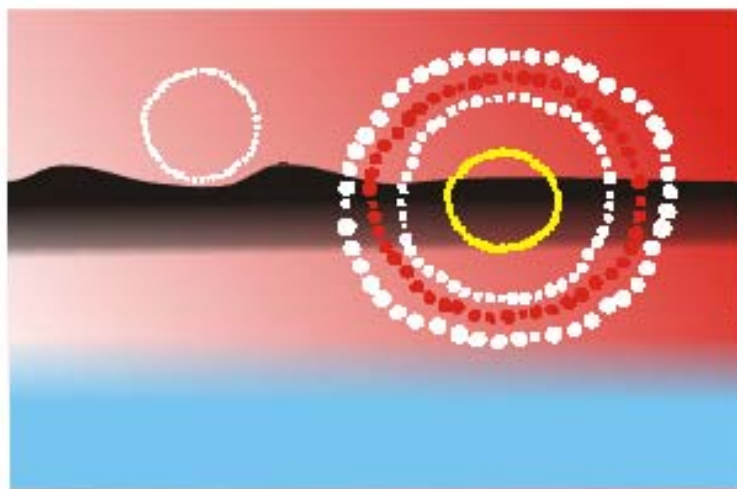


Ruah Community Services

Perth Aboriginal Resources Directory



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Foreword

Ruah Community Services is on an organisational journey to increase its responsiveness to the Aboriginal community. Ruah has developed a cross-organisational strategic framework spanning five years (2007-11) to guide this process. The framework is focused on ensuring a culturally competent workforce, providing Aboriginal people with access to culturally secure services and fostering an organisational culture that celebrates and promotes Aboriginal culture and its rightful place in Australian society.

Guided by this framework, Ruah seeks to include an Aboriginal perspective and to pay attention to Aboriginal people's needs as a matter of priority rather than as an afterthought. Thus when Ruah received Health Department of WA funding via the Mental Health Division for a resource unit focusing on children, families and mental health (now known as Perspectives) one of the initial resource projects was the compilation of a directory of existing resources relevant to Aboriginal people.

Ruah has also made a commitment to celebrating the anniversary of the Commonwealth Government's apology to the stolen generation that occurred on February 13, 2008. The occasion is used as an opportunity for Ruah to reflect on what it has done over the preceding 12 months to increase its responsiveness to Aboriginal people and identify the challenges that are still before it. At the 2009 anniversary, Ruah announced its intention to put this directory together. Twelve months later, at the 2010 gathering, this directory was launched. It is being made available to the wider community, in particular groups and agencies who provided information for its compilation. Ruah's hope is that its use will benefit the Aboriginal community by contributing to more effective service and community resource access for Aboriginal people.

Perspectives on children, families and mental health is a resource unit working to support the capacity of the health and human services sectors in Western Australia to work together to improve outcomes for children and families where a parent experiences a mental illness.

Perspectives arises from the work of the WA Children of Parent with Mental Illness (COPMI) Project. This work was initiated by the then Office of Mental Health in the commissioning of the Pathways to Resilience report (Office of Mental Health 2002) which describes the vulnerabilities of this group of children and their families and the systemic and clinical issues that impede service delivery and good outcomes.

The name **Perspectives** on children families and mental health is a very deliberate choice. It recognises that all services, sectors, professional and consumer and carer points of view are important if we are to further our understanding and ability to respond to children and families and the recovery journey.

Perspectives 
on children, families & mental health



AGED SERVICES

Advocare Aboriginal Access Program	Information and referral, education about rights and responsibilities, support for older people to access aged and community care services and advocacy in relation to difficulties with such services. Works with Aboriginal families, carers and service providers. Phone for more information	Phone: 9479 7566 Address: 1/190 Abernethy Rd Belmont Email: rights@advocare.org.au Website: www.advocare.org.au/aap.php
Jacaranda Community Centre	Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including Indigenous Active Aging program 9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.	Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219 Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895 Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au
Kwoburup	Centre-based program for HACC eligible Aboriginal people, aged over 45, living in the city of Cockburn. Provides a cultural arts program, outings and other activities identified by participants. Mon and Wed 8am-5pm Meal cost \$7 Costs for outings may apply	Phone: 9314 6363 Address: Cnr of Healy Rd and Ingram St Hamilton Hill Email: bbaker@cockburn.wa.gov.au Website: www.cockburn.wa.gov.au
Mirambeena	Service for frail, elderly, disabled and carers. Day care centre, personal care, domestic assistance for south west metro HACC region. Services include transport assistance, meals, counselling, support and advocacy. Mon, Tue and Thu 9am-3pm	Phone: 9439 1179 Address: 13 Leasham Way Medina



ACCOMMODATION

Aboriginal Hostels	Head office for Aboriginal accommodation services such as Allawah Grove, Derbarl Bidjar and country hostels (Derby Broome Kalgoorlie). Also administers funding for community hostels for transients,	Phone: 9325 6770 Address: 256 Adelaide Terrace Perth Website: www.ahl.gov.au
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	<p>students and drug and alcohol users. Costs vary according to circumstances and income. Please ring first 9am-5pm 7 days a week</p>	
<p>Anawim Aboriginal Women's Service (Ruah Community Services)</p>	<p>A community centre that provides a range of professional services for sole Indigenous women escaping family or social violence, homelessness or other crisis.</p> <p>There is also a co-located emergency housing intake service to provide crisis housing and link women to the centre services.</p> <p>Anawim aims to journey with women as they work towards accessing sustainable housing and an improved quality of life.</p>	<p>Phone: 9328 7562 Address: PO Box 8414 Stirling St Perth 6849 Website: ruah.com.au/page/anawim</p>
<p>Coolabaroo Housing Service</p>	<p>Provision of transitional housing and support for Aboriginal families at risk. Possible waiting list - priority to greatest need.</p> <p>Eligibility: Aboriginal, South of River – Cannington to Armadale. Homeswest eligibility criteria (can be negotiated).</p> <p>Open: 8.30am–4.30pm daily Phone first</p>	<p>Phone: 9490 4333 Address: 2117 Albany Highway Gosnells</p>
<p>Daydawn Advocacy Centre</p>	<p>Support, advocacy and negotiation on behalf of Aboriginal people in relation to a variety of housing issues, including homelessness, housing applications, housing disputes, public housing appeals, inspections, waiting lists, and evictions.</p>	<p>Phone: 9218 8035 0409 910 529 Address: 9/5 Aberdeen St Piccadilly Square Central Perth PO Box 8750 PBC Perth 6849 Email: daydawn@perthcatholic.org.au</p>
<p>Derbal Bidjar Hostel</p>	<p>Temporary accommodation for people accessing medical services. Costs covered by PATS. Some transients accepted if space available.</p> <p>8am–5.30pm 24 hrs 7 days per week</p>	<p>Phone: 9371 9091 Address: 6-8 Harrow St Maylands</p>

Ebenezer Homes	Accommodation and support for Aboriginal young people. Crisis accommodation for females 15-24 yrs. Supported transitional accommodation for males and females aged 15-25 yrs. Ring first. Referral may be required. Eligibility: need to be able to cope with and participate in a home environment. Costs vary by age and Hostel.	Phone: Admin (office hours) 9440 1736 Crisis home (24 hrs) 9247 1330 Address: Northern Suburbs Email: Ebenezer@tpg.com.au
Karnany Aboriginal Corporation	Crisis Accommodation. Also blankets, clothing, food vouchers or parcels, assistance with Bills. Wed only. Ring for appointment	Phone: 9274 7929 Address: 2/21 Spring Park Rd Midland
Noongar Mia Mia	Rental housing with option to purchase Waiting list applies Mon-Fri 9am-5pm	Phone: 9321 1066 Email: miamia@bigpond.net.au
Outcare	Range of services including accommodation provision, referral, and advocacy. Short term or crisis accommodation may be available depending on demand. Contact for more information	Phone: 6263 8622 Address: 27 Moore Stt East Perth Website: www.outcare.com.au Email: outcare@outcare.com.au



COMMUNITY CENTRES

Armadale Noongar Corporation	Men's Social Development Program. Community linking, information exchange, social support etc. Some camps Contact for more info Mon-Fri 9am-3pm	Phone: 9497 3812 Address: Lot 12, 802 Albany Hwy Bedforddale
Coolabaroo Neighbourhood Centre	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Aboriginal Early Years Support Service (transport available). Please ring first. 2. Childcare Centre and kindergarten. 6 weeks to 5 years. Cost according to income. Waiting list may apply. City of Gosnells residents only. 3. Emergency Relief Appointment required. City of Gosnells and surrounding areas. 4. After School Care (cost according to income) Mon to Fri 7.30am–5.30pm	Phone: 9459 3868 Address: 73 Parkside Drive Thornlie
Champion Centre	Many providers at the centre, eg: Mission Employment, HACC, Nyungar language classes, home-based school learning, Hip Hop program. Costs variable. Premises can be hired for events.	Phone: 9399 6063 9498 3631, or 9498 2569 Address: 76 Champion Dve Armadale

	Centre: Mon-Fri 9am-3pm Mission Employment: Wed 9am-2pm Noongar language: Thu 10am-11am HACC: Thu morning	
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culturally appropriate financial counselling and advocacy (Belmont and surrounding areas only) • Indigenous Active Aging program • Indigenous Young Mums' program • Drug and Alcohol Counselling (Fri by appointment) • First Click and Second Click computer programs • Indigenous history of Belmont reconciliation program. • Noongar language and art program Mon and Wed (lunch included) • Local Answers Indigenous Family Support Program • Indigenous Court Support working with and supporting children and their families. • Journey of living with diabetes (Tue 10am) • Emergency Relief (Belmont and surrounding areas) • Cultural events (eg: NAIDOC, Harmony Day) <p>9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219</p> <p>Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont</p> <p>PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895</p> <p>Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>
Karnany Aboriginal Corporation	<p>Crisis Accommodation. Also blankets, clothing, food vouchers or parcels, assistance with Bills. Wed only. Ring for appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9274 7929 Address: 2/21 Spring Park Rd Midland</p>
Koolbardies Talking	<p>Meeting place for Indigenous and non-Indigenous women, providing an opportunity to share stories and change public perceptions. Activities include learning the Noongar language and guest speakers. Meetings held on the 3rd Mon of every month, excluding school holidays, 10.30am-12pm.</p>	<p>Phone: 0411 151 761 Address: Greenfields Community Centre, Cnr Waldron Blvd and Murdoch Dve Greenfields Mandurah</p>
Langford Aboriginal Association	<p>Neighbourhood Centre. Free programs for community members – eg: computer classes, women's group, drop in centre, children's group.</p> <p>Mon–Thu 9am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9451 1424 Address: 180 Imber Place, Cnr Imber Turn</p> <p>Email: la54218@bigpond.net.au</p>

