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Name Change for Mental Health Carers Tasmania

We are proud to announce that our organisation will now be officially known as *Mental Health Families and Friends Tasmania Inc* having been formerly known as *Mental Health Carers Tasmania Inc*.

The formal adoption of the new name comes as a result of an extensive exercise of consultation with people who support those with mental illness, providers and Government. A primary driver for change came directly from the widely expressed view that the term “carer” did not adequately reflect the relational aspects between people with mental illness and their supporters.

A new logo has been adopted which includes a stylised tree motif which harks back to the origins of the organisation and its symbolism of nurturing, solidity and support.



We will be in touch in the coming weeks about changes to our communication details as we complete the name change process.

Leigh Delaney
President, Mental Health Families and Friends Tasmania Board

OUR VISION

Carers of people affected by mental ill health are understood, respected, valued and supported to build their capacities and improve their qualities of life.