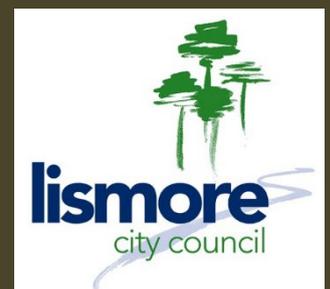


Northern Rivers NSW

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Workers Directory



FOREWORD

The Aboriginal Worker's Directory is produced annually and is compiled and updated by Lismore City Council.

Lismore has a diverse population and is the regional centre for the Far North Coast. It is a magnet for the arts, culture, and alternative lifestyles. There is a large student population due to the presence of Southern Cross University and Lismore TAFE. The community comprises one third of the population living in villages and rural areas, each with their own unique characteristics. Two thirds of the population live in the urban areas of Lismore and Goonellabah.

The Aboriginal Workers directory reflects the large number of Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal organisations that work across the Northern Rivers delivering services to the Bundjalung community.

As Lismore City is the regional centre for the Northern Rivers a significant number of detailed community groups, NGO's and government departments are situated within the Lismore LGA. Every effort is made to include organisations from across the area.

If any changes are required in the directory, or if you have additional information or updates you would like included, or any suggestion about how the directory could be improved, please contact Lismore City Council on 02 6625 0500 or email council@lismore.nsw.gov.au

We acknowledge the Widjabul Wia-bal people of Bundjalung nation as the Traditional Owners of the lands and waters where we operate our business. We honour their unique cultural and spiritual relationship to the land and waters and their continuing and rich contribution to Lismore City Council and the community. We also pay respect to ancestors and Elders past, present and future.

Additionally, we acknowledge the vibrant contribution that young Aboriginal people make as emerging leaders within our community.

Disclaimer

Lismore City Council reserves the right to use and edit all information supplied for inclusion in the 2022/23 Aboriginal Workers Directory. While we have made every attempt to provide accurate and up to date data, we accept no responsibility for incorrect information regarding organisations or services listed. Users of the directory should not take the inclusion of organisations or services listed as an endorsement by Lismore City Council.

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EMERGENCY SERVICES

24 Hour Emergency Telephone Numbers

Ambulance / Fire / Police	000
Domestic Violence Line	1800 656 463
Women's Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Services	1800WDVCAS or 1800 938 227
Aboriginal DFV Hotline 24/7	1800 019 123
NSW Rape Crisis	1800 424 017
Poisons Information Centre	131126
State Emergency Services	132 500
Suicide Prevention Line	1800 273 8255 or 131114
Mental Health Access Line	1800 011 511
Homelessness Service Link2home	1800 152 152
Men's Referral Service 24/7	1300 766 491
1800 RESPECT 24/7 Sexual	1800 737 732
TIS - need an interpreter?	

Hospitals

Lismore Base Hospital	02 6624 0200
St Vincent's Private Hospital	02 6627 9600

Child Protection Information

FaCS Help Line	132 111
Child Abuse Prevention Services	1800 688 009
Kids Help Line (24 hours) FREECALL	1800 55 1800
Youth Line	1800 551 800

Counselling & Information Services

Family Relationship Advice Line	1800 050 321
Parent Line	132 055 or 1300 130 052
Women's Health Matters	02 6620 2999
Northern Rivers Community Gateway	02 6621 7397
Lismore District Women's Health Centre	02 6621 9800
Men's Line	1300 789 978

GENERAL SERVICES

CLARENCE RIVER WOMEN'S REFUGE & OUTREACH SERVICES INC.

Postal Address

PO Box 947
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6642 4955
Fax: 02 6642 7088
Email: admin@crwr.ngo.org.au

Contact: Manager or
Aboriginal Caseworker

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8am to 6pm

Service Focus

Provision of crisis accommodation and services to women and children who have experienced domestic violence.



CONTACT FIRST PTY LTD

Postal Address

PO Box 6358
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 6290
Mobile: 0408 463 732
Email: melanie@contactfirst.com.au

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

Aboriginal business consultancy assisting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders to develop their own business enterprises. The organisation runs business development workshops and offers mentoring to its many potential and existing clients.



FIRST SUN EMPLOYMENT

YABUR YULGUN EMPLOYMENT SERVICES INDIGENOUS CORPORATION NUMBER 3975

Street Address

92 Woodlark Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Manager: Georgina Cohen

Phone: 02 6621 6833
Fax: 02 6621 2443

Service Focus

First Sun Employment provides employment services in the Richmond and Tweed areas.

Formed in 2002, First Sun brings together employers, job seekers, training organisations and mentors to get people into quality work, enhance their skills and their value to employers.



FAR NORTH COAST FAMILY REFERRAL SERVICE

Street Address

“Killclare House”
16 Keen Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 1800 338 774

Fax: 02 6620 1899

Email: frs@socialfutures.org.au

Contact: Family Referral Worker

Service Focus

Family Referral Service provides information and referral for families seeking support. We bring together families, support services and community resources to help promote the safety and wellbeing of children, young people and families.



HEARTFELT HOUSE

Street Address

301 Lismore Road
Wollongbar NSW 2477

Postal Address

PO Box 904
Wollongbar NSW 2477

Phone: 02 6628 8940

Email: faye@heartfelthouse.org.au

Contact: Executive Director or
Indigenous Support Worker

Officer Hours: Mon - Thurs 9am to 3pm

Service Focus

Heartfelt House's core program is called 'Taking the First Steps'. It is a group program for adult survivors of childhood sexual abuse. Heartfelt House also conducts a series of seminars that are designed to increase the support of adult survivors of childhood sexual abuse.



AUSTRALIAN UNITY HOME CARE – North Coast Aboriginal Bundjalung Branch

Street Address

Shop 18-19 The Strand
Griffith Street
Coolangatta QLD 4225

Postal Address

PO Box 305
Tweed Heads NSW 2485

Phone: 0437 836 189

Contact: Administration Assistant

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 4pm

New Clients

Please telephone the Aboriginal Assessment Team on 1300 797 606 for eligibility information.

Service Focus

Australian Unity's Aboriginal Home Care service provides culturally appropriate home and community services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and their carers to help them live independently in their own homes.