Maamba Aboriginal Corporation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strong Families Program provides lead agency support, advocacy and liaison services to support clients when dealing with Homeswest, Centrelink, DCP, Police, Fines enforcement, Health and/or Education. 2. Reconnect Transitional program for Aboriginal youth aged 12-18 years, who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. Provides counselling, support, mentoring, healing, mediation and advocacy. Male and Female Counsellors on hand to offer information and referrals where necessary. 3. Maamba Community Drug Counselling Program. Provides information, support and referrals in relation to any substance misuse issues. 4. Follow the Dream bus service provides after school transport for kids attending after school homework classes. Also Coaster Bus Service where the bus can be hired out to local community groups. More information available on contact. 5. Women's group. Provides resources for women to meet regularly to participate in activities, excursions, community events, workshops and forums together. 6. Space available for meetings, more information available on contact. 	<p>Phone: 9258 3411 9258 9576</p> <p>Address: 176–178 Gibbs St East Cannington</p> <p>Phone: 9258 3422</p> <p>Address: 305 Welshpool Rd Queens Park</p> <p>Website: www.maambaaboriginalcorporation.com.au</p>
Miya Kaadadjiny Learning Sanctuary	<p>Cooking, craft, sewing, and gardening. All Aboriginal family members welcome to come along. No need to ring first No cost Sun 3.30pm – 5.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 0419 047 009</p> <p>Address: Behind Girrawheen High School – take 2nd driveway down to demountable</p>
Moorditch Yorga (Mission Australia)	<p>Living skills group run in conjunction with Coolabaroo, includes crafts, cooking, nutrition, health and fitness etc. Cost: \$4. Please ring first. Gosnells and surrounding areas only Thu 10.30am-12.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9493 2447</p> <p>Address: 40 Orr St Maddington</p>
South Lake Ottey Family and Neighbourhood	<p>Meeting place in a friendly environment. Programs include Health and Well Being, Parenting, Women and Children, general counselling and welfare assistance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indigenous health program. 	<p>Phone: 9417 2372</p> <p>Address: 2A South Lake Dve South Lake</p>

Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indigenous Playgroups. • Indigenous Artist in Residence <p>Mon–Fri 8.30am-5pm Phone for info or just drop in Membership fee \$3 May be other low fees depending on the program</p>	
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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Indigenous Business Australia	Home loans for Indigenous people; assistance to Indigenous people to establish, grow and manage small to medium size business, research and building collaborative relationships, investment in business opportunities.	<p>Phone: 9327 7711 Address: Level 10, 55 St George's Tce Perth</p> <p>Website: www.iba.gov.au</p>
Indigenous Community Volunteers	<p>NGO providing volunteers to go out to Aboriginal communities (country or metro) and share skills/resources to enable the community to better operate for themselves in future. For example: governance, submission writing, administration, book-keeping etc.</p> <p>ICV provides cost of flight and food allowance, the community must provide accommodation.</p> <p>Ring for an application form (also available on website)</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am–5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 6363 4502 or toll free 1800 819 542 Address: Level 5, 33 Barrack St Perth</p> <p>GPO Box 2751 Perth 6831</p> <p>Website: www.icv.com.au</p>
Indigenous Land Corporation	<p>Assists with land purchase/acquisition and management with focus on training and employment</p> <p>Application via website</p> <p>Mon to Fri 9am-5 pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9420 6300 Address: Level 6, 182 St George's Terrace Perth</p> <p>Email: westernoffice@ilc.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.ilc.gov.au</p>
South West Land and Sea Council	<p>Native Title representative body, natural resource management, oral history program</p> <p>Mon to Fri 9am–5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9358 7400 Address: Hometown Centre, 1490 Albany Hwy Cannington</p> <p>Email: reception1@noongar.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.noongar.org.au</p>



COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Bringing them Home Committee	<p>Organisation dedicated to facilitating the implementation of the Bringing Them Home Report recommendations</p>	<p>Phone: Alan 0428 250 155 Jim 0408 917 133</p> <p>Email: Alan.Carter@watercorporation.com.au or Jim.Morrison@dsc.wa.gov.au</p>
Kaditj Internet Café	<p>Friendly, community oriented venue offering a range of light snacks, coffee and access to computers and internet. Aboriginal Training positions in relation to hospitality and associated industries. Conference and training rooms. Dedicated Functions Co-ordinator. Catering available.</p>	<p>Phone: 9228 0614 Address: 201 Beaufort St Perth</p> <p>Website: www.kaditj.com.au</p>
Kulbardi Productions	<p>Kulbardi Productions is the primary media production studio at Murdoch University. It specializes in cultural, educational, instructional, and promotional media and multimedia products.</p> <p>Award winning documentary and drama filmmaking team provides a premium service, which covers all management, creative, and technical aspects of film, digital video and new media productions.</p>	<p>Phone: 9360 6469 9360 6468</p> <p>Email: kulbardiproductions@murdoch.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.kulbardiproductions.com.au</p>
Madjartil Moorna	<p>This Choir enjoys singing in English and in Language – songs of joy and hope and love and fun.</p> <p>\$8 per session for waged members and \$2 per session for unwaged members.</p> <p>Rehearsals Mon nights. Everyone welcome. Phone first to check meeting times and places.</p>	<p>Phone: 0409 116 460 Address: Anderson Rd Community Centre, Anderson Rd, Forrestfield</p> <p>Email: contactus@madjartilmoorna.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.madjartilmoorna.org.au</p>
Nyoongar Sports Association	<p>Designs and delivers culturally appropriate sports programs and projects in Perth and throughout south west WA. Can assist with sport and recreation program start ups. No cost to program participants Contact for more Information Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.45pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9249 5221 Address: Unit 1 48 Irvine Drive Malaga</p> <p>Email: reception@nyoongarsport.com.au</p>
Nyoongar Patrol	<p>Street level intervention in public places around Fremantle, Midland, Northbridge and Town of Vincent, to address social and welfare issues,</p>	<p>Phone: 9228 42 11 Office Address: 28 Lindsay St Perth</p>

	transport to a safe place, provision of appropriate referrals. Day and Night Patrols Mon to Sat.	Email: office@nyoongar.com.au
Reconciliation Groups	<p>The purpose of these groups is to build relationships and friendships between Aboriginal and Non-Aboriginal people on a basis of mutual understanding and trust.</p> <p>The groups aim to work together to understand our mutual and often painful history and to build a united future based on justice and equity for all.</p>	<p>Northern Suburbs Phone: Jesse 0408 139 556 Elli 0405 119 533 Email: ital_visions@hotmail.com elli.mutton@hotmail.com</p> <p>East Metro Phone: Clare 0403 984 003 Kat 0408 958 485 Email: claregoodall@yahoo.com</p> <p>Walyalup (Melville/Fremantle) Phone: Margaret 9330 1791 Email: matassa@bigpond.com</p> <p>Vincent Phone: Anne/Joe 9227 5746 Email: joe_anne@inet.net.au</p> <p>Queers for Reconciliation Phone: Alan 0428 250 155 Jim 0408 917 133 Email: Alan.carter@watercorporation.com.au Jim.Morrison@dsc.wa.gov.au</p>
South West Aboriginal Entertainment	Provides live music and live music events. Cost depends on the act and the event. Contact for more information. Mon to Fri 10am-5pm	Phone: 0404 496 877 Email: info@swaeonline.com Website: www.swaeonline.com
WA Indigenous Tourism Operators Corporation (WAITOC Association Inc.)	<p>Peak industry body for Aboriginal tourism. Promotes Aboriginal Experiences. Plays a coordinating role. Supports Aboriginal people wanting to get into the tourism industry. Supports existing operators to further develop.</p> <p>Welcome to Country services, information, guidelines and contacts.</p> <p>No charge for info only. Membership \$80 + GST, Associate \$70 + GST</p>	Phone: 0419 921 946 Email: waitoc@westernaustralia.com.au Website: www.waitoc.com



COUNSELLING SERVICES

ARBOR (Active Response Bereavement Outreach)	<p>Support service for people bereaved by suicide. Works closely with other support services. Home visits, peer support, short term counselling, support groups, referral advice and support returning to work.</p> <p>Self referral via Duty Line Mon to Fri 9am-4pm Agency referral via Duty Line or email/fax referral form</p> <p>Eligibility: Metro area and bereaved by suicide</p>	<p>Phone: 9266 1029 Address: Curtin Uni Building 108 Bentley Campus PO Box U1987 Perth WA 6845</p> <p>Email: arbor-support@curtin.edu.au Website: www.ichr.uwa.edu.au/preventingsuicide/arbor</p>
Reclaiming Voices WA Inc.	<p>Advocacy and support for Women victims/survivors of sexual assault and sexual abuse.</p> <p>Appointment required.</p> <p>Ring first Mon to Fri 9am-4pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9226 4170 Address: 1st Floor, Carillion Tower, Murray St Perth</p> <p>Email: rvoices1@whs.org.au Website: www.rvoices.org.au</p>
YORGUM Aboriginal Family Counselling Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child sexual abuse therapeutic Service • Children Experiencing Family Violence Service • Family Violence Counselling and Advocacy Service • Link up scheme (adoption or removal related to past government policy) • Community Development Unit <p>Referrals appreciated Ring first or drop in Mon to Fri 9am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9218 9477 Address: 176 Wittenoom St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.yorgum.com.au</p>



