1. The draft National Plan to Reduce Violence Against Women and their Children (2010-2022) (National Plan) sets out a framework over the next 12 years for the Australian, State and Territory governments and the non-government sector to work together to reduce violence.
2. The National Plan, over 12 years, is built around six supporting outcomes and 59 actions in its first three-year Action Plan that complement works already underway in Queensland in implementing *For our Sons and Daughters: a Queensland Government Strategy to reduce domestic and family violence 2009-2014* (Strategy).
3. Another national initiative is the Australian Law Reform Commission (ALRC) Inquiry into family violence that examines the interaction of State and Territory family/domestic violence and child protection laws.
4. There is significant overlap between Queensland’s current review of the *Domestic and Family Violence Protection Act 1989* and the ALRC’s inquiry. The Queensland Government response identifies the overlaps, feedback from consultation and issues that Queensland needs to consider in developing its policy position, including where resource implications are identified.
5. Cabinet approved, in principle, support for the National Plan to Reduce Violence Against Women and their Children 2010-2022.
6. Cabinet noted progress on Queensland’s domestic and family violence strategy (*For our Sons and Daughters: a Queensland Government Strategy to reduce domestic and family violence 2009-2014*) and Program of Action 2009-2010.
7. Cabinet endorsed the Queensland response to the Australian Law Reform Commission (ALRC) Inquiry *Family Violence: Improving Legal Frameworks*.
8. *Attachments*
* [Progress on the Strategy and Program of Action](Attachments/Progress%20on%20the%20Strategy%20and%20Program%20of%20Action.pdf)
* [Queensland Government submission to the Australian Law Reform Commission Inquiry into Family Violence](Attachments/Qld%20Govt%20submission%20to%20the%20ALRC%20Inquiry.pdf)