



Notice of Annual General Meeting 2025



Annual General Meeting of Fragile X Association of Australia Inc

Date: Sunday 23 November 2025

Time: 3:00—4:15 pm AEDT

Place: Online via Zoom

1. **Welcome:** Dr Cynthia Roberts PhD, President

2. **Apologies**

3. **Announcement of Awards 2025**

Achievement Awards

Volunteer Awards

4. **Confirmation of Minutes of Annual General Meeting held 1 December 2024**

5. **Matters Arising from the Minutes**

6. **Treasurer's Report and Appointment of Auditor**

7. **President's Report**

8. ***Year in Review* and Presentation of Annual Report 2025**

9. **Election of Members to Board positions**

Nominees for re-election: **Adam Lawrence-Slater, Alison Evans, Belinda D'Amico**

Nominees for election: **Michael Miceli, Phil Eastbury**

10. **Other Business / Reports**

Fragile X Care | Adults & Ageing study—update

Treatments for Fragile X syndrome — the horizon

Co-funded by the Department of Health

FXAA Life Membership nomination

RSVP date: 19 November 2025 Email: support@fragilex.org.au or 1300 394 636

Register here for a Zoom link to attend the AGM:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUrc-gurDwoGdb24sGuxqPw4r270Ah7BE_B

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Election of Board Members

Nominees Proposed for Re-election



Adam Lawrence-Slater

Adam lives in Sydney with his wife Charlotte and their teenage son Joshua who was diagnosed with Fragile X syndrome and Autism when he was two. After completing a Bachelor of Economics degree Adam worked at Qantas for over 25 years in commercial planning, strategy and operational roles. Adam has also worked for four years in a financial planning and analytics role at Hireup, an NDIS online platform that enables people with a disability to find the right support workers for them. He is a passionate disability advocate and would like to help improve the outcomes of people in the Fragile X community and the effectiveness of the NDIS. Adam was first appointed to the Board at the AGM in October 2019 and has served as Treasurer since 2019.



Alison Evans

Alison is a corporate communication leader who helps organisations achieve strategic outcomes by aligning people behind a common purpose, inspiring behaviour change, and building stakeholder awareness and advocacy. Her deep change-communication expertise and experience as a radio news journalist have helped FXAA strengthen member communications, grow awareness, and advocate for individuals and families affected by Fragile X-associated conditions. Following prenatal genetic screening, Alison discovered she is a Fragile X premutation carrier and experienced first-hand the gaps in clinical understanding. She is passionate about bridging these knowledge gaps in the health sector, and more broadly in the community, to ensure families receive timely, accurate, and comprehensive information and care. Alison was first appointed to the Board at the AGM in November 2022 and has served as Secretary since December 2024.



Belinda DÁmico

Belinda is a devoted advocate for people with disability and a proud mum of two young boys with Fragile X syndrome. After a successful career as a Chartered Accountant in senior finance leadership roles, Belinda's life and purpose shifted following her sons' diagnoses. She became actively involved with the Fragile X Association of Australia, where she was later elected to the Board and continues to be an active member. Inspired to help other families navigate the NDIS, Belinda went on to found a NDIS-registered organisation in Western Sydney specialising in Support Coordination. Belinda brings compassion, lived experience, and strong governance insight to her roles, championing inclusion, awareness, and meaningful outcomes for families across the disability community. Belinda was first appointed to the Board at the AGM in November 2021.

Election of Board Members

Nominees Proposed for Election



Michael Miceli

Michael is an experienced professional in enterprise and operational risk. He serves on the Board of a not-for-profit organisation as chair of the committee which provides oversight to the organisation's finances, investment strategy, and risk management functions. Michael believes that his professional experience in risk management and governance will be especially helpful to the Board of Fragile X Association of Australia as it remains a key focus for organisations to remain operationally sound, and would be key in enabling FXAA to achieve its mission to support people living with Fragile X through connection, education and advocacy. On a personal level, Michael is particularly drawn to FXAA as his brother-in-law lives with Fragile X syndrome and his wife is a carrier. He says it cannot be overstated how grateful he and his wife are to FXAA for their advocacy and work to help those living with Fragile X in Australia and he is eager to contribute to the success of FXAA as a member of the Board.



Phil Eastbury

Phil and his wife Leighee have two sons living with Fragile X syndrome - Hayden, 17 and Jake, 14. Phil has been a member of Fragile X Association of Australia since 2012. Phil has hosted a number of awareness and fundraising events including a screening of the film "Mission to Lars", which was attended by Prof Gillian Turner AO and community members in Newcastle. More recently he has facilitated an online peer support group for fathers & male carers who have a family member with Fragile x syndrome. Phil has held senior management roles for a large not-for-profit organisation and served as a board member and director for his local church. Phil and his family have been travelling around Australia since May 2024 and have connected with the Fragile X community at every point in their travels. Phil looks forward to continuing to support the work of FXAA as a member of the Board.