CULTURAL CENTRES

Beananging Kwuurt Institute	<p>Provides services to Aboriginal people from the site of the former Sister Kate's Children's Home.</p> <p>Heritage and Cultural services and Facilities include planning for an education and conference centre, education programs and a multipurpose museum.</p>	<p>Phone: 9350 9973 Address: 188-190 Treasure Road Queens Park</p> <p>Email: bki@eftel.net.au</p>
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Berndt Museum of Anthropology	<p>Holds an extensive collection of artefacts including collections of photographs and children's paintings from Carrolup.</p> <p>Mon & Wed 2pm-4.30pm Fri 10am-2pm</p> <p>Other times by arrangement</p>	<p>Phone: 6488 2854 Address: Ground Floor, Social Sciences Building, UWA, Hacket Drive, (entrance No 1) Nedlands</p> <p>Email: bmuseum@cyllene.uwa.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.berndt.uwa.edu.au/Berndt/index.html</p>
City of Joondalup Local History Collection	<p>Enhances cultural development through community participation in the collection, preservation and usage of the recorded history of the Wanneroo and Joondalup regions.</p> <p>Special collection of resources on Aboriginal Culture is available to view.</p> <p>Internet access is available. Open: Mon to Fri 9am-5pm; Sat 9.30am-12.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9400 4746 Address: Joondalup Library Corner Boas Ave and Lakeside Drive</p> <p>Email: Local.history@joondalup.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.joondalup.wa.gov.au</p>
Dumbartang	<p>Cultural Resource Agency & Gallery and Keeping Rooms Negotiable charge for group tours and lectures in the Gallery Mon to Fri 10am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9451 4977 Address: 295 Manning Rd Waterford</p> <p>Email: Kyana1@inet.net.au</p>
Find Your Mob	<p>Department of Indigenous Affairs program to assist Aboriginal people to find their family, ancestors and links to country through the many government records held.</p> <p>Strict rules apply as materials may be highly sensitive.</p>	<p>Phone: 9235 8000 or 9274 4288</p> <p>Email: findyourmob@dia.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au/Heritage--Culture/Find-Your-Mob/</p>
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indigenous history of Belmont reconciliation program • Noongar language and art program Mon and Wed (lunch included) • Cultural events (eg NAIDOC, Harmony Day). <p>9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219 Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895</p> <p>Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>

Koombah-jenn Aboriginal Urban Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Noongar culture, language and history classes • Provides cultural and cross cultural programs to schools and agencies • Welcome to country services (fees apply) • Support, advocacy, information and referral services <p>Mon to Fri 9am-4pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9342 1201 9343 4530</p> <p>Address: 23 Meldrum Wy Koondoola</p> <p>Email: ausc@bigpond.com</p>
Kwoburup	<p>Centre based program for HACC eligible Aboriginal people, aged over 45, living in the city of Cockburn. Provides a cultural arts program, outings and other activities identified by participants.</p> <p>Mon and Wed 8am-5pm Meal cost \$7 Costs for outings may apply</p>	<p>Phone: 9314 6363</p> <p>Address: Cnr of Healy Rd and Ingram St Hamilton Hill</p> <p>Email: bbaker@cockburn.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.cockburn.wa.gov.au</p>
Maalinup Aboriginal Gallery	<p>Aboriginal owned and operated. Aboriginal Arts, Crafts, Artifacts, including authentic Didgeridoos, Clapping Sticks, real returning Boomerangs.</p> <p>Exhibition and sale of works by Noongar Artists and crafts people of the South West. Hand made and hand painted gifts and souvenirs. Napery, stationery and giftware featuring Aboriginal designs.</p> <p>Extensive range of Australian native herbs, spices and peppers. Gourmet produce featuring Australian native food plants. Bushtucker garden.</p> <p>Activities available – must be booked in advance.</p> <p>10am–5pm daily (except Christmas, Boxing and New Year’s days and Good Friday)</p> <p>Entry to gallery is free, but charges apply to activities.</p>	<p>Phone: 9296 0711</p> <p>Address: 10070 West Swan Rd, Henley Brook</p> <p>Email: manager@maalinup.com.au</p> <p>Website: www.maalinup.com.au</p>
Madjital Moorna	<p>This Choir enjoys singing in English and in Language – songs of joy and hope and love and fun.</p> <p>\$8 per session for waged members and \$2 per session for unwaged members.</p> <p>Rehearsals Mon nights. Everyone welcome. Phone first to check meeting times and places.</p>	<p>Phone: 0409 116 460</p> <p>Address: Anderson Rd Community Centre, Anderson Rd, Forrestfield</p> <p>Email: contactus@madjitalmoorna.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.madjitalmoorna.org.au</p>

Nyungar Know How	<p>Yelakitj Moort Nyungar Association in partnership with WA Gould League provides a range of hands on Nyungar Learning experiences for schools, community and corporate groups. These include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nyungar Know How • Dream Time Discovery • Nyungar Day and • Nyungar Incursion. <p>For more information about program content and costs see the website. Open 8.15am-4.30pm during school terms.</p>	<p>Phone: 9387 6079 Address: Herdsman Lake Wildlife Centre, Cnr Selby and Flynn Streets Wembley</p> <p>Email: roger@wagouldleague.com.au</p> <p>Website: www.wagouldleague.com.au</p>
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DRUG AND ALCOHOL SERVICES

Aboriginal Alcohol and Drug Service	<p>Drug and alcohol counselling. Also:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complementary therapies (flower essence, kinesiology, art therapy). • Neuro linguistic program. • Youth program. • Education program. • Anger management program. • Family Violence counsellor (victims and perpetrator). • Wooree Miya Women's (and children) refuge. • Partnerships Cyrennean House/ Palmerston (6 designated beds) and Next Step. • Rooms for hire. <p>Mon to Thurs 8.30am–5pm Fri 8.30am–2pm</p>	<p>Phone: 92211411 Address: 211 Royal St East Perth</p> <p>Email: info@aads.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.aads.org.au</p>
ADIS (Alcohol Drug Information Service) PDIS (Parent Drug Information Service)	<p>ADIS is a State-wide 24-hour telephone service providing counselling, information, advice and referral.</p> <p>PDIS provides telephone counselling, information and support to parents concerned about their son or daughter's drug use.</p> <p>Parent volunteer network (including Aboriginal) provide face to face support in the Adult Drug Court, Children's Court and Drug and Alcohol Youth Service.</p>	<p>Phone: ADIS 9442 5000 1800 198 024</p> <p>PDIS 9442 5050 1800 653 203</p> <p>Address: PO Box 126 Mt Lawley</p> <p>Email: adis@health.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.dao.health.wa.gov.au</p>

Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including Drug and Alcohol Counselling on Fri by appointment.</p> <p>Centre opening hours: 9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219</p> <p>Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895</p> <p>Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>
Maamba Aboriginal Corporation	<p>Maamba Community Drug Counselling Program.</p> <p>Provides information, support and referrals in relation to any substance misuse issues.</p>	<p>Phone: 9258 3411 9258 9576</p> <p>Address: 176 – 178 Gibbs St East Cannington</p> <p>Website: www.maambaaboriginalcorporation.com.au</p>
Moorditch Yarning	<p>Drug and Alcohol Counselling with experienced Aboriginal Workers in the Langford and Gosnells, Clarkson and Joondalup.</p> <p>Other services include family and relationship, grief and loss, and domestic violence.</p> <p>Phone for someone to come and have a yarn.</p>	<p>Phone: 1300 364 277</p> <p>Website: www.wa.relationships.com.au</p>
Outcare	<p>Addictions Counselling Program provides one on one counselling for offenders, ex-offenders and their families pre and post release. Personal support, information and referrals.</p> <p>Brief Intervention Service - 4 hour drug education program for prisoners on remand or serving less than six months at Hakea. Contact for more information.</p>	<p>Phone: 6263 8622</p> <p>Address: 27 Moore St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.outcare.com.au</p> <p>Email: outcare@outcare.com.au</p>
Yowarling Up (yowarling = singing)	<p>Counselling and support for women and families with drug and alcohol issues, including playgroups, activities, information and referral, protective behaviours training and self esteem workshops</p> <p>Eligibility: Women with drug and alcohol issues and also with children Referral appreciated Please ring first Mon-Thu 9am-4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9227 9032</p> <p>Address: 122 Aberdeen St Northbridge</p> <p>Website: www.whs.org.au</p>



EDUCATION

<p>Aboriginal Education and Training Directorate</p>	<p>Operates across public schooling and vocational education and training centres throughout WA.</p> <p>Promotes delivery of culturally appropriate services and supports equitable outcomes in education, training and employment of Aboriginal people.</p> <p>Projects include the Aboriginal Literacy Strategy, Attendance Strategy, Connecting with Aboriginal Culture, Dare to Lead, Follow the Dream, Leading from the Front, School and Community Partnerships, and many more.</p>	<p>Phone: 9264 4660 9264 5233 9264 5319</p> <p>Address: Department of Education and Training, Level 1, 151 Royal St East Perth.</p> <p>Email: AboriginalEducation.Abled.CO@det.wa.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.det.wa.edu.au/education/abled</p>
<p>Aboriginal Education, Employment and Training Committees</p>	<p>Based at each TAFE college, the AEETCs help staff to plan, monitor, evaluate, allocate funds and report on Aboriginal programs.</p>	<p>Contact: Your local TAFE</p>
<p>Armadale Noongar Corporation</p>	<p>Education & Training in construction (partner with Swan TAFE) Mon-Fri 9am-3pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9497 3812 Address: Lot 12, 802 Albany Hwy Bedfordale</p>
<p>Beananging Kwuurt Institute</p>	<p>Provides services to Aboriginal people from the site of the former Sister Kate's Children's Home. Includes education, training and employment services, and facilities. Student accommodation is also planned.</p>	<p>Phone: 9350 9973 Address: 188-190 Treasure Rd Queens Park Email: bki@eftel.net.au</p>
<p>Curtin University Centre for Aboriginal Studies</p>	<p>An Aboriginal-managed academic school that promotes participation of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in tertiary studies.</p> <p>Access to the Centre's Resource Library is available to the public but on a no loans basis. It contains a large collection of printed and audio-visual resources and specializes in information relating to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander history and culture.</p> <p>The library is open Mon to Fri 9am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9266 7091 1300 052 732</p> <p>Address: Building 211 Curtin Uni of Technology, Kent St Bentley GPO Box U 1987 Perth 6845</p> <p>Email: cas.enquiries@curtin.edu.au</p> <p>Website: http://karda.curtin.edu.au/home/index.cfm</p>