INTERRELATE FAMILY RELATIONSHIP CENTRE

Street Address

5 Market Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6623 2750

Mobile: 0407 675 603

Aboriginal Services /Community Development Worker

Email: mereki@interrelate.org.au

Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

The Family Relationship Centre in Lismore provides culturally safe Family Mediation services for Aboriginal people. We provide information, cultural support and assistance. Our Aboriginal workers can provide cultural links to all our programs including counselling, Building Stronger Families Program, the Child contact service and parent education.



NIMBIN AGED CARE & RESPITE SERVICE

Street Address

81 Cullen Street
Nimbin NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6689 1709

Fax: 02 6689 0111

Email: coordinator@nacrs.com.au
darren@nacrs.com.au

Service Focus

Serving the villages of Nimbin, the Channon, Dunoon, and surrounds, NACRS provide a social support service for Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people 50 years and over, people with a disability and carers. Services provided include individual and group social support, shopping and transport, home visits, cultural and social events and referral to other services.



Contact: Aboriginal Social Support Worker

SPIRIT DREAMING

Postal Address

PO Box 84
Alstonville NSW 2477

Phone: 02 6629 5884

Mobile: 0418 477 093

Email: mel@spiritdreaming.com.au
www.spiritdreaming.com.au

Service Focus

Aboriginal Cultural Training, Aboriginal Healing and Wellbeing Programs, Digital Media Education.



Office Hours: Monday - Friday

NORTHCOTT

Phone: 02 6620 6600

Area Manager – Kelly Anderson

Mobile: 0436 011 173

Email: kelly.anderson@northcott.com.au

Regional Manager – Kim Davis

Mobile: 0439 633 923

Email: kim.davis@northcott.com.au

ATSI Program Advisor – Kathy McKenzie

Mobile: 0408 659 779

Email: kathy.mckenzie@northcott.com.au

Service Focus

Northcott is a not for profit organisation providing supports for people with disability. This can include Support Coordination, Housing – Supported Independent Living (SIL) / Specialised Disability Accommodation (SDA), Day Programs, In home and community support and Therapy. We have both indigenous staff and indigenous customers within Northcott. Kathy provides support for all employees within Northcott who identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander.



Region covered: Northern NSW (Kelly), Northern NSW, Coffs Harbour, Taree and Tamworth (Kim), All of Northcott (Kathy)

NORTH COAST COMMUNITY HOUSING COMPANY LTD

Street Address

Suite 2, 31 Carrington Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 145
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6627 5300

Fax: 02 6622 4261

Email: Julie.Dukes@ncchc.org.au

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 4pm
Wed 9am to 12.30pm

Service Focus

Community and and affordable housing.



NORTHERN RIVERS ABORIGINAL BUSINESS ADVISOR (AEDO)

Street Address

Suite 1/118 Tamar Street
Ballina NSW 2478

Phone: 0409 632 944

Email: david.butcher@etcltd.com.au

Contact: David Butcher

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

The Aboriginal Enterprise Development Officer (AEDO) Program is a free program for Aboriginal people considering starting up their own business or expanding their current business.



NORTHERN NSW ABORIGINAL TENANTS ADVICE & ADVOCACY SERVICE

Street Address

18 – 26 Victoria Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Postal Address

PO Box 1075
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 1800 248 913

Fax: 02 6643 4862

Email: info@aboriginaltaap.com.au

Contact: Manager

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

Housing information including landlord, evictions, tenancy agreements, bond claims, repairs/maintenance, consumer, traders and tenancy tribunal.



NORTHERN RIVERS COMMUNITY LEGAL CENTRE

Street Address

114 Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 212
Lismore NSW 2480

NRCLC Phone: 026621 1000

WDVCAS Phone: 026621 1044

Contact: Aboriginal Legal Access Project
Worker

Phone: 02 6621 1007

Mobile: 0490 098 370

Email:

makara.jacky@northernriversclc.org.au

Website: www.northernriversclc.org.au

Office Hours: Mon - Thurs
9am to 4pm

Service Focus

NRCLC provides free advice, information and referral on most civil areas of law. Free family law to parents. Free community legal education. Free independent information, advice, advocacy and referrals to tenants in the Northern Rivers.

Supporting women and children experiencing domestic violence through our women's domestic violence court advocacy services (WDVCAS).



JUSTICE ADVOCACY SERVICE Delivered by the Intellectual Disability Rights Service (IDRS)

Postal Address

PO Box 20228
World Square NSW 2002

Phone Enquiries: 9265 6300

Phone Intake: 1300 665 908

24/7 police station support for people with cognitive impairment

Email: intake intakeJAS@idrs.org.au

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Intake: 24/7 for police station support only

Service Focus

The Justice Advocacy Service (JAS) will support people with cognitive impairment in contact with the NSW criminal justice system, including as victims, witnesses and suspects/defendants to exercise their rights and fully participate in the process when they are in contact with police, courts and legal representatives.



SACRED EARTH DREAMING (Northern Rivers Transpersonal Healing Centre)

Street Address

Unit 2-3/104a Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Mobile: 0421 336 939

Email: meljames37@hotmail.com

Service Focus

Reconnection to self, identity, land nature, spirit & community using transpersonal art therapy, counselling, yarning, ceremony, earth-based healing.



MOMENTUM COLLECTIVE

Office Address

Ballina – 79 Tamar Street
Grafton – 18-26 Victoria Street
Tweed Heads – 44 Wharf Street

Intake Line: 1300 355 305

Email: shsintake@otcp.com.au

Office Hours: Monday – Friday
8.30 am to 4.30pm

Domestic Violence Crisis Response 24/7

Service Focus

Assisting Aboriginal people and women experiencing domestic and family violence who are homeless or at risk of homelessness, to secure long-term, safe, affordable accommodation.

OTCP also provides a range of short to medium term accommodation solutions for individuals and families, as well as providing advocacy support and case management for those seeking assistance with establishing, or sustaining a tenancy.

Area covered: Northern NSW including Clarence Valley, Richmond Valley, Ballina / Byron and Tweed Valley



KOORI MAIL NEWSPAPER

Street Address

11 Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 2666

Fax: 02 6622 2600

Email: manager@koorimail.com

Web Site: www.koorimail.com

Contact: Manager – Naomi Moran

Indigenous newspaper published every fortnight and brings the most comprehensive coverage of wide ranging issues from a uniquely Indigenous perspective and is distributed Australia wide.

KYOGLE TOGETHER INC.

