# Supporting equality and inclusion in Australia

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Equality Australia (EA) is the leading national organisation dedicated to achieving LGBTIQ+ equality. In FY25, Perpetual provided funding to support EA's core operations. Equality

Australia is committed to creating a fair and inclusive Australia for LGBTIQ+ people, their families and communities by driving and safeguarding legal and social change.

In FY2025, Equality Australia's impact included:

- The inclusion of LGBTQ+ questions in the 2026 Census,
- New laws banning conversion practices coming into effect in NSW and South Australia,
- The first ever protections against LGBTIQ+ hate speech in in Victoria,
- Trans and gender diverse people can now update their birth certificates without the need for surgery in all states and territories, and
- Polling which found most Australians stridently oppose discrimination against the LGBT community and believe trans people should have the same rights and protections as everyone else.

Perpetual is proud to support the ongoing work of Equality Australia to build a more equitable and inclusive Australia. Click here to find out more about EA and their work.