District Aboriginal Education Advisory Councils	Consultative mechanism in each education district, providing advice on issues relating to Aboriginal students, including decision-making, program development and service delivery.	Contact: Aboriginal Education and Training Directorate (see above).
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including First Click and Second Click computer programs.</p> <p>Noongar language and art program Mon and Wed (lunch included)</p> <p>9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219 Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895 Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au
Kulbardi Productions	<p>Kulbardi Productions is the primary media production studio at Murdoch University. It specializes in cultural, educational, instructional, and promotional media and multimedia products.</p> <p>Award winning documentary and drama filmmaking team provides a premium service, which covers all management, creative, and technical aspects of film, digital video and new media productions.</p>	Phone: 9360 6469 9360 6468 Email: kulbardiproductions@murdoch.edu.au Website: www.kulbardiproductions.com.au
Kulunga Research Network	<p>Aims to build capacity in Aboriginal research. A team of Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal researchers and staff oversee the Aboriginal child and maternal health research programs of the Telethon Institute for Child Health Research.</p> <p>Publications available on line including papers, reports and health promotion materials</p>	Website: www.ichr.uwa.edu.au/kulunga
Marr-Mooditj	<p>Training College provides certificate III to Diploma in Primary Health Care and Diploma Enrolled Nursing. Also provides bridging courses. Standard Vocational Education & Training (VET) fees apply. Ring or email for information and/or application form (support to complete available). Mon to Fri 9am-4pm</p>	Phone: 9351 9344 Address: 295 Manning Rd Waterford Email: enquiries@marr-mooditj.com.au Website: www.marr-mooditj.com.au

Moorditj Noongar Community College	<p>Primary School – years 1 to 7 and kindergarten programs for both 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds Bus transport available for Midland and surrounding areas. Ring for info about enrolment. Mon-Fri 8.30am–3.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9374 8800 Address: Eddie Barron Dve Middle Swan</p>
Nyoongar Kadadjiny Kulark Kart	<p>Aboriginal Programs Centre at Central TAFE is passionate about providing culturally appropriate training and support services. It offers support to Indigenous students enrolled in any Central TAFE course and assistance with information in a range of areas related to study.</p>	<p>Phone: Manager: 9202 4777 Coordinator: 9202 4937 Liaison Officer: 9202 4547 Address: Leederville Campus, cnr of Richmond and Oxford Streets Leederville Website: www.centraltafe.wa.edu.au</p>
South Metro Youth Link	<p>Provides career guidance, support and encouragement for young Aboriginal people to stay at school, get back into school or training, and to prepare for employment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered Training Organisation providing a range of training options including literacy and numeracy. • Community Learning Centre offering alternative education programs for young people not attending school. Options include Drive Training, GATE, General Construction, Horticulture, Business and Retail. • Providers of the Federal Government Language, Literacy and Numeracy Program in Fremantle and Rockingham. • Group Training Organisation specialising in Aboriginal School Based Traineeships and the Year 10 Aboriginal Leadership program and full time aboriginal traineeships and apprenticeships. • Indigenous Employment Program panel member. • Youth Pathways program assisting young people 13-19 at risk of disengaging from full time education. 	<p>Phone: 9335 4730 Address: 29-33 Queen Victoria Street Fremantle Phone: 9592 2949 Address: 10 Crompton Rd Rockingham Website: www.smyl.com.au</p>
Swan TAFE	<p>Swan TAFE's Indigenous Services Unit facilitates Indigenous participation in vocational education and training through activities including: student</p>	<p>Phone: 9267 7777 Website: www.swantafe.wa.edu.au</p>

	<p>support and mentoring, program development, cultural advice, staff liaison and advice and community and industry support.</p> <p>Indigenous Student Support Officers work with Indigenous students in mainstream and Aboriginal Access courses. They can assist with any difficulties related to entry into training, course work, and accommodation, financial and personal matters.</p> <p>Support is available from Mon to Fri 9am-5pm.</p>	
West Coast TAFE	<p>Indigenous Student Support Service provides</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guidance with course selection, training pathways, employment opportunities, enrolment and career planning. • Assistance with study (eg: time tabling and assignment writing). • Tutorial assistance. • Referral to other agencies. • Assistance with ABSTUDY and other study assistance payments. <p>Contact the Aboriginal Support Officer</p>	<p>Phone: 9233 1231 Address: 35 Kendrew Crescent Joondalup</p> <p>Email: Bronlyn.raganas@westcoasttafe.wa.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.westcoasttafe.wa.edu.au</p>
Western Australian Aboriginal Education and Training Council (WAAETC)	<p>Ministerial Advisory Council on Aboriginal education and training. Providing independent "grassroots" advice to the WA Minister for Education and Training.</p> <p>Terms of reference include strategic planning for Aboriginal education and training, providing a forum for community members and effective consultation processes, monitoring and reporting. Publications available via website</p>	<p>Phone: 9441 1975 Address: 22 Hasler Road Osborne Park</p> <p>Email: aetc@des.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.aetcwa.org.au</p>



EMPLOYMENT

Beanangning Kwuurt Institute	<p>Provides services to Aboriginal people from the site of the former Sister Kate's Children's Home. Includes education, training and employment services, and facilities.</p>	<p>Phone: 9350 9973 Address: 188-190 Treasure Rd Queens Park.</p> <p>Email: bki@eftel.net.au</p>
BJL Connecting Communities	<p>Employment Directions Network – North Metropolitan: Provides Indigenous Career Guidance and Employability Services.</p> <p>Areas covered – North West Metro</p>	<p>Phone: 9300 3322 Address: 1/45 Central Walk Joondalup</p> <p>Email: sidney@bjl.roq.au</p>

Employment Directions Network	Respectful, friendly and culturally sensitive career services for Indigenous Australians. Career guidance and planning, skills development, access to information and resources.	BJL Connecting Communities Phone: 9247 0600 Address: 11 Patrick Crt Girrawheen Extra Edge Services Phone: 9390 1888 Address: 2, 25 Page Rd Kelmscott South Metro Youth Link Phone: 9335 4730 Address: 29-33 Queen Victoria St Fremantle
Indigenous Youth Employment Program Mercy Employment	Culturally appropriate programme designed to support 15-19 year olds in transition from education to training and employment. Aboriginal workers assist with creating resumes, writing application letters, learning interview skills, identifying training opportunities and career pathways. Home visits available Mon to Fri 9am-5pm	Phone: 9344 2468 0411 340 440 Address: 4 Brewer St Mirrabooka Website: www.mercycare.com.au
Outcare	Range of services for ex offenders including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist career guidance • Job placement • Assistance with applications • Information and assistance with managing a criminal record • Negotiate payment arrangements for fines • Assist with Drivers License issues Contact for more information	Phone: 6263 8622 Address: 27 Moore St East Perth Website: www.outcare.com.au Email: outcare@outcare.com.au
PEEDAC (Perth Employment, Enterprise Development Aboriginal Corporation)	Structured training and employment program, and employment and pre-employment related services. Linked to Job Network service providers Call for info or drop in during opening hours Mon to Fri 9am-5pm	Phone: 9351 2200 Address: 12 Burton St Cannington Website: www.peedac.com.au

STEPERS (an Outcare program)	<p>Career development service for Aboriginal men in prison 3 months prior to release. Clients channelled to appropriate training and employment post release. Mentor provided for 12 months post release.</p> <p>Contact Transitional Manager in prison or Stewart at Outcare for more information.</p>	<p>Phone: 6236 8622 Address: 27 Moore St East Perth Website: www.outcare.com.au</p>
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FAMILY SERVICES

Aboriginal Grandparents and Family Support Program	<p>Aims to support and strengthen Aboriginal grandparents and their families through the generations. Provides information, advocacy and referral (eg housing, medical) as well as group activities, respite camps and peer support groups. Best to ring first. Referral form available. Mon to Thu 9am–4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9227 9032 Address: 122 Aberdeen St Northbridge Website: www.whs.org.au</p>
Aboriginal Parent Support Service	<p>Support and advice for parents and carers of children 0-3 years.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhancing and strengthening cultural values. • Develop parenting skills. • Understanding child development. • Aboriginal play group. • Special events and workshops. <p>Ring to discuss referral or call in during open hours.</p>	<p>Phone: 9377 7922 Address: Meerilinga Family Centre, 106 Amazon Dve Beechboro Email: apss@meerilinga.org.au Website: www.meerilinga.org.au</p>
Aboriginal Visitors Scheme	<p>Aboriginal workers visit people in prison to talk and offer support, monitor well-being, follow up on concerns and provide information and appropriate referrals.</p> <p>Operates under Department of Corrective Services, 24 hours, 7 days per week.</p>	<p>Phone: 1800 282 429 9220 9400</p>
Advocare Aboriginal Access Program	<p>Information and referral, education about rights and responsibilities, support for older people to access aged and community care services and advocacy in relation to difficulties with such services. Works with Aboriginal families, carers and service providers.</p> <p>Phone for more information</p>	<p>Phone: 9479 7566 Address: 1/190 Abernethy Rd Belmont Email: rights@advocare.org.au Website: www.advocare.org.au/aap.php</p>

Beanangning Kwuurt Institute	<p>Provides services to Aboriginal people from the site of the former Sister Kate's Children's Home.</p> <p>Children and Family services, including parenting, DV, early intervention programs. Crèche and child care services.</p>	<p>Phone: 9350 9973 Address: 188-190 Treasure Rd Queens Park.</p> <p>Email: bki@eftel.net.au</p>
Best Start Department for Communities	<p>Assists Aboriginal families with children up to 5 years, and builds on the cultural strengths in families through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Playgroups for young children and their carers • Nutrition and health education programs • Immunisation and mobile health clinics • Cultural camps and activities for children, parents and grandparents. • Women's support groups • Family tracing services • Assisting with reading and language skills • Integration into pre-primary programs • Mentoring and role-modelling by mature Aboriginal mothers • Workshops on safety in the home, behaviour management, nutrition, hygiene and physical development in young children. 	<p>Phone: 6279 1200 for information about programs in your area</p>
Coolabaroo Neighbourhood Centre	<p>Aboriginal Early Years Support Service (transport avail). Open Mondays Please ring first</p>	<p>Phone: 94593868 Address: 73 Parkside Drive Thornlie</p>
Coort Coolong	<p>Support, information, practical assistance, referral and life skills in the client's home. Joondalup and surrounding areas</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9300 3857 9300 3759 Address: PO Box 25 Joondalup 6027</p>
Derbarl Yerrigan Specialist Services	<p>Programs include: Stolen Generation (Bringing Them Home) Commonwealth funded program providing comprehensive services including culturally appropriate mental health services through counselling, workshops, information, referral and care coordination. Building Solid Families – joint Commonwealth and State funded</p>	<p>Phone: 9421 3888 Address: 156 Wittenoom St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au</p>

