

Protocols for working with children in art

Exhibitions and performances funded or partly funded by the Australia Council

Does the exhibition or performance funded by the Australia Council include contemporary images that depict a real child under the age of 18 who is *fully* or *partly* naked?



YES

These protocols require that you:

- comply with all relevant laws and regulations in the state or territory in which your project takes place
- give thoughtful consideration regarding the rights of the child
- take all reasonable steps to satisfy yourself that the artist complied with the laws in force at the time the images were created. For example seek written confirmation that they followed the laws and regulations in force at the time of creating the image.

At the end of the funded activity, the Australia Council may request evidence that you have followed this requirement.



ANY DOUBTS OR CONCERNS?

We recommend that you obtain a rating classification from the Classification Board and follow any requirements the Board may impose.

The Australia Council can assist you in the process so there is no charge.

NO



These protocols do not apply to you.