

# Bravehearts Promise to Children and Young People

Bravehearts wants all children and young people to be safe, respected and protected.

We follow important rules like:

- The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child
- The National Principles for Child Safe Organisations

This promise helps guide how we keep children safe.

## What Bravehearts Promises to Do

### Put Children First

- We always think about what is best for children
- Every decision we make puts children's safety first

### Make a Safe Place

- We work hard to make Bravehearts a safe place for children
- Everyone shares the job of keeping children safe from harm

### Listen to Children

- We listen to what children and young people say
- Their ideas help us make better rules and programs

### Stay Alert

- Everyone at Bravehearts (staff, Volunteers, students, board members) must report any worries about a child's safety
- We report concerns no matter the child's age, type of harm or where it happens

### Work Together

- We work with families, communities and other organisations to protect children
- We believe working together helps keep children safe

### Keep Improving

- We always look for ways to do better
- We check our rules and training often to make sure they are the best they can be

## Why This Matters

Bravehearts believes:

- Every child should grow up in a safe and caring place
- Keeping children safe is everyone's job.