Postal Address

PO Box 751
Kyogle NSW 2474

Phone: Enquiries/Intake: 02 6632 2972
(leave message and someone will get back to you)

**The Fair Share Kitchen Program -
Emergency Relief Service and Support**

Office Hours: Thursdays only
10am to 2pm

Email: er@kyogletogether.org.au

Program focus: Providing food through food recovery activities, and support through financial and material, service/support linkages and advocacy.



Appointments with a community assistance worker for information and emergency material aid
Thursdays 9-2pm and Fridays 9-2pm

HOME ASSISTANCE & REGIONAL TRANSPORT SERVICES - (HART Services)

Previously Northern Rivers Community Transport

Street Address

37 Converys Lane
Wollongbar NSW 2477

Postal Address

PO Box 1788
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6628 0260

Fax: 02 6628 6973

Email: lesley@hartservices.org.au

Contact: Aboriginal Transport
Development Officer

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 7.30am to 4pm

Service Focus

- Individual transport for CHSP clients to attend medical related appointments in Lismore, Kyogle and Richmond Valley
- Community access buses, door-to-door service
- Long distance trips for DVA clients
- Transport assistance to attend funerals
- YOWI transport for groups of young people to access recreational activities.



NORTHERN RIVERS COMMUNITY GATEWAY

Helping Hands Indigenous Housing Support

Street Address

76 Carrington Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 7397

Fax: 02 6622 0235

Email: hub@nrcg.org.au

Service Focus

A service for Indigenous people in the Northern Rivers region, over the age of 18, who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless.



Northern Rivers
**Community
Gateway**

MEN and FAMILY CENTRE INC.

Men's Behaviour Change Programs

Street Address

Suite 6, 32 Gum Tree Drive
Goonellabah NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 6116

Mobile: 0493 157 562

46-48 Wharf Street
Tweed Heads NSW 2485

Phone: 0422 195 003

Email: hello@menandfamily.org.au

Service Focus

GROUPS FOR MEN - Our men's behaviour change program, MEND, is for men who want to stop hurting and frightening the people they love.



SUPPORT FOR WOMEN - If you are a woman who is worried about your partner's behaviour, or your safety, you can ring us to discuss your concerns.

Lismore

Street Address

6 Industry Drive
East Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6626 0000**Fax:** 02 6622 1977**Email:** mywellbeing@newhorizons.net.au**Website:** www.newhorizons.net.au**Office Hours:**

Mond – Frid 8am to 5pm

Tweed Heads

Street Address

2/8 Rivendell Drive
Tweed Heads South NSW 2486

Phone: 07 5506 4300**Fax:** 07 5524 7611**Office Hours:**

Mond – Frid 8am to 4.30pm

Email: mywellbeing@newhorizons.net.au**Website:** www.newhorizons.net.au

Grafton

Street Address

26 Villiers Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6644 3900**Fax:** 02 6643 2809**Office Hours:**

Mond – Frid 8am to 4.30pm

Email: mywellbeing@newhorizons.net.au**Website:** www.newhorizons.net.au

Service

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- Daily Living Skills
- Physical health and wellbeing
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Service Focus

For nearly half a century New Horizons has supported tens of thousands of Australians in hundreds of communities to discover their potential. By putting wellbeing at the heart of everything we do, we can provide the advice, connections and services people need to reach their goals.

As champions of choice, we offer an unmatched range of services and supports for individuals wanting to enhance their wellbeing.

We take the time to listen to our customers, understand their needs and design tailored solutions. This personalised approach puts customers firmly in the driver's seat, so they can uncover the possibilities in their lives.

YWCA Australia (Northern NSW)

Street Address

101A Rous Road
Goonellabah NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 4152
Goonellabah NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6625 5800

Email: lismore@ywca.org.au

Contact: Regional Manager

YWCA Australia PURPOSE:

Making young women's leadership and women's housing our priority for gender equity in Australia.

The following Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander specific services are run through YWCA Australia (Northern NSW):

Kids for LIFE Supported Playgroup

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander playgroup.

A fun and friendly supported playgroup for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children aged 0-5yrs and their families in the community.

Playgroup runs Thursdays from 11am to 1pm in school terms.

Transport is provided for families, if needed.

Contact: Jodi Law - Kids 4 Life Coordinator

Phone: 0425 366 979

Email: nsw-k4lcoordinator@ywca.org.au

BUNDJALUNG TRIBAL SOCIETY

Street Address:

T.B.A.

Postal address:

PO Box 557
LISMORE NSW 2480

Phone: (02) 6621 6992

Mobile: 0427 905 684

Email: reception.bundjalung@gmail.com

Website: www.bundjalungtribalsociety.com

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9am - 3pm

Ngulliboo Muggi

Goonellabah Transition Program

A transition to school program, supporting Indigenous children and their families in the year before school.

Contact

Erica Ross

Phone: 0413 878 523

Email: erica.ross@ywca.org.au

HIPPY (Home Interaction Program for Parents and Youngsters)

HIPPY is a two-year, home-based early childhood learning and parenting program that prioritises Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander families the year before school and into their first year at school. HIPPY empowers parents and carers to be their child's first teacher and helps children make a successful transition to school.

HIPPY also provides families with the opportunity to participate in cultural activities and excursions, as well as providing education and employment pathways for parents/carers in the program.

Contact: Dianne Schembri - HIPPY Coordinator

Phone: 0450 840 179

Email: dianne.schembri@ywca.org.au



Service Focus

Bundjalung Tribal Society is an Aboriginal Community Housing Provider, providing low cost long term accommodation to Aboriginal people within the Lismore and Alstonville areas also owns and manages a rural property known as 'Namabunda Farm'.

Contact: Melissa Bolt - Manager

SOCIAL FUTURES

Street Address

'Killclare House'
16 Keen Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 5419
East Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 1800 719 625

Fax: 02 6620 1899

Email: contact@socialfutures.org.au

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm

Ballina Office

Shop 5, 274 River Street
Ballina NSW 2478

Byron Bay Office – Connecting Home

1 Scott Street
Byron Bay NSW 2481

Youth Connections Clubhouse

Ground Floor, Northern Rivers Conservatorium
152 Keen Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Kyogle – Family Planning

Kyogle Community Health
199 Summerland Way
Kyogle NSW 2478

Lismore Family Planning

3/29 Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Mullumbimby Office

Lotus Centre
56 Stuart Street
Mullumbimby NSW 2482

Lismore and Kyogle Family Planning

provides high quality, confidential and professional services to assist adults of all ages to make positive choices around their reproductive and sexual health.

