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	Child-related Employment Screening	Disability Services Employment Screening	Vulnerable Person-Related Employment Screening	Aged Care Sector Employment Screening	Employment Probity Checks	National Police Certificate
Applicable legislation	<i>Children's Protection Act 1993 (SA), Children's Protection Regulations 2010 (SA)</i>	<i>Disability Services Act 1993 (SA), Disability Services (Assessment of Relevant History) Regulations 2014</i>	Nil	<i>Aged Care Act 1997 (Cth), Aged Care Accountability Principles 1998 (Cth)</i>	Nil	Nil
Criminal History Information released	National convictions (incl. withdrawn, spent, non-convictions), charges (incl. pending, withdrawn, dismissed, acquitted).	National convictions (incl. withdrawn, spent, non-convictions), charges (incl. pending, withdrawn, dismissed).	National convictions (incl. SA spent convictions)	National convictions (incl. SA spent convictions)	National convictions, certain spent convictions.	National convictions, certain spent convictions.
National Exchange of Criminal History Information for People Working with Children (ECHIPWC)	Yes Circumstances information about offences including whether a child was involved, nature of behaviours involved in the offence, age of offender/victim, date of charge, the relationship between the victim and the defendant.	No	No	No	No	No
Applicable Standards for Assessment	Standards for dealing with information obtained about the criminal history of employees and volunteers. Standards for the Use of Child Protection Information in the Assessment of an Applicant's Relevant History pursuant to the Child Protection Act 1993.	Disability Services Employment Screening Standards	Nil	Police Certificate Guidelines for Aged Care Providers	Defined by organisation.	Defined by organisation.
Prima facie offences ¹ / Precluded offences	Prima facie offences: murder, sexual assault, violence in relation to a child, child pornography, child prostitution, child neglect.	Prima facie offences: Homicide and related offences, rape or unlawful sexual intercourse, aggravated sexual offence, serious violent offences (as defined in section 3B of Criminal Law Consolidation Act 1935), aggravated assault, any offences committed against children, including child pornography and kidnapping, theft or fraud related offences against a person with disability or older person, drug related offences involving supply to a person with disability, older person or child and any other offence against the person where the victim was a person with disability.	Nil	Precluded offences: Murder, sexual assault, assault for which a sentence of imprisonment was imposed	Nil	Nil
Child Protection information included?	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No
Other information assessed?	Department of Education and Child Development (DECD) Care Concern Investigation Unit, DECD Investigations Unit, DCSI Care Concern Investigations, Applicant Declarations.	DECD Care Concern Investigation Unit, DECD Investigations Unit, DCSI Care Concern Investigation, Other DCSI Information, Applicant Declarations, Information held by licensing authorities of Supported Residential Facilities, Information held by non-government disability service providers funded under the Act.	Applicant Declarations	Applicant Declarations	Applicant Declarations	No
Risk assessment undertaken?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Expanded Information Considered	Yes. Access to national police apprehension reports, court sentencing remarks. Applicant interviewed regarding relevant information.	Yes. Access to South Australian police apprehension reports, court sentencing remarks. Applicant interviewed regarding relevant information.	Applicant interviewed regarding relevant convictions.	Applicant interviewed regarding relevant convictions.	Application interviewed regarding relevant convictions.	No

¹ Prima facie means 'on first examination, a matter appears to be evident from the facts'.