



The local church **Adsafe Compliance Assistant (ACA)** works together with the local church **Adsafe Responsible Officer (ARO - typically the local Pastor**) to ensure that those in governance and child-related roles meet the safeguarding requirements.

The ACA is responsible to the ARO and, at the discretion of the local church, may hold a seat on the church Board.

Opening hours (Sydney time zone) Monday—Thursday 9:00am – 5:00pm Friday 9:00am – 12:30pm

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The role of the Adsafe Compliance Assistant is to:

- Record the list of job positions as determined by the Church Board to be child-related.
- Use the Nominating Committee report to record the names of persons designated as being in a child-related role or a Church Board member
- Determine whether those persons have completed the safeguarding requirements. These requirements are:
 - Current cleared Working With Children Check (or equivalent)
 - Awareness Training delivered by Adsafe
 - Child & Vulnerable Adult Code of Conduct delivered by Adsafe
- Verify the person's Working With Children Check (or equivalent) with the appropriate government agency if this applies in your jurisdiction.

- Monitor the meeting of safeguarding requirements.
- Inform the Adsafe Responsible Officer of a person whose:
 - WWCC has not been renewed, or has a failed clearance
 - Current Code of Conduct has not been signed
 - Awareness Training is not current

Persons not meeting safeguarding requirements should be stood down by the Adsafe Responsible Officer.



