

Chief Executive Officer of Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited, Mr Ian Mill said he was very pleased with the association that his organization had with Busy Inc Employment and Training Services that facilitated the employment of indigenous people in aged care facilities operated by Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited.

Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited operates residential aged care facilities in Rockhampton at Bethany, Leinster Place and McAuley Place, retirement villages at The Range Village and Bethany Village as well as Mercy Day Therapy Centre and Mercy Day Respite Centre.

“To recognize and celebrate our valued and worthwhile association with Busy Inc Employment and Training Services, a Morning Tea was held on Friday 26 August at Middle Hall, The Range here in Rockhampton” Mr Mill said.

The Morning Tea was attended by Mr Mill and Ms Lesley Schneider (Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited), Sr Beverley Strong and Sr Brenda Moss (Rockhampton Sisters of Mercy), Ms Maria Mallinson (Divisional Manager of Busy Inc), Mr Gordon Reid (Project Manager Busy Inc) and Mr Ric Stumpf (Department of Education, Employment and Work Place Relations) and representatives of Mercy Aged Care Services.

Ms Mallinson said that Busy Inc were very pleased to work in partnership with organizations such as Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited to provide employment opportunities for indigenous people in aged care which was one of the fastest growing employment sectors in Australia

Mr Mill said the success of the partnership that Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland had with Busy Inc was very much due to the commitment and dedication of Mercy Aged Care Services, Director of Nursing Ms Lesley Schneider and he extended his sincere appreciation and congratulations to Ms Schneider for her tireless efforts.

“Mercy Health and Aged Care Central Queensland Limited is committed to continuing to provide employment opportunities for indigenous people and thanks to this partnership we have with Busy Inc the indigenous carers we employ are making an outstanding contribution to the delivery of quality and compassionate aged care services to the residents in our aged care facilities” Mr Mill said.