	<p>program providing info and support to families affected by trauma, grief, separation, loss, mental illness, risk of self harm. Services include linking individuals and families, family tracing, counselling, retrieval of government held information.</p> <p>Co-located with Derbarl Yerrigan Health Services Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm</p>	
Djooraminda	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Out of home care for kids. DCP referral required. 2. ATSI Family Support Service: Support to avoid losing kids (outreach approx 1hr per week). DCP referral required. 3. Indigenous Family Program: Intensive work with family (outreach approx 1 day per week). Referral by DCP, DHW, DoTAG, DET, Strong Families Program, Self referral. Eligibility: Trauma, sexual abuse, offending behaviour. 4. Indigenous Children's Program: Early intervention/parenting (children 0-3yrs). For current clients only. <p>Mon to Fri 9am - 5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9378 2522 Address: 36 Arbon Way Lockridge Website: www.centrecare.com.au</p>
Find Your Mob	<p>Department of Indigenous Affairs program to assist Aboriginal people to find their family, ancestors and links to country through the many government records held. Strict rules apply as materials may be highly sensitive.</p>	<p>Phone: 9235 8000 or 9274 4288 Website: http://www.dia.wa.gov.au/Heritage/Culture/Find-Your-Mob/</p>
Gowrie Aboriginal Family Support Program	<p>Support, advocacy and practical assistance. Workshops and Groups. Cultural Awareness Training.</p>	<p>Phone: 9478 7500 Address: 275 Abernethy Rd Cloverdale Email: info@gowrie-wa.com.au Website: www.gowrie-wa.com.au/Community_Services/Aboriginal_Family_Support.cms</p>
Hills Community Support Group Moorditj Mia Program	<p>Centre-Based service for Indigenous people who may be at risk of isolation in the community.</p> <p>This program offers an opportunity for Aboriginal people to come together and participate in arts and craft,</p>	<p>Phone: 62743750 0417929915 Address: 2 Eveline Street Middle Swan WA 6056</p>

	<p>outings and yarning. Age is not a criterion. Participants may have degrees of mobility according to their disability.</p> <p>Mon to Fri 10am-2pm</p> <p>Respite service available Tue and Fri.</p>	<p>Email: annettep@hcsq.com.au</p> <p>Website: www.hcsq.com.au/</p>
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culturally appropriate financial counselling and advocacy (Belmont and surrounding areas only) • Indigenous Active Aging program • Indigenous Young Mums' program • Indigenous history of Belmont reconciliation program • Noongar language and art program Mon and Wed (lunch included) • Local Answers Indigenous Family Support Program • Indigenous Court Support working with and supporting children and their families • Journey of living with diabetes (Tue 10am) • Emergency Relief (Belmont and Surrounding areas) • Cultural events (eg NAIDOC, Harmony Day). <p>9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219</p> <p>Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont</p> <p>PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895</p> <p>Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>
Kadadijiny	<p>Kadadijiny Aboriginal Playgroup meets each Tue morning from 10am to 12pm. Kadadijiny offers participants the chance to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet other parents in the area • Share experiences, cultures, skill and knowledge • Develop support networks • Find out about appropriate services and support available • Take part in special activities and events such as NAIDOC and Children's Week 	<p>Phone: 9377 7922</p> <p>Address: Beechboro Family Centre, 106 Amazon Dve, Beechboro</p> <p>Email: aps@meerilinga.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.meerilinga.org.au</p>
Kwoburup	<p>Centre based program for HACC eligible Aboriginal people, aged over 45, living in the city of Cockburn.</p> <p>Provides a cultural arts program, outings and other activities identified</p>	<p>Phone: 9314 6363</p> <p>Address: Cnr of Healy Rd and Ingram St Hamilton Hill</p> <p>Email: bbaker@cockburn.wa.gov.a</p>

	<p>by participants. Mon and Wed 8am-5pm Meal cost \$7 Costs for outings may apply</p>	<p><u>Website:</u> www.cockburn.wa.gov.au</p>
<p>Maamba Aboriginal Corporation</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strong Families Program provides lead agency support, advocacy and liaison services to support clients when dealing with Homeswest, Centrelink, DCP, Police, Fines Enforcement, Health and/or Education. 2. Reconnect Transitional program for Aboriginal youth aged 12-18 years, who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. 3. Provides counselling, support, mentoring, healing, mediation and advocacy. Male and Female Counsellors on hand to offer information and referrals where necessary. 4. Maamba Community Drug Counselling Program. Provides information, support and referrals In relation to any substance misuse issues. 5. Follow the Dream bus service provides after school transport for kids attending after school homework classes. Also Coaster Bus Service where the bus can be hired out to local community groups. More information available on contact. 6. Women's group. Provides resources for women to meet regularly to participate in activities, excursions, community events, workshops and forums together. 	<p>Phone: 9258 3411 9258 9576</p> <p>Address: 176–178 Gibbs St East Cannington</p> <p>Phone: 9258 3422 Address: 305 Welshpool Rd Queens Park</p> <p>Website: www.maambaaboriginalcorporation.com.au</p>
<p>Mirambeena</p>	<p>Service for frail, elderly, disabled and carers. Day care centre, personal care, domestic assistance for south west metro HACC region. Services include transport assistance, meals, counselling, support, and advocacy. Mon, Tue and Thu 9am – 3pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9439 1179 Address: 13 Leasham Way Medina</p>
<p>Moorditch Keila</p>	<p>Supports Aboriginal families, individuals and community groups within the City of South Perth. Community development projects, advocacy, referral, and information, practical assistance, informal counselling and advice.</p>	<p>Phone: 9313 3608 Address: 54 Bickley Cres Manning</p> <p>Email: afs@southcare.org.au</p>

Moorditch Yarning	<p>Relationships Australia Program with Aboriginal workers/ counsellors.</p> <p>Phone for a chat or someone to come and talk about family and relationship issues, grief and loss, alcohol and drugs, DV etc.</p>	<p>Phone: 1300 364 277</p>
Ngala Indigenous Program	<p>Parenting support in partnership with schools in the Midland and Banksia Grove areas.</p> <p>Space and resources provided to support parents/grandparents to engage with young children 0 – 6years (focus 0-2 years)</p> <p>Cooking classes followed by sharing a meal. Focus on preparation and nutrition.</p> <p>Transport available.</p> <p>Midland: Mon, Tue, Wed and Fri Banksia Grove: Tue, Wed and Thurs.</p>	<p>For more information contact:</p> <p>Sandy: 0400 829 908 Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm</p> <p>Midland: Susan: 0408 261 357 Sharon: 0408 261 350</p> <p>Banksia Grove: Vicky: 0408 261 356 Gillian: 0408 261 316</p> <p>Ngala: Phone: 9368 9368</p> <p>Website: www.ngala.com.au</p>
Our Mob, Our Kids, Our Community	<p>Armadale based Aboriginal parent education program, which supports the health and well being of mothers, babies and children under 5 years. The program encourages new mothers and pregnant women to access health services and to improve their pregnancy and birth experiences and to maximise their children's early years experience. Eligibility: Aboriginal women and children living in Armadale and surrounding areas. Phone or call during open hours 9am-3pm Tue-Fri. Program activities: Tue and Fri.</p>	<p>Phone: 9399 4985</p> <p>Address: Champion Centre, 76 Champion Dve, Armadale.</p> <p>Email: ourmob@unitingcarewest.org.au</p>
Outcare	<p>Range of services including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • assistance with visiting procedures • supervision for children's visits • liaise with prisoners on behalf of families • assistance with negotiating bills and budgeting • assistance with finding accommodation • childcare (limited) <p>Contact for more information.</p>	<p>Phone: 6263 8622</p> <p>Address: 27 Moore St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.outcare.com.au</p> <p>Email: outcare@outcare.com.au</p>

St John of God Women's Program	<p>Individual support for women pre and post release with issues relating to referrals, accommodation, financial support, counselling and advocacy.</p> <p>Contact for more information</p>	<p>Phone: 6263 8622 Address: 27 Moore St East Perth Website: www.outcare.com.au/ Email: outcare@outcare.com.au</p>
Secretariat of National Aboriginal and Islander Child Care (SNAICC)	<p>Promotes rights, needs and aspirations of ATSI children, families and services through policy work, representation, publications, resource development and events.</p>	<p>Phone: 03 9489 8099 Website: www.snaicc.asn.au</p>
South Lake Ottey Family and Neighbourhood Centre	<p>Meeting place in a friendly environment. Programs include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and Well Being • Parenting • Women and Children • General counselling and Welfare assistance • Indigenous health program • Indigenous playgroups • Indigenous Artist in Residence <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am-5 pm Phone for info or just drop In</p> <p>Membership fee \$3 May be other low fees depending on the program</p>	<p>Phone: 9417 2372 Address: 2A South Lake Dve South Lake</p>
Strong Families	<p>Strong Families is a practical approach to help overcome barriers. It provides a mechanism to bring about the integration of case management planning and service delivery to families who are experiencing complex social problems and receiving services from multiple agencies.</p> <p>This initiative aims to support and build the capacity for coordination and collaboration between agencies, bring about simplified and streamlined processes for families when dealing with multiple service providers and improve outcomes for families.</p> <p>Agencies also potentially benefit from more effective and efficient use of resources. Referral and consent forms required. Mon to Fri 9am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9274 8666 Address: Department of Indigenous Affairs Landgate The Avenue Midland</p> <p>Website: www.strongfamilies.wa.gov.au</p>

Yorganup	Out of home care service for Aboriginal children Referral from DCP only Mon to Fri 9am–5pm	Phone: 9321 9090 Address: 1320 Hay St West Perth 6005
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GOVERNMENT