Contact:

02 6620 7660 (Lismore)

02 6630 0488 (Kyogle)

Reconnect assists young people 12-18 who are at risk of homelessness to stabilise their current living situation and improve engagement with their families.

Getting It Together helps young people aged 12-25 find opportunities for positive change in relation to their drug and alcohol use; building self-esteem and improving their life skills through individual and family-focused interventions and group work.

Contact for Reconnect and Getting It Together
02 6620 1849

Email: reconnectlismore@socialfutures.org.au

Mijung Jarjums Kids in Mind promotes the wellbeing of children and young people up to 18 years of age who are at risk of developing – or showing early signs of – mental illness, and their families. Non-clinical mental health services aim to reduce the risk factors and increase the protective factors that can facilitate resilience in young people.

Phone: 02 6620 1896

Email: kidsinmind@socialfutures.org.au

Elements – Youth & Family Relationships

Elements is based in Lismore. We provide free counselling services for ages 10-24 and their parents via individual and group sessions, to assist in building supportive and positive family relationships. Your counsellor can use a range of approaches to support you to explore the different elements of your life. We can address issues including: managing relationships, alcohol and drug misuse, mental health, anger management, grief and loss, trauma and general everyday wear and tear. Elements also delivers healthy relationship programs to schools. Individual or group work sessions are normally held in Lismore.

Phone 02 6620 1800

Links to Learning Program is no longer running.

StandBy Response is a coordinated community crisis response service that supports the health and wellbeing of families, friends and associates bereaved by suicide.

Contact: 0417 119 298 (24 hours)

Social Futures is a National Disability Insurance Scheme Partner delivering NDIS Local Coordination Delivery services in regional NSW.

Contact: 1800 522 679

Workplace Mentoring Network:

Creating pathways for recovery through employment works in partnership with OnQ to mentor workplaces and support people with mental health issues into paid employment.

Connecting Home supports people who are experiencing, or at risk of, homelessness. The program provides case management and support from Tweed to Grafton, assisting people to maintain their tenancies; help them find new housing; and provides longer term support for people with complex needs. The program provides support specifically for:

- Youth Homelessness for 16-25 year olds
- Accommodation support for adults and families
- Adults with complex needs.

Contact:

1800 048 310 (9am – 4.30pm)
FREE from a land line

Email: connectinghome@socialfutures.org.au
(Lismore)
connectinghomeGrafton@socialfutures.org.au
(Grafton)
connectinghomeTweed@socialfutures.org.au
(Tweed)

In an emergency call Link2Home 1800 152 152 (24 hours) FREE from a land line

Tweed Heads – Connecting Home

C/- Headspace Tweed Building
145 Wharf Street
Tweed Heads NSW 2485

Connecting You – HYAP (Homeless Youth Assistance Program)

Connecting You provides practical and emotional support for 12-15 year olds who are homeless or at risk of homelessness and their families. It helps them reconnect with family, friends, work, school and the community. The service is only available to young people referred by NSW Family and Community Services.

Contact: 02 6620 1800

Email: connectingyou@socialfutures.org.au

Links to Learning increases life skills such as team work, communications and conflict resolution for 12- 18 year olds to encourage their ongoing engagement in education.

Contact: 0428 599 157

Email: links2learning@socialfutures.org.au

Headspace

(Lismore and Tweed) provides early intervention mental health services to 12-25 year olds and assistance in promoting young peoples' wellbeing.

Contact: 02 6625 0200 (Lismore)

Email: enquiries@headspace-lismore.org.au

Contact: 07 5589 8700 (Tweed)

Email: enquiries@headspace-tweed.org.au

Youth on Track is an early intervention scheme for 10-17 year olds that identifies and responds to young people at risk of long-term involvement in the criminal justice system. Referrals are made directly from the NSW Education, Juvenile Justice and Police.

Contact: 0437 784 823

Email: youthontrack@socialfutures.org.au

Clubhouse Lismore is a safe, free, after school program for young people aged 12-18. It offers members access to technology and mentors to nurture their creativity and assist them to gain skills and confidence.

Contact: 0428 599 157

Email: theclubhouse@socialfutures.org.au

Clubhouse Ballina

32 Swift Street
Ballina NSW 2478

Family Connect and Support Service

The Family Connect and Support program supports children, young people 16-24 and families with case coordination for up to 16 weeks. We can assist with parenting challenges, financial stress, substance use, family breakdown, housing issues, mental health domestic and family violence and NDIS plus more. We provide information, advise and assist with connecting to the services required so they don't have to retell their stories, we also can advocate if the service does not provide the right supports. We stay connected with them until they are matched and accessing the right service or support.

Contact Details:

Kylie Maunder

Aboriginal Engagement Coordinator

Contact: 0428 586 770

Email: kylie.maunder@socialfutures.org.au

Marcus Luckel

Program worker

Contact: 0439 711 153

Email: marcus.luckel@socialfutures.org.au

WOMEN UP NORTH HOUSING INC.

Street Address

40 Wyrallah Rod
East Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 5197
East Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 7730

Fax: 02 6622 8819

Email: manager@wunh.org.au

Phone Case Workers: 02 6621 7730

Contact:

Executive Officer – Jillian Knight Smith

Mobile: 0413 886 500

Email: eo@wunh.org.au

Servicing Lismore LGA, Northern NSW

Service Description

Bugalma Bihyn Women and Children's Refuge

Phone Case Workers: 02 66215187

Refuge for women / parents identify as Aboriginal and TSI who have experienced Domestic and family violence.

Aboriginal Domestic Violence Homelessness and supported housing services.



MID-RICHMOND NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE INC.

Street Address

Oaks Arcade Shop
5/6 Oak Street
Evans Head NSW 2473

Phone: 02 6682 4334

Fax: 02 6682 4100

Email: admin@mrnc.com.au

Website: www.mrnc.com.au

Crankfest Youth Festival:

www.crankfest.com.au

Office hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 4.30pm



Service Focus

MRNC are a community based organisation and a leader in the provision of services and programs to the communities of Evans Head, Broadwater, Woodburn, Coraki and surrounding rural locations.

