

# The Australian Women's Register

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## National Social Welfare Commission

(1972 - 1975)

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**Born** 1 January, 1972, Canberra Australian Capital Territory Australia

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**Died** 31 December, 1975

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**Occupation** Government department

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### Summary

The National Social Welfare Commission was created by the Whitlam Labor Government in 1972. It was abolished in 1975 following the election of the Fraser Liberal-National Party Government.

As Chair of the Commission, Marie Coleman introduced the Australian Assistance Plan..

### Published resources

#### Resource

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