

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE3964

## Wardell, Teresa

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**Occupation** Social worker

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### Summary

Teresa Wardell was a foundation social worker at the Melbourne Catholic Family Welfare Bureau.

### Details

Teresa Wardell was dedicated to the professionalisation of Australian Catholic welfare. She spent time in America working in diocesan bureaux and was later employed with the UNRRA in China, as well as the Catholic Social Service Bureau, the Catholic Welfare Bureau and the Victorian Child Welfare Department back home in Australia.

### Published resources

#### Resource Section

Teresa Wardell: Gender, Catholicism and Social Welfare in Melbourne, Musgrove, Nell, 2011, <http://www.womenaustralia.info/leaders/fff/pdfs/wardell.pdf>

#### Thesis

The Professionalisation of Australian Catholic Social Welfare, 1920-1985, Gleeson, Damian John, 2006, <http://unsworks.unsw.edu.au/fapi/datastream/unsworks:1178/SOURCE1?view=true>

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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