MRNC are also members of the CONC Consortium of Neighbourhood Centres with regional programs including: Emergency Relief, Brighter Futures and Food Recovery.

Services

- Support Services
- Emergency Relief
- Information & Referral
- Child & Family Services
- Supported Playgroups
- Community Home Support Program – Aged & Disability Services
- Department of Human Services – Agency
- Youth Services
- Brighter Futures
- Volunteering

Projects

- Johnny's Evans Head
- Crankfest Youth Festival
- The Hive Community Garden
- Foodbank

NGUNYA JARJUM ABORIGINAL CHILD and FAMILY SERVICE

Street Address:

70 Carrington Street
Lismore NSW 2480

PO Box 580, Lismore NSW 2480

Chief Executive Officer
Wendy Knight

Email: Wendy.Knight@ngunyajarjum.com

Partnership and Engagement Manager
Michelle Rogers

Phone: 02 6626 3700

Mobile: 0401 545 079

Email: Michelle.Rogers@ngunyajarjum.com

Website: ngunyajarjum.com

Office hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 4.30pm

Service Focus

We are an Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO) providing community programs, targeted early intervention services, intensive family preservation services and out of home care service for jarjums and their families across the Far North Coast of NSW.

Our vision is for a connected, culturally rich and thriving community where we support our local families to nurture their children, raise them on country, and preserve our culture and strength into the future.



AUSTRALIAN RED CROSS

Street Address:

130 Keen Street
LISMORE NSW 2480

18 Bay Street
TWEED HEADS NSW 2485

9 Maclean Street
COFFS HARBOUR NSW 2450

144 Belgrave Street
KEMPSEY NSW 2440

Postal Address:

PO Box 431
KEMPSEY NSW 2440

Julie Perkins
Regional Aboriginal and Torres Strait
Islander Engagement
Social & Emotional Wellbeing – Recovery

Email: juperkins@redcross.org.au

Phone: 0404 647 684

Janelle Cazaubon
Regional Manager – Northern NSW

Email: jcazaubon@redcross.org.au

Phone: 0448 059 208

Website: www.redcross.org.au

Service Focus

Disaster Recovery and Resilience

First Nations community recovery is a priority in the Australian Red Cross disaster recovery program in Northern NSW. Aboriginal Regional Engagement workers are connecting with communities, disaster welfare and emergency services organisations, and all levels of government to improve recovery and to support the future resilience of local Aboriginal communities. This includes our Community-led Resilience projects which are underway in communities across the region.

Contact: Julie Perkins, juperkins@redcross.org.au or 0404 647 684.

Place-Based Approach

Place-based work in First Nations communities starts with a partnership built on trust and respect. We empower sustainable, long-term solutions driven by the community, focusing on complex problems to create systemic change. This includes addressing crucial issues such as the health and wellbeing of children and young people, family and community violence, and youth employment and participation. Red Cross runs dedicated place-based work in 10 identified communities across the country.

Contact: Janelle Cazaubon,
jcazaubon@redcross.org.au or 0448 059 208.



EDUCATION SERVICES

GNIBI COLLEGE OF INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIAN PEOPLE

Street Address

1 Military Road
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 157
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6620 3955
Free call: 1800 816 676
Fax: 02 6620 3958
Email: gnibi@scu.edu.au

Contact: Head of College or
Administrative Officer

Office hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

Indigenous education and research Centre of Excellence which builds understanding between all peoples, promotes cultural diversity by raising awareness to and insight into ancient and modern wisdoms through ganna, thereby forging shared dreamings.

Provides cultural community and professional education and training and Indigenous student support.



INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIAN STUDENT SERVICES (IASS) SCU

Street Address

1 Military Road
East Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 157
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6620 3377 (Lismore)
Free call: 1800 769 763
Fax: 02 6620 3438
Email: iass@scu.edu.au

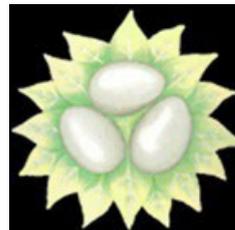
Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Contact: Indigenous Australian Student
Support Officer

Coffs Harbour 02 6659 3769
Gold Coast Campus 07 5589 3010

Service Focus

The principle objective of IASS is to provide Indigenous Australian students with the services and support they need to gain access to and succeed in higher education



JARJUM CENTRE INC.

Street Address

Cnr Cynthia Wilson and
Rifle Range Roads
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 5135
East Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 9203
Fax: 02 6622 4424
Email: jarjumcentre@gmail.com

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8am to 3pm

Contact: Jarjum Family Worker
Email: jarjumfamilyworker@gmail.com
Mobile: 0437 111 599

Service Focus

Pre-school education services for children from 3 to 6 years old.



TAFE NSW ABORIGINAL EDUCATION and ENGAGEMENT TEAM

Street Address

64 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 569
Lismore NSW 2480

Office Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Senior Manager Aboriginal Education & Engagement – Sharon Taylor

Phone: 02 6623 0214

Email: sharon.taylor32@tafensw.edu.au

Aboriginal Education & Engagement Coordinator – Kristy Perkins

Mobile: 0409 074 401

Email: kristy.perkins3@tafensw.edu.au

Aboriginal Student Support Officer – Dean Dalziel

Mobile: 0407 638 150

Email: dean.dalziell3@tafensw.edu.au

Service Focus

TAFE NSW Aboriginal Education and Engagement Team North Region, provides customised services within TAFE NSW for Aboriginal people, communities, and organisations. We also provide specialist services for employers and other partners.

The Aboriginal Student Support Officer is available for culturally appropriate support, course enquiries, class support including setting up tutorial support once enrolled, plus more.

