

10 September 2024

Dear colleagues,

On behalf of everyone at <u>Achieve Australia</u> I warmly welcome you to our organisation.

We are so pleased to be successful in securing the transition of Mercy Community's Supported Independent Living and Community Participation services for the people you support in their homes. I have heard a lot about your dedication and I look forward to getting to know everyone.

Achieve is a 'for purpose' organisation that shares similar values to Mercy Community. Our passion is social inclusion for people with disability and this includes supporting them to be well and connected to community, which is so central to your daily work.

Our colleagues at <u>Inclusive Housing Australia</u> are equally excited about assuming the Specialist Disability Accommodation responsibilities for the Mercy Community homes.

What's next?

As you know from Mercy Community CEO, Justin Lorenz, you officially join Achieve from 21 October 2024 upon accepting your offer of employment.

You will shortly receive your personal invitation to attend a meeting with our local team. In this meeting, we'll cover your offer of employment, employee benefits and more about our wonderful organisation.

Be assured about the future

Achieve has significant experience in managing complex change. We have welcomed more than 150 people to our personalised community living service in recent years. We also celebrate our people and are grateful for the diversity of life experience and skills they bring to Achieve.

As Justin said, you are in safe hands with Achieve.

I hope to meet you in person soon. Thank you for being part of this wonderful new chapter for Achieve.

Kind regards

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