



Kym Child

Kym graduated with a Bachelor of Nursing with First Class Honours in 1999. She worked as a Registered Nurse at several major interstate hospitals in Victoria, South Australia and Queensland before returning to Tasmania. Kym has worked in a variety of clinical settings and has achieved post graduate certificates in Paediatrics and Emergency Nursing. Kym has maintained her Nursing Registration and practises in Emergency at the Royal Hobart Hospital.

In 2007, Kym completed a Bachelor of Laws with Honours and was admitted to the Supreme Court of Tasmania. Kym initially practised in commercial litigation, minor criminal matters and matters relating to health law. Kym has also worked as an Investigation Officer and Health Complaints Resolution Officer at the Office of the Ombudsman and the Health Complaints Commissioner and is well versed in aspects relating to health regulation and matters involving AHPRA notification and best practice in health care. Kym has also worked within the Tasmanian Health Organisation - South in the Legal Department and is now currently working in the Regulation Unit in the Department of Health and Human Services.

Kym is uniquely placed to represent the interests of consumers and ensure accountability and continuous quality improvement in her role as Consumer Representative.