Team Email: AECNorth@tafensw.edu.au

Find us on FACEBOOK:

TAFE NSW – Aboriginal Engagement - North Region @TAFENSWAEN



ACE COMMUNITY COLLEGES LTD

Street Address

59 Magellan Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 526
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 1903

Fax: 02 6621 9917

Email: info@acecolleges.edu.au

Web: www.acecolleges.edu.au

Office Hours

Mon - Frid 9am to 5pm

Contact:

Business Development Manager
gillian.j@acecolleges.edu.au

Also offices at Casino Community Centre

35 Walker Street
Casino NSW 2470

Phone: 02 6662 3777

Office Hours

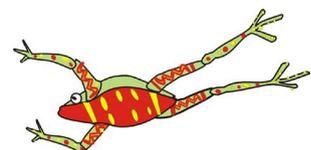
Mon, Wed Thurs 10am to 4pm

Training and Education Service Focus:

Driver training and licensing
WDO's (Work Development Orders)
Foundation Skills
Cert I,II,III Community Services and Business training
Cert I,II,III Conservation, Land Management and Horticulture

Contact:

Aboriginal Outreach Coordinator
jan.l@acecolleges.edu.au



EMPLOYMENT TRAINING COMMUNITY (ETC)

Street Address

Suite 5A, 17 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6691 2975

Email: lismore@etcltd.com.au

Web: www.etcltd.com.au

Contact: Ceharnie Martin

Mobile: 0427 217 895

Email: Ceharnie.martin@etcltd.com.au

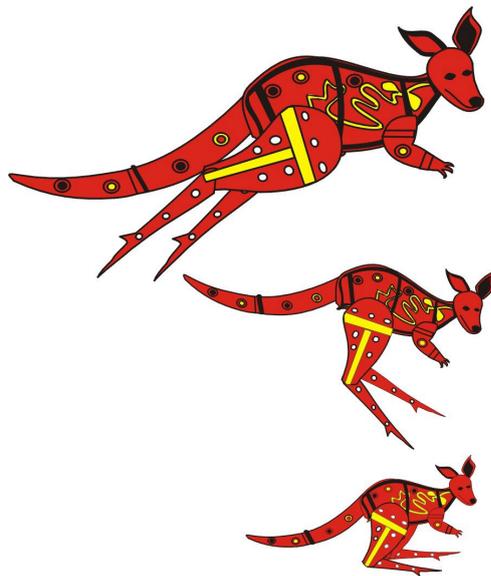
Office Hours: 8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus

If you are looking for a job, come and speak to our Aboriginal Employment Advisor. We have access to a range of training and work placements to assist you in gaining the skills you need for the local job market.

As a job seeker ETC can help you:

- Develop a strong, relevant resume
- Identify training opportunities and link you in with training places
- Coach you in interview techniques
- Provide support at all stages of your job search
- Offer on the job mentoring to support you in your new position



GOVERNMENT SERVICES - NSW FEDERAL

DEPARTMENT CORRECTIVE SERVICES – Probation and Parole

Street Address

Suite 14B, Conway Plaza
21 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Service Focus

Probation and parole

Postal Address

PO Box 1090
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 1277

Fax: 02 6622 0339



Office Hours

Mon to Fri 8.30am to 4.30pm

Contact

Aboriginal Client Services Officer

DEPARTMENT CORRECTIVE SERVICES - Grafton

Grafton Street Address

170 Hoof Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Service Focus

Pre and post release support. Also provides cultural, education and support for men, women and youth.

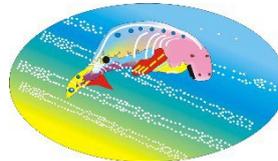
Grafton Postal Address

PO Box 656
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6642 0344

Fax: 02 6642 1419

Email: terrie.lowe@dcs.nsw.gov.au



Contact

Koori Teacher or Welfare Officer

BALUND-A

Street address

186 Welsh Road
Mookima Wybra via
TABULAM NSW 2469

Service Focus

The Balund-a Program is an innovative residential diversionary program for male offenders over 18 years of age. The program's aim is to reduce re-offending and enhance skills within a cultural and supportive community environment.

Phone: 02 6660 8600

Fax: 02 6660 8636

The Aboriginal name, Bugilmah Burube Wullinje Balund-a roughly translates as "Be good now you have a second chance down by the river".

DEPARTMENT ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE

Street Address

75 Main Street
Alstonville NSW 2477

Service Focus

Environmental services and information.

Postal Address

PO Box 856
Alstonville NSW 2477

Phone: 02 6627 0200

Fax: 02 6628 3937

Contact:

Regional Admin Officer



FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES – HOUSING SERVICES – NORTHERN DISTRICT

Free Call 1800 422 322 (you can request to speak to an Aboriginal staff member)

Lismore Street Address

4 Zadoc Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6623 2424

press '1' - Maintenance

press '2' - Renting privately incl. Rentstart Bond Loans
Temporary accommodation

Postal Address

PO Box 89
Lismore NSW 2480

press '3' - Tenancy

press '4' - Applying for Housing

press '8' - All other inquiries

Fax: 02 6623 2436

Website: www.housing.nsw.gov.au

Service Focus

To provide Social Housing, Rentstart assistance and temporary accommodation to eligible applicants.

After Hours Temporary Accommodation

Please note: clients can be referred to an Aboriginal specialist.

link2home Homelessness line

1800 152 152

Grafton Office:

Phone: 02 6641 1192 or 02 6641 1191

(visit by appointment only)

Office Hours

Mon to Fri 9am to 5pm

DEPARTMENT FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES

Lismore Street Address

4 Zadoc Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Service Focus

Lead Statutory Child Protection agency with focus on responding to high risk child abuse and neglect matters. The service focuses on working collaboratively with families to promote and ensure the safety and wellbeing of children; building stronger families and communities. CS also provides a welfare response when communities are effected by disasters such as floods, fires, severe storms etc.

Postal Address

PO Box 89
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6623 4900

Office Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm

Clarence Valley Street Address

3/120 Fitzroy Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Ballina Street Address

89 Tamar Street
Ballina NSW 2478

Phone: 02 6641 2400

Phone: 02 6686 1912

DEPARTMENT HUMAN SERVICES

Street Address

47 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 571
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6626 5400

Fax: 02 6626 5398

Indigenous Service Officer

Laurie Mercy (Lismore, Casino, Yamba)

Email:

laurie.mercy@humanservices.gov.au

Street Address

100 Blundell Boulevard
Tweed Heads South NSW 2485

Phone: 07 5587 9205

Email:

linda.fitzpatrick@humanservices.gov.au

Indigenous Service Officer

Linda Fitzpatrick (Ballina, Byron, Tweed,
Murwillumbah, Brunswick Heads)

Service Focus

Connect customers and communities to the department's services, programmes and payments. Work in collaboration with other external and internal stakeholders in delivering services to the community

Indigenous Call Centre: 1800 136 380

Jobseekers: 132850

Families: 136150

Abstudy: 1800 132 317

Disability, Sickness & Carers: 132717



DEPARTMENT JUVENILE JUSTICE (NSW)

ACMENA Juvenile Justice Centre

Lot 57 Swallow Road
South Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6643 0000

Fax: 02 6643 0019

Northern Regional Office

Suite 11, Conway Plaza
21 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6623 4220

Contact

Aboriginal Practice Officer

Office Hours

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm

Service Focus

Juvenile Justice supervises and cares for young offenders in the community and in detention centres in NSW. Juvenile Justice also organises Youth Justice Conferences. The division provides diversionary and community based services, as well as custodial services in detention centres for young people on remand and on control orders.

