



Pictured above: an portion of Returning from Visit artwork commissioned from Casey Coolwell-Fisher, CHABOO, by CHQ reflecting our commitment to the Health Equity/ Legislation 2020



# Kam Biman paediatric project

**Providing warmth and comfort to children and families during their palliative care journey**

Featuring artwork by Robin 'Goma' Colan, the Kam Biman project has developed specially designed paediatric covers for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children who are on their palliative care journey.

The Kam Biman\* project's covers are available when accessing palliative care in hospitals, hospices or homes throughout Children's Health Queensland, selected Metro North Health Service facilities and Hummingbird House. Clients accessing palliative support from the statewide Paediatric Palliative Care Service (PPCS) are also eligible to receive a cover.



## Kare Pall plush toys

In addition to the covers, Kare Pall plush toys also aim to provide warmth and comfort throughout the palliative care journey. Both the covers and plush toys can be a symbolic token of love during the grieving and healing journey for families.

*Sometimes hospitals feel scary when we visit or have to stay, and can make us feel sad and lonely from missing home. Kare Palls are here to look after all the Jarjums!*

Yarn with your PPCS provider, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health worker or liaison officer for more information.





The Kam Biman artwork was designed by proud Kullilli, Koa, Wakka Wakka and Kabi Kabi artist Robin 'Goma' Conlon.



## Galang nguruindhau!

(Good day/welcome in Turrbul)

I'm Kippa Kangaroo and I'm a Kare Pall.  
There is a big Kare Pall mob here at the hospital –  
Dottie Dugong, Kuzzy Koala, Cruz Crocodile and Sadie Shark.  
Being a Kare Pall means it's our job to help Jarjums feel  
safe when visiting the hospital here or at home.



### Backpacks and activity kits

A range of Kam Biman backpacks are also available to keep covers and Kare Palls together. Additional activity packs within the bags include lots of puzzles, pencils and colouring-in pages to keep everyone busy while visiting the hospital. Backpacks and activity kits can be provided to brothers, sisters and cousins who visit the hospital too!

### Contact us

The Paediatric Palliative Care Service can be contacted by calling 07 3068 1839, emailing [ppcsmob@health.qld.gov.au](mailto:ppcsmob@health.qld.gov.au) or by visit or website [qch-palliative-care](http://qch-palliative-care)



Children's Health Queensland pays respect to the traditional custodians of the lands on which we walk, work, talk and live. We also acknowledge and pay our respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Elders past, present and future.