

INFANTS AND MINORS IN THE BROLGA THEATRE POLICY

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The Brolga Theatre and Convention Centre welcomes patrons of all ages to the venue. The following policy is a guideline for the attendance of infants and minors at performances and other events at The Brolga.

AGE SUITABILITY AND THE ADMISSION OF MINORS IN THEATRES

Under Live Performance Australia's (LPA) Ticketing Code of Practice, there are no formal classifications for live performances relating to content warnings or Work, Health and Safety (WHS). As such, we can only make recommendations for infants and minors in theatres.

The venue clearly communicates content warnings, WHS concerns and age suitability to ensure patrons are able to make an informed decision when purchasing tickets for infants and minors.

It is at a parent or guardian's discretion should they choose to bring an infant or minor to a performance.

If an event is 18+ or if there is alcohol service, the entry of those under the age of 18 will be refused unless they are accompanied by a parent or guardian.

UNACCOMPANIED MINORS UNDER THE AGE OF 12 YEARS

The Brolga Theatre is an all-age's venue, however, it is a requirement that all persons under the age of 12 are accompanied by a parent or guardian while on the premises.

FREE ADMISSION FOR INFANTS TO THEATRES

The free admission age range, which is generally between 0 and 2 years of age, however this is at the discretion of the show's promoter/presenter. Infants who are offered free admission are required to sit on an adults lap and not occupy a seat. In this instance, the infant does not require a separate ticket.

If a performance does not have a free age range, a parent or guardian may choose to purchase a ticket for an infant or minor. That child must be accompanied by a ticket-holding parent or guardian at the performance.

THE REMOVAL OF DISRUPTIVE PATRONS FROM THEATRES

Any person disrupting the enjoyment of other patrons may be asked to leave a performance, event and/or the venue. In the case of those aged under 12, the attending parent or guardian may also be required to leave.

Removal of a patron is at the discretion of the Brolga Theatre and Convention Centre Front of House staff.