Lismore Juvenile Justice Community Offices

Suite 11, Conway Plaza
21 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Contact

Juvenile Justice Caseworkers

Phone: 02 6623 4207

Phone: 02 6623 4211



DEPARTMENT LOCAL LAND SERVICES (NSW)

Street Address

79 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 16
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6623 3900

Service Focus

Local Land Services (LLS), launched in January 2014, delivers quality, customer-focused services to farmers, land holders and the community across rural and regional New South Wales.

LLS bring together agricultural production advice, biosecurity, natural resource management and emergency management into a single organisation.



DEPARTMENT SPORT & RECREATION (NSW)

Northern Region 13 1302

Pacific Parade
Lennox Head NSW 2478

Postal Address

PO Box 121
Lennox Head NSW 2478

Phone: 02 6687 7168

Fax: 02 6687 7920

Free call: 1800 655 248

Website: www.dsr.nsw.gov.au

Office Hours

Mon - Fri
8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus

Provision of sport and recreation programs for the Aboriginal community.



LISMORE COURT HOUSE

Aboriginal Services Unit - Department of Communities and Justice

Street Address

9 -11 Zadoc Street Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 18
Lismore NSW 2480

Contact:

Senior Aboriginal Client & Community Support Officer – Leearna Williams

Phone: 6623 3663

Mobile: 0447 987 990

Email: leearna.williams@justice.nsw.gov.au

Aboriginal Client & Community Support Officer - Tracey Callegari

Phone: 6623 3615

Mobile: 0491 226 434

Email: tracey.callegari@justice.nsw.gov.au

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 9am to 4.30pm

Service Focus

The Aboriginal Services Unit (ASU) is specialist team within the Department of Justice and our vision is to 'build better pathways to Justice for Aboriginal people.' We do this by providing support and advocacy for Aboriginal defendants and victims attending courts through our Aboriginal Client and Community Support Officers. Some of our programs include Circle Sentencing, Drivers Licence Offences Project, Lismore Aboriginal Community Justice Group and general court support.



ABORIGINAL LEGAL SERVICE LTD (NSW/ACT)

Street Address

3/15 Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 7088

Fax: 02 6622 7087

Email: william.bon@alsnswact.org.au
heather.jacky@alsnswact.org.au

Contact

Paralegal Indigenous Field Officer
Administration Assistance

Service Focus

ALS is an Aboriginal community organisation giving information and referral, and legal advice and court representation to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men, women and children across NSW and ACT.

We work in Criminal law, Children's Care and Protection law and Family law, and we provide information and referral for Civil law. We also assist with Work and Development Orders, Custody Notification and Prisoner Through care.



LEGAL AID NSW

Street Address

Level 4, 29 Molesworth Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 2082

Fax: 02 6621 2277

Email: lismore@legalaid.nsw.gov.au
www.legalaid.nsw.gov.au

Please contact Merinda Dutton at our Lismore office on 6621 2082 for more information.



Service Focus

Legal Aid NSW provides legal services to disadvantaged clients across NSW in most areas of criminal, family and civil law.

Our services include:

- Confidential face to face and phone advice in our office and at outreach locations around the far north coast.
- Legal representation for eligible clients, provided through duty services and case grants for ongoing representation.
- Family dispute resolution services to parties in family law dispute
- Free workshops and webinars for the public and community organisations
- Free legal information written in plain English to help people resolve their legal problems
- Civil Law Service for Aboriginal Communities delivers casework and education services to Aboriginal communities across NSW through its Money Counts program and its Aboriginal Women Leaving Custody program. The service aims to increase advice and casework services to Aboriginal people and to increase capacity for Aboriginal community workers to deal with civil law problems as they arise.

OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING (NSW Department of Commerce)

Grafton Street Address

50 Victoria Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6641 0900

Fax: 02 6641 0999

Office Hours

Mon - Fri
8.30am to 5pm

Lismore Street Address

Suite 5, Conway Court
17 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Lismore Postal Address

PO Box 83
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6627 6500

Fax: 02 6627 6555

Contact:

Aboriginal Customer Service Officer

Office Hours

Mon – Fri 8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus

Providing awareness about consumer rights and responsibilities, e.g. credit, refunds, warranties, lay-bys, mobile phones, cars, tenancies.

Regularly participates in events and prepares education resources for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities. Places articles and advertisements in the Koori Mail newspaper and other Aboriginal publications. Participate in events such as NAIDOC Week.



HEALTH SERVICES

BULLINAH ABORIGINAL HEALTH SERVICE

Street Address

120 Tamar Street
Ballina NSW 2478

Service Focus

Aboriginal Health

Postal Address

PO Box 148
Ballina NSW 2478

Phone: 02 6681 5644

Fax: 02 6681 5912

Email: adminsupport@bullinahahs.org.au

**Contact:**

Chief Executive Officer or Practice Manager

Office Hours

Mon – Fri 8.30am to 5pm

GURGUN BULAHNGGELAH, ABORIGINAL HEALTH LISMORE

Street Address

31 Uralba Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 498
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6620 7557 or 02 66202740

Mobile: 0438 452 209 or 0428 490 305

Fax: 02 6622 2151

Service Focus

provide referrals, assistance, support and information regarding health and wellbeing in the NNSWLHD

Contact Lismore Aboriginal Health Workers**Office Hours**

Mon - Fri
8.30am to 5pm



REKINDLING THE SPIRIT – Health Service “Jullums House”

Street Address

92 Uralba Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 4366

Email: info@jullums.com

Office Hours Mon - Fri 8.30am to 5pm

Contact: Health Service Manager

Service Focus

Aboriginal Health

REKINDLING THE SPIRIT

Street Address

25 Uralba Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 535
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 5534

