



## Policy Instruments

The department has developed a Policy Instruments Framework to:

- Enhance access to the department's policy instruments through a centralised index
- Maintain version control to ensure up-to-date information is available
- Encourage consistent approach across the department
- Ensure transparency and accountability to stakeholders and the public

The Policy Instruments Framework comprises of:

### Policy through law

- [Commonwealth legislation](#)
- [Commonwealth legislative instruments](#)
- [Queensland legislation](#)
- [Queensland subordinate legislation](#)

### Policy through government action

- [Policy](#)
- [Directives](#)
- [Standards](#)
- [Procedures](#)
- [Authorities and Delegations](#)
- [Guidelines](#)
- [Supporting documents](#)

See the  [Quick Guide to definitions for Policy Instruments Framework](#) for more information and examples.