



at our heart



Anglican
Retirement
Villages



as we look to the future, we build on our past

In 52 years, Anglican Retirement Villages has grown from one small 'Christian Veterans Village' at Castle Hill to an organisation now caring for more than 5,000 residents and clients across the Greater Sydney region – many in our residential communities and some in their own homes.

Today, we are developing new communities, renewing many of our existing buildings, offering completely new programs through ARV Health and expanding our services in the community.

It's an important and exciting time for all of us at ARV.

Which is why we've chosen this time to refresh the way we look. You will see in the pages that follow a new public face for ARV.

As we evolve to meet the changing needs of those in our care, we do so with a proud history, a clear vision and a fresh new look that reflects the exciting times ahead.

Rob Freeman
Chief Executive





care was, is and always will be at the heart of ARV

Dorothy Mowll's vision of Christian care for others was the inspiration, motivation and driving force behind Anglican Retirement Villages.

This is unchanged.

However we have a fresh approach. We're now more focused than ever on the potential of what it means to be older, and what's possible, not what's become impossible.

Our goal is to applaud older Australians, acknowledge their wisdom and their love, and empower each and every one to live a fulfilling and enriched life.







a smarter look and a catchy name

You're about to see three important changes.

Firstly our new colours, purple and green will give us a fresh, new energy. They'll make every piece of advertising, every brochure, every member of staff and every, single sign easily recognisable as part of the ARV family.

Secondly, you'll see us calling ourselves by the simple acronym ARV. It's a more familiar version of our name and one which reflects our whole organisation. Today, we offer more than just

retirement villages. We now provide community support to people requiring help in their own homes. Plus our plans include health, social and spiritual care for older people in the wider community.

Finally, we have refreshed our emblem. It is a simplified and meaningful adaptation of our current design and we call it 'the embrace'. It's a perfect demonstration of the care ARV puts at the heart of everything we do.



pride in our new uniform

If you've ever worn a uniform you know the pride it can instil. Many of the older Australians we now help care for, understand this better than anyone.

At ARV, we're incredibly proud of our staff. Our fulltime care-givers, Registered Nurses, therapists, administration staff and our amazing volunteers are the best advocates we could ever have.

That's why, in the weeks ahead, you'll start to see ARV

staff wearing our new, unified wardrobe. It's comfortable, functional and will give our staff a consistent look featuring our new, vibrant colours.

All of which means they'll be easier to recognise in our villages and in the wider community. You'll always know who's a member of the ARV family, and that you'll get the best possible care from them.



BEACH PATROL





a simple but powerful approach

ARV are unashamedly, members of the 'ageing positively' movement; older people have much to live for, much to give, and much life left to live.

Our approach is to stay open to the idea that 'I am still creating my life.' To be hopeful, kindly, cheerful, eccentric. We strive for a world where all older people live their lives in comfort, freely, securely, with dignity, companionship and peace of mind.

Our passion is to see lives enriched as life is lived to the full. Where every person has the opportunity to participate in and make a contribution to the life of their community.

This same passion drives our efforts to continuously improve our care and services as we listen and respond to needs and preferences.

getting older – a celebration of life

For over 50 years ARV has been providing care to older Australians in a manner consistent with Christian values. Today, we provide catering, laundry services, health and wellbeing programs, community services and of course, retirement accommodation and care to over 5,000 residents and clients. For older people who want to celebrate life, we exist to fill older age with more life.

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