Fax: 02 6622 5530

Email: admin1@rekindlingthespirit.org.au

Web: www.rekindlingthespirit.org.au

Contact: Wellbeing Services Manager

Office Hours:

Mon -Frid 8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus – Counselling Services

Adult Male and Female Clients / over 18 years

- Men’s Group and Women’s Group
- Alcohol and other drug issues
- Relationship issues
- Behaviour Change program
- Bringing Them Home Councillor (BTH)

REKINDLING THE SPIRIT

Street Address

3& 4/124 Woodlark Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 535
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6622 1117

Fax: 02 6678 0307

Email: admin1@rekindlingthespirit.org.au

Web: www.rekindlingthespirit.org.au

Contact: Health Integration Manager and
Wellbeing Services Manager

Office Hours:

Mon -Frid 8.30am to 4.30pm

Service Focus - Programs

Social and emotional wellbeing issues (SEWB)

- Youth programs 12-24years
- Integrated Team Care



MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

Lismore Community Mental Health (adult youth)

Street Address

60 Hunter Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Contact: 02 6620 2300

Adult Mental Health Inpatient Unit

Phone: 02 66202240

Child Adolescence Inpatient Unit

Phone: 02 6620 7900

District Mental Health

Phone: 02 6620 7587

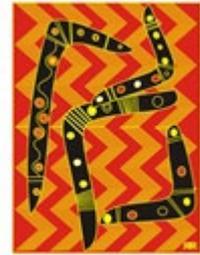
Service Focus

Case management for people with mental illnesses plus referrals to other service providers.

24 hour mental health line: 1800 011 511

Office Hours

Mon - Fri
8.30am to 5pm



NORTHERN NSW LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT

Street Address

31 Uralba Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 498
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6620 7590

Fax: 02 6622 2151

Email: jenny.smith@ncahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Contact: Manager - Jenny Smith

Office Hours

Mon-Fri 8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus

Delivers Aboriginal health promotion programs in north coast area and works with other health workers and relevant organisations.



Health
Northern NSW
Local Health District

THE BUTTERY

Street Address

18-26 Victoria Street
Grafton NSW 2460

Phone: 02 6687 1111

Website: www.buttery.org.au

Tonia Ryan

Support Facilitator – RPAS
Relapse Prevention Aftercare Service

Mobile: 0490 019 253

Email: tonia@buttery.org.au

Alinta Carpenter

Buttery Community Outreach Youth Worker
Alcohol and Other Drugs Relapse Prevention
Program

Mobile: 0491 067 584

Email: alinta@buttery.org.au

Office hours: Mon – Thurs 8.30am to 5pm

Service Focus

The Buttery is a not-for-profit, charitable mental health organisation and drug and alcohol rehab with headquarters near Bangalow in Northern NSW.

Through residential and community-based programs, The Buttery specialises in the treatment of alcohol and other drug misuse and mental health issues. It is guided by the philosophy – *Addiction is not a consequence of choice: rehabilitation is.*

It also operates community outreach programs throughout the NSW Mid-North Coast and NSW Northern Rivers Regions. Alternatively, the Buttery Private Wellbeing Program is a social enterprise of The Buttery and is an early intervention for people who are still functioning well enough but who suffer from [symptoms of anxiety](#), [depression](#) and other mental health issues.



THE BUTTERY

NAMATJIRA HAVEN

Street Address

108 Whites Lane
Alstonville NSW 2477

Postal Address

PO Box 14
Alstonville NSW 2477

Phone: 02 6628 1098

Fax: 02 6628 0520

Email: admin@namatjirahaven.com
www.namatjirahaven.com.au

Service Focus

Residential program for up to 6 months for primarily Aboriginal men seeking support with drug and or alcohol problems and underlying issues.



RICHMOND SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICE

Postal Address

PO Box 419
Lismore NSW 2480

24 hour on-call 02 6621 8000

Phone: 02 6620 2970

Fax: 02 6620 2161

Contact:

Service Coordinator

Service Focus

24hr crisis service for adult and child victims (male and female) of sexual assault and their families. Includes counselling medical care and forensic examinations, advocacy and support, court preparation and support. Aboriginal sexual assault worker available. Also crisis and follow-up counselling and community education.

RIVERLANDS DRUG & ALCOHOL DETOX UNIT

Street Address

Cnr. Uralba and Hunter Streets
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

Locked Mail Bag 11
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6620 7633

Fax: 02 6620 7639

Contact

Senior Aboriginal Health Education
Officer

Service Focus

Provides drug and alcohol counselling with focus on Aboriginal clients, although non-aboriginal clients are also welcome. The service provides assessments, counselling and referrals where necessary.



LOCAL ABORIGINAL LAND COUNCILS

The responsibility of the Local Land Councils is to improve, protect and foster the best interests of all Aboriginal persons within the Council's area and other persons who are members of the Council.

- direct and control the affairs of the land council in accordance with the Aboriginal Land Rights Act and the council's Community Land and Business Plan
- facilitate communication between the members and the New South Wales Aboriginal Land Council (NSWALC)
- review the performance of the land council in carrying out its functions and achieving its objectives
- any other function conferred by the Act.

GUGIN GUDDUBA LALC

Street Address

53 Ettrick Street
Kyogle NSW 2474

Postal Address

PO Box 597
Kyogle NSW 2474

Phone: 02 6632 1056

Fax: 02 6632 2324

Email: gglalc@bigpond.net.au

Contact: CEO

Office Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 4.30pm

NGULINGAH ABORIGINAL LAND COUNCIL

Street Address

53 Conway Street
Lismore NSW 2480

Postal Address

PO Box 981
Lismore NSW 2480

Phone: 02 6621 5541

Mobile: 0400 215 541

Fax: 02 6621 5068

Email: cedrick.hinton@ngulingah.org.au

Contact: CEO

Office Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 4.30pm

JALI LALC

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The service role of the Aboriginal Community Development Officers include:

- ★ Facilitate relations between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities, Council and the general community
- ★ Assist in the development of culturally appropriate programs/services in response to identified needs
- ★ Provide an Indigenous perspective and provide advice in the establishment of new community services
- ★ Identify needs, in consultation with the Aboriginal community and develop and promote programs and services to meet these needs.

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