Aboriginal Advisory Council	Provides advice to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs on matters relating to the interests and well-being of persons of Aboriginal descent.	Phone: 9235 8000 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Tce Perth PO Box 7770, Cloisters Square, 6850 Email: Info2@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au
Aboriginal Affairs Coordinating Committee	Coordinates the activities of all persons and bodies providing services and assistance to persons of Aboriginal descent.	Phone: 9235 8000 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Tce Perth PO Box 7770, Cloisters Square, 6850 Email: Info2@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au
Aboriginal Cultural Material Committee	<p>The ACMC is the specialist heritage advisory body to the Minister for Indigenous Affairs.</p> <p>The functions of the ACMC include evaluating (on behalf of the community) the importance of places and objects that may be associated with Indigenous people, and providing advice to the Minister on all State Indigenous heritage matters.</p> <p>The Committee is comprised of men and women from different parts of Western Australia to ensure that culturally appropriate decisions are made about sensitive material or sites.</p> <p>The Committee also has representatives from the Department of Indigenous Affairs, WA Museum and Landgate, with the advice of a specialist anthropologist.</p>	Phone: 9235 8000 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Tce Perth PO Box 7770 Cloisters Square Perth 6850 Email: heritage@dia.wa.gov.au Website: http://www.dia.wa.gov.au/Heritage--Culture/Aboriginal-Cultural-Material-Committee/

Aboriginal Lands Trust	Acquires and holds land on trust for the use and benefit of Aboriginal people.	Phone: 9235 8000 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Terrace Perth PO Box 7770, Cloisters Square, 6850 Email: alt@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au/Land/Aboriginal-Lands-Trust/
Department of Indigenous Affairs (DIA)	<p>The Department of Indigenous Affairs (DIA) leads action to improve life opportunities for Indigenous Western Australians. Its key functions are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop strategic policy to guide and inform service delivery to Indigenous people. • Support the work of the Indigenous Implementation Board. • Coordinate service delivery to Indigenous Western Australians through chairing and supporting the Aboriginal Affairs Coordinating Committee. • Preserve and protect Indigenous heritage by supporting the work of the Aboriginal Cultural and Material Committee. • Support the Aboriginal Lands Trust in the management of lands held by the Trust in accordance with wishes of people of Aboriginal descent. 	Phone: 9235 8000 1300 651 077 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Terrace Perth PO Box 7770 Cloisters Square Perth 6850 Email: Info2@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au
DIA Family History Unit	<p>Find Your Mob. Assists people to trace their family history through the many government records held. Strict rules apply as materials may be highly sensitive.</p> <p>Contact the Manager of Heritage Information for more information.</p>	Phone: 9235 8052 Email: findyourmob@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au/Heritage--Culture/Find-Your-Mob/
Department of Veterans' Affairs ATSI Identification Program	<p>Identification of Indigenous veterans and their dependents to facilitate access to DVA services and entitlements. Assists Indigenous veterans to gain recognition for their war contributions.</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm</p>	Phone: 9366 9214 Address: 5 th Floor AMP Building, 140 St George's Tce Perth Email: jayce.manohar@dva.gov.au Website: www.dva.gov.au
Indigenous Coordination Centre	Source of advice on Indigenous issues to the Federal Minister for Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs, and the	Phone: 9237 7711 Address: Level 10, 55 St George's Tce Perth

	coordination point for a whole-of-government approach to the delivery of programs and services for Australia's Indigenous people. Mon-Fri 8.30am-4.30pm	Website: www.icc.gov.au
Minister For Indigenous Affairs WA	Dr Kim Hames	Phone: 9222 8788 Address: 28th Floor, Governor Stirling Tower, 197 St George's Tce, Perth Email: Minister.Hames@dpc.wa.gov.au
Senior Policy Advisor Indigenous Affairs	Mr Neville Collard	Phone: 9222 8788 Email: Neville.Collard@dcp.wa.gov.au
Indigenous Implementation Board	Aims to empower Aboriginal people to create their own future through the development of a framework for collaboration and participation, coordination and management of resources and service delivery, and accountability mechanisms. The Board consults widely and provides regular reports to the Minister.	Phone: 9235 8000 Address: Level 1, 197 St George's Tce Perth PO Box 7770, Cloisters Square, 6850 Email: Info2@dia.wa.gov.au Website: www.dia.wa.gov.au
Indigenous Women's Congress	Forum to provide representative advice to the Minister for Women's Interests on issues of interest and importance to Aboriginal women.	Phone: 6217 8200 Address: Chairperson Indigenous Women's Congress, Department for Community Development, Level 7, Dumas House, 2 Havelock St, West Perth Email: owp@dcd.wa.gov.au Website: www.women.wa.gov.au
Office of Aboriginal Health	Promotes effective approaches and strategies, works in partnership to plan delivery and development of health services, funds a range of health services	Phone: 92224024 Address: 189 Royal St East Perth. PO Box 8172, Perth Business Centre 6849

		Website: www.aboriginal.health.wa.gov.au
Office of Native Title	Coordinates a whole of Government response to Native Title issues. Represents the State's interests. Negotiates sustainable agreements.	Phone: 9222 9613 Address: Level 2, Governor Stirling Tower, 197 St George's Tce Perth Email: Native.title@ont.wa.gov.au
Western Australian Aboriginal Advisory Council (WAAAC)	Twelve member Council providing a direct line of communication and expert advice on specialist issues to the Government. Members of the community are also able to bring matters of importance to Council's attention. Council meets bi-monthly	Phone: 9235 8000 Email: jane.hutcheon@dia.wa.gov.au



HEALTH SERVICES

Aboriginal Diabetes Program (Diabetes WA)	Promotes prevention/delay message and a more positive outlook on diabetes. Consults those living with diabetes and addresses issues (eg stress, access to food and appropriate health services). Partners with other agencies (eg Aboriginal Health Council, Heart Foundation etc). Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm	Phone: 6464 0602 6464 0604 Address: Level 3, 322 Hay St Subiaco Email: tracey.kickett@diabetes.com.au Website: www.dontignorediabetes.com.au
Aboriginal Health Council of WA	Manages and resources Aboriginal Medical Services. Cultural Safety Training program. Health promotion.	Phone: 9227 1631 Address: Level 1, 224 Stirling St. Perth Website: www.ahcwa.org
Asthma Foundation WA	Provides asthma education services and resources to Aboriginal people with asthma. Contact for details of the closest service.	Phone: 9289 3600 Email: ask@asthmawa.org.au Website: www.asthmawa.org.au
Indigenous Women's Project	Supports Aboriginal women who are pregnant or have a newborn to develop a smoke free environment. This project is conducted through maternal and Aboriginal health workers.	Phone: 9289 3600 Email: ask@smokefreebaby.org.au Website: www.smokefreebaby.org.au

Breastscreen WA	Free 2-yearly mammograms for Aboriginal women over 40. 8 clinics throughout the metro area. 9am–5pm weekdays, some Sat mornings.	Phone: 132050
Cancer Council of WA	An Indigenous Project Worker, based in the Education and Research division of the CCWA, facilitates health promotional events targeted toward Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, including improving cancer prevention, early detection and treatment knowledge. Office hours Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm Helpline hours: Mon to Fri 8am-8pm	Phone: 9212 4381 Helpline: 131120 Email: teades@cancerwa.asn.au Website: www.cancerwa.asn.au
Canning Division of General Practitioners Aboriginal Health Care Programs	Provides GP and patient support services for Aboriginal people in the South Metro corridor from South Perth to Jarrahdale. Services include assistance to patients after discharge from RPH, facilitate client access to health care services, and an eye health program for children and people with diabetes. Contact the Aboriginal primary health care team Mon to Fri 9am-5pm	Phone: 9458 0505 Address: Unit 4, 1140 Albany Hwy Bentley Website: www.canningdivision.com.au
	ATSI Health Checks Free General GP Services. Can provide transport. Ring first. Tue 9.30am–2pm	Phone: 9458 0505 Address: Wattle House, 40 Orr St Maddington
Derbarl Yerrigan East Perth	General medical, physiotherapy, ear and eye services, dental, maternal and child health program, welfare, patient transport and health promotion. Services cover: East to Belmont/Bassendean, South to Fremantle/Cockburn, Central/North Perth and East Perth, Victoria Park. Ring first or call in during office hours Mon to Fri 8.30am–7pm Sat 9am–12pm	Phone: 94213888 Address: 156 Wittenoom St East Perth Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au
Derbarl Yerrigan Maddington	Community oriented service covering the south east metro area. GP services covering Cannington to Armadale. Eye and ear health. Physiotherapy. Aboriginal maternal and child health, and environmental health programs covering Perth metropolitan area. Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm	Phone: 9452 5333 Address: Unit 1-3, Lot 5 Binley Place Maddington Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au/maddinton

