



Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
Housing Queensland

Our Members Charter

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland is the peak body for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing providers in Queensland. Established in 2021, our main purpose is to improve Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing outcomes.

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland vision is to:

“eliminate the disparities in housing experienced by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in Queensland.”

Our Membership

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland membership is open to:

- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Controlled housing organisations (Full Members)
- Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Shire Councils (Full Members).
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Controlled organisations that provide housing support (Associate Members).

Full details of eligibility for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland membership are outlined in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland Constitution.

Our Member Pledge

As a Member of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland, our organisation supports an empowered, sustainable and quality Queensland Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Housing Sector, grounded in the core values of community-control and self-determination.

In order to realise the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland vision and support housing improvements for all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people across Queensland, as a Member, our organisation commits to the following principles:

1. As a ATSIHQ Member we will support the objectives of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland Constitution.
2. As a ATSIHQ Member we will work together as a collective to improve Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing outcomes in Queensland.
3. As a ATSIHQ Member we will set high standards of professionalism in our organisation through quality corporate governance and service delivery excellence.
4. As a ATSIHQ Member we commit to continually working to improve the quality of our organisation.
5. As a ATSIHQ Member we support Queensland communities in their aspirations of having local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing providers.

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland Pledge

In addition to these principles, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Housing Queensland commits to the following principles to ensure that all our Members have the necessary capacity to uphold their responsibilities:

1 ATSIHQ will provide quality support services to all our Members.

2 ATSIHQ will advocate for greater access and improved Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing solutions for the Community.

3 ATSIHQ will improve and facilitate stakeholder engagement to support better Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing outcomes.

4 ATSIHQ will develop policy positions to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander housing providers in Queensland.

5 ATSIHQ will support the implementation of quality management systems across the Queensland Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Housing Sector.

6 ATSIHQ will ensure confidentiality, protection and integrity of data and information provided by our Members.

7 ATSIHQ will represent the Queensland Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community Housing Sector's interest to government through advocacy and advice on the sustainability and future of the Sector.