

9:00am	Registration Open				
	Leopard Lodge				
10:00am	MC Welcome				
10:05am	Welcome to Country				
10:20am	National Welcome – Ms Megan Mitchell; National Children’s Commissioner				
10:25am	Young Person Address – Darcy Garrett; CREATE Young Consultant, WA				
10:30am	Welcome from CREATE Chief Executive Officer – Ms Jacqui Reed				
10:35am	Guest Speaker – Mr Gregory Nicolau; Chief Executive Officer, The Australian Childhood Trauma Group				
10:55am	Diamond Sponsor Address – Mr Luke Tempany; Strategic Manager, Churches of Christ (QLD)				
11:00am	Quick Break				
	Leopard Lodge	Rainforest Room	Bong Su	Picnic Pavilions 1-3	
	Panel Discussion Topic Number 1 – Transitioning from Care	Panel Discussion Topic Number 2 – Participation and Decision Making	Panel Discussion Topic Number 3 – Complaints and Record Keeping		
11:10am	<b>MC – Dr Joseph McDowall; Executive Director of Research, CREATE Foundation</b>  Ms Lakiesha Cummings; National Youth Council Member, VOYCE Whakarongo Mai (NZ) Ms Katie Hooper; (former CEO) Foster Care Association Victoria Mr Luke Twyford; Executive Director Strategy & Research, Territory Families (NT) Ms Cheryl Vardon; Chief Executive and Principal Commissioner, QLD Family and Child Commission Associate Professor Nicola Atwool; University of Otago (NZ) Mr Paul McDonald; Chief Executive Officer, Anglicare Ms Bobby Jo McCauly; Ambassador, Who Cares? Scotland Mr Nicholas Davies, CREATE Young Consultant	<b>MC – Ms Liana Buchanan; Principal Commissioner, Commission for Children and Young People (VIC)</b>  Ms Linda Smith; Regional Manager, Churches of Christ (QLD) Ms Janet Schorer; Children’s Guardian (NSW) Mr Michael Perusco; Chief Executive Officer, Berry Street (VIC) Mr Andrew Johnson; The NSW Advocate for Children and Young People Ms Colleen Gwynne; Northern Territory Children’s Commissioner Michelle Van Doorn; OzChild Ms Mary McKinnon; Executive Director Practice and Quality, Life without Barriers Queenie Willett, CREATE Young Consultant Mr Dylan Williams, CREATE Young Consultant	<b>MC – Dr Brian Babington; Chief Executive Officer, Families Australia (ACT)</b>  Mr Matthew Armstrong; Practice Leader, Department of Child Safety, Youth and Women (QLD) Dr Joanne Evans; Associate Professor, Monash University (VIC) Ms Simone Czech; Executive District Director, Department of Family and Community Services (NSW) Mr Colin Pettit; Commissioner for Children and Young People (WA) Ms Toni Cash; Manager, Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services (QLD) Ms Leanne McLean; TAS Commissioner for Children and Young People Ms Penny Hood; Executive Director People & Practice, Barnardos (NSW) Ms Bella Ogier, CREATE Young Consultant	Art Workshops featuring Life Without Barriers Living Arts and Comic Artist and Writer Dean Rankine	Song Writing with Musicians Making a Difference
12:30pm	Lunch				
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2:15pm	Afternoon Tea				
2:45pm	Best Practice Forum Topic Number 1 – Transitioning from Care	Best Practice Forum Topic Number 2 – Participation and Decision Making	Best Practice Forum Topic Number 3 – Complaints and Record Keeping	Art Workshops featuring Life Without Barriers Living Arts and Comic Artist and Writer Dean Rankine	Song Writing with Musicians Making a Difference
	<b>MC – CREATE State Coordinator</b>  Ms Kiri Milne; General Manager, Oranga Tamariki Minister for Children (NZ) Ms Sarah Ashton; Programme Leader, Oranga Tamariki Ministry for Children (NZ) Ms Leah Bibik; Team Leader, Premier’s Youth Initiative, Samaritans (NSW) Ms Nora Goodbourn; Project Officer, Relationships Australia (SA) Mr Andrew Cummings; External Consultant, CREATE Foundation	<b>MC – CREATE State Coordinator</b>  Mr Sam Champion; Participation and Development Coordinator, Youth Affairs Council Victoria Ms Caroline Brown; Director, Key Assets Tasmania Ms Sharon Howie; Team Leader, OzChild Ms Linda Harrison; Principal Project Officer, Children and Families Division DHHS (VIC) Ms Mary McKinnon; Executive Director Practice and Quality, Life without Barriers	<b>MC – CREATE State Coordinator</b>  Ms Sonya Pringle-Jones; Tasmanian Child Advocate Ms Penny Hood; Executive Director People & Best Practise, Barnardos Ms Jenny Glare; General Manager Mackillop Family Services		
3:45pm	Quick Break				
3:55pm	Launch of CREATE Foundation's Post Care Report!				
4:30pm	Close				

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10:00am	MC Welcome and Re-cap of Day 1				
10:15am	Guest Speaker – Mr Caine Wild; Company Director and founder of First Step Wild (England)				
10:35am	Guest Speaker – Ms Tracie Shipton; Chief Executive Officer, 'VOYCE Whakarongo Mai' Voice of the Young and Care Experienced (New Zealand)				
10:50am	Guest Speaker – Mr Callum Lynch, Ambassador, Who Cares? Scotland				
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3:45pm	Close				
7:00pm till late	CREATE's 20th Birthday Party!  Being held in the Leopard Lodge at the Zoo.				

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10:00am	MC Welcome and Re-cap of Day 2				
10:15am	Guest Speaker – Ms Keyarnee Schaefer; CREATE Young Consultant, NSW				
10:35am	Guest Speaker – Mr Isaiah Dawe; Chief Executive Officer and Founder, ID. Know Yourself				
10:45am	Break for Room set up				
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11:10am	Advocacy in Action Topic Number 1 – Transitioning from Care	Advocacy in Action Topic Number 2 – Participation and Decision Making	Advocacy in Action Topic Number 3 – Complaints Processes	Art Workshops featuring Life Without Barriers Living Arts and Comic Artist and Writer Dean Rankine	Song Writing with Musicians Making a Difference
12:30pm			Lunch		
1:15pm	Hot Topic Number 1 – Identity and culture for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children and young people in care	Hot Topic Number 2 – Placement Information for Children and Young People	Hot Topic Number 3 – Access to Housing	Art Workshops featuring Life Without Barriers Living Arts and Comic Artist and Writer Dean Rankine	Song Writing with Musicians Making a Difference
2:15pm	Afternoon Tea				
2:45pm	Guest Speaker – Ms Jan Owen AM; Chief Executive Officer, Foundation for Young Australians				
2:50pm	MC Wrap up of Conference				
3:00pm	Young Person Wrap up – What did YOU learn?				
3:15pm	Presentation of Young Person Song, and showcase piece from art workshop!				
3:30pm	Close				

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