



What is the SIRS?

Everyone in aged care has the right to feel safe.

To keep you safe, the government has introduced the **Serious Incident Response Scheme** or **SIRS**.

SIRS will reduce the risk of harm to people in residential aged care homes.

If a serious incident happens in your aged care home, staff must:



Check you and others are okay



Record what happened in their incident management system



Report the incident to the Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission

If you see something, you can raise it with any staff member.

Let's stay safe together.