Derbarl Yerrigan Mirrabooka	<p>Community oriented service covering the northern metro area.</p> <p>GP services, eye and ear health, physiotherapy, HACC program</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9344 0444 Address: 22 Chesterfield Rd Mirrabooka</p> <p>Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au/mirrabooka</p>
Elizabeth Hansen Autumn Centre	<p>Residential care facility, 24 hours, 7 days per week.</p> <p>Provides culturally secure services for people requiring renal dialysis and short term medical procedures.</p> <p>Visitors 10.30am-8.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9370 1044 Address: 340 Guildford Rd Bayswater</p> <p>Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au/autumn</p>
Health Consumers Council	<p>Provides individual advocacy to health consumers of WA - if they have a complaint or a problem with any health service in WA. Supports community input into health service delivery: through consumer forums; health service consultations; appointing individual consumer representatives to health service committees; establishing consumer reference (health issues) groups. Two Aboriginal project officers travel the State working with Aboriginal consumers, Aboriginal Medical Services and other State health services; review complaints mechanisms and identify how accessible they are for Aboriginal consumers.</p> <p>Ring first Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9221 3422 Freecall: 1800 620 780</p> <p>Address: 13/14 Wellington Fair, 40 Lord St East Perth.</p> <p>PO BoxC134 Perth 6839</p> <p>Email: brian.charlie@hconc.org.au Laura.elkin@hconc.org.au info@hconc.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.hconc.org.au</p>
Health Infonet	<p>Web based resource, eg: social and emotional wellbeing, nutrition, "Yarning Place" (electronic network).</p> <p>Health Infonet is primarily a resource for workers.</p>	<p>Phone: 9370 6336 Address: ECU 2 Bradford St Mt Lawley 6050</p> <p>Email: healthinfonet@ecu.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au</p>
Indigenous Health and Lifestyle Program	<p>Services to improve health and reduce risk of chronic conditions (eg diabetes, heart problems, obesity etc) for Aboriginal people in the Town of Kwinana by improving access to and enhancing existing health services. Events/activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bootscooting classes/aqua aerobics/walking group • Family cooking classes - Foodcents programs • Recreation centre classes 	<p>Phone: 9439 0442 Address: Town of Kwinana, Cnr Gilmore and Sulphur Rd Kwinana</p> <p>Email: karen.waigana@kwinana.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.kwinana.wa.gov.au</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assistance with self management programs Linking and referral to health services. <p>Phone or call in Mon to Fri 8am-5pm</p>	
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including Journey of Living with diabetes program (Tue 10am) and Indigenous Active Aging program.</p> <p>Centre open 9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219</p> <p>Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895</p> <p>Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>
Kootamiara Quab	<p>Women's Healing Program – cultural, spiritual and art therapy for Aboriginal women/girls who have suffered sexual abuse or DV. Referrals appreciated</p> <p>Mon to Fri 10am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9451 4977</p> <p>Address: 295 Manning Rd Waterford 6152</p> <p>Email: Kyana1@inet.net.au</p>
Kulunga Research Network	<p>Aims to build capacity in Aboriginal research. A team of Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal researchers and staff oversee the Aboriginal child and maternal health research programs of the Telethon Institute for Child Health Research. Publications available on line including papers, reports and health promotion materials.</p>	<p>Website: www.ichr.uwa.edu.au/kulunga</p>
Office of Aboriginal Health	<p>Policy, Planning, Funding. Works in partnership with communities and agencies to ensure culturally appropriate health care needs are met. Programs include Building Solid Families, Healthy Tucker, Men's Health and Wellbeing, Primary Care, Youth Suicide. Services delivered through organizations such as Derbarl Yerrigan.</p> <p>Mon to Fri 9am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 92224024</p> <p>Address: 189 Royal St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.aboriginal.health.wa.gov.au</p>
Outcare	<p>Blood-borne Virus Program for partners and families of prisoners and newly released prisoners includes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> free blood testing free Hepatitis B vaccinations confidential information and support services <p>Contact for more information</p>	<p>Phone: 6263 8622</p> <p>Address: 27 Moore St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.outcare.com.au</p> <p>Email: outcare@outcare.com.au</p>

<p>The Child & Adolescent Community Health</p> <p>Aboriginal Health Team</p>	<p>Metro wide early intervention and health promotion for children aged between 0 - 5 years.</p> <p>Aboriginal Health Workers and nurses work in partnership to deliver a culturally appropriate service, and support and health information, to the Indigenous community.</p>	<p><u>Bentley Community Health</u> Phone: 9458 4383 Address: 22 Coolgardie St Bentley</p> <p><u>Hilton Community Health</u> Phone: 9337 2528 Address: 34 Paget St Hilton</p> <p><u>Kwinana Community Health</u> Phone: 9419 2266 Address: 1 Peel Court Kwinana</p> <p><u>Maddington Community Health</u> Phone: 9459 9695 Address: 132 Westfield St Maddington</p> <p><u>Mandurah Community Health</u> Phone: 9586 4400 Address: 112 Lakes Rd Mandurah</p> <p><u>Midvale Community Health</u> Phone: 9274 1641 Address: 2/36 Mathoura St Midland</p> <p><u>Mirrabooka Community Health</u> Phone: 9345 7116 Address: U4/17 Chesterfield Rd Mirrabooka</p> <p><u>Murray Health Centre</u> Phone: 9531 7293 Address: McKay St Pinjarra</p>
<p>Waankininy Health in Peel (WHIP)</p>	<p>Provides GP services, general health checks, family medicine, Aboriginal women's and men's health checks, clinics, referrals and workshops.</p> <p>Phone for an appointment or for more information. Transport may be available. Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9582 9396 Address: Level 2, 370 Pinjarra Rd Mandurah</p>
<p>Women's Health Service</p>	<p>Provides a range of low cost physical activity opportunities for Aboriginal women, including walking groups, bike workshops, gentle exercise classes, belly dancing and swimming lessons.</p> <p>For more information call the Community Development Program.</p>	<p>Phone: 9227 8122 Address: 100 Aberdeen St Northbridge</p> <p>Website: www.whs.org.au</p>



LEGAL SERVICES

Aboriginal Legal Service	<p>Criminal Law, Civil Law, Human Rights, Family Law, Duty lawyers in attendance all local Courts and Children's Court, Women's Support Officer (prison visits on legal matters)</p> <p>Eligibility: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders Referral provided if conflict (eg if opposing party is an existing client)</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am–5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9265 6666 Address: 7 Aberdeen St East Perth Website: www.als.org.au</p>
Aboriginal Alternative Dispute Resolution Service	<p>Mediation and help to peacefully resolve conflict involving family, neighbours, feuding, police and other government departments and private organisations</p> <p>Ring for appointment Mon to Fri 8.30am–5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9264 6150 Address: Level 12, 141 St George's Tce Perth Website: www.justice.wa.gov.au</p>
Aboriginal Visitors Scheme	<p>Aboriginal workers visit people in prison to talk and offer support, monitor well-being, follow up on concerns and provide information and appropriate referrals. Operates under Department of Corrective Services, 24 hours, 7 days per week.</p>	<p>Phone: 1800 282 429 9220 9400</p>
Deaths In Custody Watch Committee	<p>Monitors and works to ensure the effective implementation of the Royal Commission Into Aboriginal Deaths In Custody. Holds Campaigns, Actions and Events.</p>	<p>Website: www.deathsincustody.org.au</p>
Jacaranda Community Centre	<p>Provides a range of free programs for Indigenous people including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culturally appropriate financial counselling and advocacy (Belmont and surrounding areas only) • Indigenous Court Support working with and supporting children and their families. <p>9.30am-4.30pm Mon, Tue and Thu and/or by appointment.</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 4346 9478 1219 Address: 146 Epsom Ave Belmont PO Box 142 Cloverdale 6895 Email: info@jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au Website: www.jacarandacommunitycentre.org.au</p>
Outcare	<p>On-line information on a range of issues relevant to prisoners and ex prisoners including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centrelink 	<p>Phone: 6263 8622 Address: 27 Moore St East Perth</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Support • Name Change • Criminal Record • Immigration • Drivers License • Housing • Insurance • Spent Convictions • Superannuation • Power of Attorney 	<p>Website: www.outcare.com.au</p> <p>Email: outcare@outcare.com.au</p>
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MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

<p>ARBOR (Active Response Bereavement Outreach)</p>	<p>Support service for people bereaved by suicide. Works closely with other support services. Home visits, peer support, short term counselling, support groups, referral advice and support returning to work.</p> <p>Self referral via Duty Line Mon to Fri 9am-4pm. Agency referral via Duty Line or email/fax referral form.</p> <p>Eligibility: Metro area and bereaved by suicide</p>	<p>Phone: 9266 1029 Address: Curtin Uni Building 108 Bentley Campus PO Box U1987 Perth WA 6845</p> <p>Email: arbour-support@curtin.edu.au</p> <p>Website: www.ichr.uwa.edu.au/preventing-suicide/arbor</p>
<p>Derbarl Yerrigan Specialist Services</p>	<p>Building Solid Families – joint Commonwealth and State funded program providing info and support to families affected by trauma, grief, separation, loss, mental illness, risk of self harm. Services include linking individuals and families, family tracing, counselling, retrieval of government held information.</p> <p>Co-located with DY health services Mon to Fri 8.30am-5pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9421 3888 Address: 156 Wittenoom St East Perth</p> <p>Website: www.derbarlyerrigan.com.au</p>
<p>Indigenous Psychological Services</p>	<p>Private company providing training (eg cultural competency, conflict resolution etc), community based intervention (eg suicide prevention), research and consultation.</p> <p>Note** does not provide clinical or assessment services Cost: consultancy fees, travel, accommodation etc</p> <p>Mon to Fri 8.30am–5 pm Ring or email first</p>	<p>Phone: 9362 2036 Address: PO Box 1198 East Victoria Park 6981</p> <p>Email: ips@ips.iinet.net.au Website: www.indigenouspsychservices.com.au</p>

Madjitil Moorna	<p>This Choir enjoys singing in English and in Language. Songs of joy and hope and love and fun are a great healing activity.</p> <p>\$8 per session for waged members and \$2 per session for unwaged members.</p> <p>Rehearsals Mon nights. Everyone welcome. Phone first to check meeting times and places.</p>	<p>Phone: 0409 116 460 Address: Anderson Rd Community Centre, Anderson Rd, Forrestfield 6058</p> <p>Email: contactus@madjitilmoorna.org.au Website: www.madjitilmoorna.org.au</p>
Reflections Art Studio	<p>Art Therapy program for Aboriginal people aged 25 to 65 years with non-acute primary mental illness, living in the community. Must be referred by a mental health professional who can provide ongoing support. Referral forms available at Reflections Art Studio.</p> <p>An Indigenous art therapist is available to help Indigenous people living with the effects of mental illness offering a weekly art therapy/art skills group for Indigenous participants. No art skills required. Free service. Eligibility: 25-65 years</p>	<p>Phone: 9227 9083</p> <p>Address: 125 Aberdeen Street Northbridge</p> <p>Website: www.health.wa.gov.au/arttherapy/reflections/indigenous.cfm</p>
Statewide Indigenous Mental Health Service	<p>Home visits, hospital or prison visits. Graylands ward or office. Drug and alcohol, mental health, general counselling. Any Aboriginal issue.</p> <p>Phone for appointment</p>	<p>Phone: 9347 6866 Address: Graylands Hospital Brockway Rd</p> <p>Email: Michael.mitchel@health.wa.gov.au</p>
Waankininy Health in Peel (WHIP)	<p>Provides GP services, general health checks, family medicine, women's and men's health checks, clinics, referrals and workshops.</p> <p>Phone for an appointment or for more information. Transport may be available. Mon-Fri 8.30am-4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9582 9396 Address: Level 2, 370 Pinjarra Rd Mandurah</p>
Youthlink	<p>Specialist mental health counselling, consultation, training and community development. Has two Aboriginal Workers</p> <p>Eligibility: 13–24 years Marginalized, homeless, disadvantaged. Ring for appointment Mon to Fri 8.30am–4.30pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9227 4300 or 1300 362 569 Address: 223 James St Northbridge</p> <p>Website: www.youthlink.perthwa.net</p>



