



# Tasmanian Pathways Network News

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## What's On - Pathways on Tour

Pathways on Tour at the Children's Contact Service and the Parenting Separately Program is having its 3<sup>rd</sup> outing next Thursday the 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11am – 12.15pm at 18 Clare St, New Town. Morning tea will be served.

This is a great opportunity for anyone working with families who need help with focusing on parenting after separation, rather than on the conflict. Come and see what happens, how the program works, and ask the experienced staff questions. Please email [taspathwaysofficer@relias.com.au](mailto:taspathwaysofficer@relias.com.au) for RSVP.

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## Network Updates

### Wait times updated

The Tasmanian Family Law Pathways services wait times have now been updated. Follow this link for more information [Wait times](#)

### Family Law Pathways National Conference

As this issue is published, the conference is underway. There will be an overview of topics covered in the coming issues of this newsletter.

### ANZAPPL Congress 2018

'A congress to go to' - this year the Australia and New Zealand Psychiatrists, Psychologists, and Lawyers' annual congress will be in Hobart 21-24 November 2018. The theme is "Sins of the Past: Reflections and Future Directions". Watch this space for more information on guest speakers and workshops <https://anzappl.org/>

## Family Law Reform

### Review of the Family Law System—Issues Paper (IP 48)

Submissions regarding the latest issues paper are now being called for – follow the link below for information, and access to the latest documents released.

[View](#) The closing date for submissions is 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018.

The AG's department has this link

<http://www.familyrelationships.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx> on its website, announcing a new website that is due to go live in March of this year which will provide information for families and individuals on a range of family relationship topics.

## Media

### ANROWS Latest Research Paper

**Domestic and family violence and parenting: Mixed method insights into impact and support needs.** This research was presented via webinar by Cathy Humphries and Kathryn Lyons [Link to Webinar](#) [View research paper](#)

A background of family violence may be an extenuating factor that may need to be considered by judges in criminal cases as this particularly tragic case describes [Judges could benefit from expert advice on family violence](#)

### The Pathways Services Directory

**Update your details** – if any of your contact details have changed in the past 12 months, could you please send updated details to [tspathwaysoffice@relias.com.au](mailto:tspathwaysoffice@relias.com.au) so that we can update our database.

**Judgments on Family Court website** have been updated **March 2018**

First Instance Judgments at the following link:

<http://www.familycourt.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/fcoaweb/judgments/first-instance-judgments/>

**Full Court (Appeals) Judgments** have been updated **March 2018** at the following link:

<http://www.familycourt.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/fcoaweb/judgments/full-court-judgments/>

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