# The Australian Women's Register

**Entry type:** Person **Entry ID:** AWE1976

## Reid, Karen

Nationality Australian

Occupation Nurse

### Summary

Karen Reid is a committed Christian activist who has run once for parliament: New South Wales Legislative Assembly, East Hills, 2003. Her motivation to run as a Christian Democrat Party candidate was a worsening moral decline and the lack of Christian values in the society. Karen Reid's main duties, as stated by her party, are those of a wife and mother. At the time of her campaign, she had four children ranging in age from 4 to 13. She was an enrolled nurse, and helped with a church-organised weekly play group.

#### Published resources

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### **Site Exhibition**

Putting Skirts on the Sacred Benches: Women Candidates for the New South Wales Parliament, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2006, <a href="http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/pssb/home.html">http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/pssb/home.html</a>

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