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More than 45 years of combined service for Life Members

Leading Queensland disability service provider Multicap has announced two new Life Members.

Ms Sandra Williams and Mr John Gallimore were awarded life membership status for exceptional service to Multicap and people with disability.

Multicap Chief Executive Officer Joanne Jessop said the awards honoured Multicap's history.

'They remind us that we are custodians of an organisation that has an amazing past made possible by many people who have provided exceptional service and support that has improved the lives of people with disability,' she said.

'Sandra and John are outstanding contributors to Multicap and its purpose of enhancing the lives of people with disability.'

Ms Williams is Multicap's Executive Assistant, starting with the organisation more than 25 years ago.

'On my very first day, I was immediately made to feel part of the Multicap family,' she said. 'Although I do not provide direct support, all staff are responsible for enhancing the lives of our customers. I enjoy contributing to something meaningful and working with caring professionals.'

Mr Gallimore has been a member of the Multicap Board since 1997. The former partner of Brisbane law firm Allens Linklaters is also a Director of charity organisation Brisbane Housing Company Limited.

'It is an honour to serve on the Board of Multicap and to be awarded Life Membership,' John said. 'The work the organisation does to continually create opportunities for our customers is exceptional.'

In Multicap's 55-year history, only 24 people have been awarded life membership. The first life membership was awarded to Reverend SB Ford in 1965. Ford House, a short-term accommodation facility at Multicap's Eight Mile Plains campus, is named in his honour.

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Multicap is a leading Queensland disability support agency, assisting more than 800 people with disability and their families throughout Queensland and Northern New South Wales. We provide accommodation, respite, assisted employment and training, specialist services, activities and classes, and social support. Our aim is to enhance the quality of life of people with disability and their families.