ian Carter AM

Ian Carter AM served as the Chief Executive Officer of Anglicare WA from April 1995 to March 2019. He was appointed CEO of Melville Cares in July 2019.

Ian's career in community service, particularly in community capacity building and social justice, has been extensive and prolific. He has been involved in both creating and governing a wide range of community organisations at local, national and international levels.

Ian was a member of the Prime Minister's Council on Homelessness and the WA Ministerial Roundtable on Affordable Housing. He was a member of the WA State Government's Partnership Forum, a coalition between leaders in the State Government and not-for-profit organisations. In 2009 he was appointed as the Chairperson of the WA State Government's Social Housing Taskforce. He is currently National Co-Chair of Anti-Poverty Week and the Chair of the Anglican Social Responsibilities Commission.

Ian has held the positions of Deputy President of ACOSS, President of WACOSS, President of Family Services Australia, Chairman of the State Taskforce on Poverty, Chairman of the Ministerial Housing Advisory Committee, Chairman of Foyer Foundation, Deputy Chairman of the Board of Anglicare Australia and was a founding Director on the Boards of JOBfutures, Leadership WA, Foyer Foundation and the WA Community Foundation.

He was inducted into the General Division of the Order of Australia in 2009.

Professional Memberships and Affiliations

SBEncr Projects

1.81: Liveable Social and Affordable Higher Density Housing