

## **Aged Care Code of Conduct**

Quick guide for older people



The Aged Care Code of Conduct describes how **registered providers and the people delivering your care must behave and treat you**. It includes the 8 requirements below.



**Respect your rights** to express yourself and make your own decisions about how you want to live



**Act with integrity**, honesty and transparency



Treat you with dignity and respect and value your diversity



**Take action promptly** about matters that may impact on the safety and quality of your care



**Respect your privacy** 



Deliver care free from all forms of violence and abuse, including discrimination, exploitation, neglect and sexual misconduct



Deliver funded aged care services in a safe, competent manner, with care and skill



Prevent and respond to all forms of violence and abuse, including discrimination, exploitation, neglect and sexual misconduct

If you or someone you know has a concern or complaint with your service, contact:

Older Person Advocacy Network (OPAN)

**Phone** 1800 700 600

**Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission** 

**Phone** 1800 951 822 **Web** agedcarequality.gov.au **Write** Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission GPO Box 9819, in your capital city

