

MEDIA RELEASE

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Foster Carer Snapshot data released

The Foster Care Association of Victoria today released the [2017 Foster Carer Snapshot](#). FCAV conducts an annual review of the state of foster care in Victoria. Community Service Organisations advise FCAV of the number of foster carer households under their patronage, within a two-week timeframe in March, thereby providing a 'snapshot' about the status of foster care in Victoria.

This year the data shows an encouraging trend towards an increase in recruitment of new foster carers in Victoria. [Click here to view the Snapshot](#).

This trend was also reflected in our Carer Census data released last week which showed a large proportion of responders (42%) are new carers who have been caring for up to one year. www.fcav.org.au/news/fostercarercensus

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