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Churches of Christ Care leading in aged care for seniors

As Australia's population ages a little more each year, the quest to find suitable aged care options continues for hundreds of thousands of Queenslanders.

Residents at Churches of Christ Care's aged care services and retirement villages in Hervey Bay and Maryborough understand how important it is to have access to such care options that are tailored to their needs.

Mrs Cherylee Baker, Service Manager, Fair Haven Aged Care Service said "As a senior, when your lifestyle changes it is comforting to know that you have choices that recognise your unique and individual needs."

"We are a leading provider of retirement villages, community aged care and residential aged care in Queensland."

"Our aged care team provides services to thousands of seniors every year and are dedicated to enriching the lives of older Australians and their families within a Christian environment."

"Many seniors are searching for a retirement option where you can retain your independence, yet be part of a vibrant and caring community; or they are looking for care and support services to assist them to remain independent and in their home for as long as possible; or be provided with a home they can age-in-place" she continued.

In the Fraser Coast region Churches of Christ Care operates the Fair Haven Retirement Village Maryborough, the Fraser Coast Community Aged Care Program and three residential aged care facilities – Fair Haven Aged Care Service Maryborough and Hervey Bay and Petrie Gardens Aged Care Service Tiaro.

All services and villages are conveniently located and suited to the relaxed lifestyle of people in the Fraser Coast.

For information on vacancies or for a tour of the local facilities call **1800 900 001** or visit **www.careagedcare.com.au**

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About Churches of Christ Care

Established in 1930, today Churches of Christ Care is the largest, most diverse not-for-profit organisation in Australia.

Churches of Christ Care, a division of Churches of Christ in Queensland and working with Churches of Christ Vic/Tas, provides a range of care services to vulnerable persons at different stages of their life journey.

Churches of Christ Care is active in the areas of early childhood services, child protection, community and affordable housing, retirement living, community aged care, and residential aged care. We operate more than 140 services throughout Queensland and Melbourne, Victoria with the support of more than 3,000 staff and over 700 volunteers.

Services provided by Churches of Christ Care are funded by a mix of government subsidies, grants, fees and charges for our services such as early childhood services and residential aged care, and through fundraising activities.

Our services are offered to all those in need regardless of religious background. Churches of Christ Care is built on a foundation of Christian values, commitment to quality care, and trust and respect for clients and the community.