

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE1292

## Shardey, Helen Jean

(1944 - )

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**Born** 31 October, 1944, Melbourne Victoria Australia

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**Occupation** Parliamentarian, Teacher

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### Summary

A member of the Liberal Party of Australia, Helen Shardey was elected as the Member for Caulfield in the Legislative Assembly of the Victorian Parliament in 1996. She was re-elected in 1999, 2002 and 2006. In 2002 she was appointed Shadow Minister for Community Services, and in 2005 became Shadow Minister for Health. Before her election to the State Parliament, Helen Shardey was an unsuccessful candidate in the Legislative Assembly seat of Box Hill at the Victorian state election, which was held on 1 October 1988.

### Published resources

#### Edited Book

Who's Who in Australia 2002, Herd, Margaret, 2002

#### Book

Victorian Parliamentary Handbook, no. 8, the 55th Parliament, 2004

#### Site Exhibition

Carrying on the Fight: Women Candidates in Victorian Parliamentary Elections, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2008,  
<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/cws/home.html>

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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