PASTORAL CARE

Aboriginal Catholic Ministry	Hospital and home visitations, spiritual guidance (individuals and families), Sacramental preparations, conducting funerals, working with organisations in relation to Aboriginal issues.	Phone: 9328 7529 (emergency) 0408 447 062 Address: 5 Baker Ave Perth PO Box 8111 Perth 6849 Email: acmperth@westnet.com.au
Aboriginal Evangelical Church	Church Services, Weddings and Funerals. Assistance provided to homeless teenage girls and young men. Work with families – reunification and support services. Pastoral care at 3 hostels include reform work, assistance to re-enter the community including employment and TAFE.	Phone: 9440 1736 Address: 4 Penrith Place Balga 6061
Nyungah Catholic Life Centre	Mass 11am Sun (except last Sun of the month). Baptisms first Sun of the month. Confessions before or after Mass. Baptism and marriage preparation by appointment.	Phone: 9328 7529 0408 447 062 Address: Holy Trinity Church, 8 Burnet St Embleton



PLAYGROUPS

Best Start Playgroups	<p>Ongoing playgroups held during the school terms. No Cost. For parents and children aged 0-5 years.</p> <p><u>Ashfield:</u> Tue 10am–12noon</p> <p><u>Forrestfield:</u> Mon 9.30am-11.30am</p> <p><u>Koongamia:</u> Thu 9am-11am</p>	<p>Phone: 92749401 Address: Ashfield Community Centre 2 Coulston Rd Ashfield</p> <p>Phone: 9359 1253 or 92749401 Address: 35 Edinborough St Forrestfield</p> <p>Phone: 92749401 Address: Clayton View Primary School</p>
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Djoordabiny Koorlangka Kaatany Mia	Thu 10am-12pm	Phone: 1800 171 882 Address: Westminster Primary School Marloo St Westminster
Indigenous Children's Program	Funded by Commonwealth Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs. Supports the wellbeing of children and families and promotes culturally strong parenting skills.	Contact: See <i>Kurlungas</i> (below), or <i>Djooraminda</i> and <i>Coort Coolong</i> (in Family Services section)
Southlake Ottey Family and Neighbour- hood Centre	Thu 9.30am–11.30am Fri 9.30am–11.30am	Phone: 9417 2372 Address: 2A Southlake Rd Southlake
Kadadijiny Aboriginal Playgroup	Kadadijiny Aboriginal Playgroup meets each Tue morning from 10am to 12pm. Kadadijiny offers participants the chance to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet other parents in the area • Share experiences, cultures, skill and knowledge • Develop support networks • Find out about appropriate services and support available • Take part in special activities and events such as NAIDOC and Children's Week 	Phone: 9377 7922 Address: Beechboro Family Centre, 106 Amazon Dve, Beechboro Email: aps@meerilinga.org.au Website: www.meerilinga.org.au
Kurlangas	Aboriginal playgroup for kids aged 0-5 in the northern suburbs Mon to Fri 8.30am-4.30pm	Phone: 9300 3857 9300 3759 Address: PO Box 25 Joondalup 6027
Little Swans	Fri 9.30am–10.30am	Phone: 1800 171 882 Address: Middle Swan Primary School Cockman Cross Stratton
Moort Warring Warr (Family Playing Centre)	Parenting and play group for Aboriginal parents/caregivers and young children	Phone: 9227 9032 Address: 122 Aberdeen St Northbridge Email: info@whs.org.au Website: www.whs.org.au



YOUTH SERVICES

Armadale Noongar Corporation	<p>Circus, Social Skills and Development</p> <p>Fri: Junior program (age 5 and up)</p> <p>Mon: Youth (high school aged)</p> <p>Office hours: Mon to Fri 9am-3pm</p>	<p>Phone: 94973812</p> <p>Address: Lot 12, 802 Albany Hwy Bedfordale</p>
Belmont Youth Services	<p>After school and holiday programs targeting (but not restricted to) Aboriginal young people, 11-17 years, living or schooling in the city of Belmont. Activities include music lessons, art and culture opportunities, outings and drop in games room. No cost</p>	<p>Phone: 9477 7132 0417 097 032</p> <p>Address: Youth Centre 275 Abernethy Rd Belmont</p>
Billy Dower Youth Centre	<p>The Dower drop in centre is open to young people in the Mandurah area. It offers semi structured activities, and has available computers, sports equipment, pool tables and more.</p> <p>Open Thu 3pm-8pm, Fri 3pm-6pm and school holidays Thu and Fri 11am-4pm.</p> <p>Medical service available at the centre Thursdays 3pm-6pm</p>	<p>Phone: 9550 3670</p> <p>Address: 41 Dower St Mandurah</p> <p>Email: bdyc@mandurah.wa.gov.au</p> <p>Website: www.mandurah.wa.gov.au</p>
Bilyidar Program	<p>Aboriginal Cultural program for Indigenous and Non Indigenous in the Peel area who are disengaged with school. Students must want to complete Year 11 and 12 with an aim to graduate. Entry to the program depends on places being available.</p> <p>Tue & Fri 8.30am-12.30pm; Wed & Thu 8.30am-3pm</p> <p>Eligibility: 16 to 17 years</p>	<p>Phone: 9583 7353</p> <p>Address: Mandurah Senior Campus, Carleton Place Mandurah</p> <p>PO Box 684, Mandurah WA 6210</p> <p>Website: www.bilyidar.com</p>
David Wirrpanda Foundation	<p>Aims to improve life outcomes for Indigenous children and youth by promoting strong role models and healthy life choices. Programs include: Wirra Club, Troy Cook Health and Fitness, Dare to Dream Girls Group, "On My Way" and Plan 2day 4 2morrow.</p> <p>Appointment required. Ring first or call in during open hours.</p>	<p>Phone: 9381 5990</p> <p>Address: 201 Subiaco Rd Subiaco</p> <p>Email: admin@dwf.org.au</p> <p>Website: www.dwf.org.au</p>

HALO	<p>Leadership Development Agency committed to programs and support that promote Aboriginal ways of healing mind, body and spirit, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrity - career and employability program • Unfinished - personal development and mentor support program for young men aged 16-25 years. • Connect - skills development workshop series for young advocates, and connecting youth from a wide range of social and cultural backgrounds • Art project • Aussie rules project • Graffiti project 	<p>Phone: 9417 8777 Address: Shop 5, 31 Moorhen Dve Yangebup</p> <p>Website: www.haloleadership.com.au</p>
Killara	<p>Outreach support for young people and their families who have attracted or may attract the attention of police/the law. Operates throughout the metro area from Quinns Rock to Mundaring to Rockingham. Phone to make an appointment for a worker to come out and provide counselling, information, referral etc Eligibility: Up to 17 yrs 8am–1am 7 days a week</p>	<p>Phone: 9355 8000</p>
Maamba Aboriginal Corporation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reconnect Transitional program for Aboriginal youth aged 12-18 years, who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. 2. Provides counselling, support, mentoring, healing, mediation and advocacy. 3. Male and Female Counsellors on hand to offer information and referrals where necessary. 4. Maamba Community Drug Counselling Program. Provides info, support and referrals in relation to any substance misuse issues. 	<p>Phone: 9258 3411 9258 9576 Address: 176–178 Gibbs St East Cannington</p> <p>Website: www.maambaaboriginalcorporation.com.au</p>
Midnight Basketball	<p>Provides a combination of life skills workshops and basketball competitions held on the weekend. Workshops are compulsory to play and cover topics such as getting a job, sex education, anger management and other topics by respected mentors. Midland and surrounding areas. Transport home is provided.</p>	<p>Phone: 9250 4199 East Metro Crime Prevention Unit</p> <p>Email: east.metro.crime.prevention@police.wa.gov.au</p>

Outcare	Range of services including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One-on-one support at Rangeview and Banksia • family mediation service • through-care services prior to and up to 6 months following release • accommodation assistance • advocacy and support • early intervention program delivered through schools. Contact for more information.	Phone: 6263 8622 Address: 27 Moore St East Perth Website: www.outcare.com.au Email: outcare@outcare.com.au
South Metro Youth Link	Provides career guidance, support and encouragement for young Aboriginal people to stay at school, get back into school or training, and to prepare for employment. Registered Training Organisation providing a range of training options, including literacy and numeracy. Community Learning Centre offering alternative education programs for young people not attending school. Options include Drive Training, GATE, General Construction, Horticulture, Business and Retail. Providers of the Federal Government Language, Literacy and Numeracy Program in Fremantle and Rockingham. Group Training Organisation specialising in Aboriginal School Based Traineeships and the year 10 Aboriginal Leadership program and full time Aboriginal traineeships and apprenticeships. Indigenous Employment Program panel member. Youth Pathways program assisting young people 13-19 at risk of disengaging from full time education.	Phone: 9335 4730 Address: 29-33 Queen Victoria St Fremantle Phone: 95922949 Address: 10 Crompton Rd Rockingham Website: www.smyl.com.au
Youthlink	Specialist mental health counselling, consultation, training and community development. Has two Aboriginal workers Eligibility: 13–24 years Marginalised, homeless, disadvantaged. Mon to Fri 8.30am–4.30pm Ring for appointment	Phone: 92274300 or 1300 362 569 Address: 223 James St Northbridge Website: www.youthlink.perthwa.net

Ruah Community Services Perth Aboriginal Resource Directory Update Form

Do you know of any Aboriginal specific programs or services which should be included in this directory? Do you know of any changes that need to be made to any entries in this directory? Please let us know by phone (9485 3939) or complete this update form and send to PO Box 2828 West Perth 6872, fax 9481 0808 or email administration@ruah.com.au

Name of Program or Service	Brief description including open hours and any eligibility criteria	Contact details including phone, address, email and website

