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MULTICULTURAL INFORMATION DIRECTORY



Hon Paul Henderson MLA
Chief Minister and Minister for Multicultural Affairs

The Multicultural Information Directory published by the Office of Multicultural Affairs, provides information on the various multicultural groups throughout the Northern Territory.

The directory showcases the Northern Territory Government's dedication to multiculturalism and access to service delivery throughout our community.

Through this directory you will be able to find a list of multicultural organisations and contact details for key members. Readers can also find service provider details for government and community organisations.

The directory is updated on the Office of Multicultural Affairs website, so please contact the office if there are any changes to be made or any suggestions for enhancements.

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Services

AUSTRALIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION

80 Mitchell Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 21, DARWIN NT 0801
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:00pm
 Ph: 132 326
 Fax: (08) 8981 7964
 Email: info@aec.gov.au
 Web: www.aec.gov.au

The Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) is responsible for conducting federal elections and referendums and maintaining the Commonwealth electoral roll. The AEC also provides a range of electoral information and education programs and activities.

Do you need to enrol to vote? Any person who:

- is 18 years of age or over
- is an Australian citizen,
- or was a British subject on a Commonwealth roll as at 25 January 1984;
- and has lived for at least one month at their current address;

needs to enrol to vote.

If you're already on the roll and would like to know more about how you can still vote if:

- You are in hospital
- You are going to be interstate
- You'll be away from home, but still in the Territory
- You are going to be overseas;

we can let you know how you can still vote.

If you do not speak or read English well, you can use an interpreter to help you to talk to the AEC. Call 1300 720 153 for this free service.

You can also get written information in various languages on enrolment and voting by calling 132 326 or visiting the Australian Electoral Commission website www.aec.gov.au

You can arrange to have the AEC give a presentation to your group by phoning 132 326.

CHILDCARE

FAMILY DAY CARE

Family Day Care is home-based quality child care. Carers work from home and are supported by a Co-ordination Unit. Child care assistance is available once eligibility is established. Family Day Care can provide full-time, part-time, overnight, emergency, respite, after school and casual care for children from birth to 12 years.

Darwin Region

45 Malak Cres, MALAK NT 0812
 PO Box 43120, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Ph: 8945 2945
 Fax: 8945 2989

Mob: 0407 452 945

Email: info@daycaredarwin.com.au

Web: www.daycaredarwin.com.au

Kentish Family Day Care Centre Inc

53 Broadarrow Circuit, WOODROFFE NT 0830
 PO Box 1325, PALMERSTON NT 0831
 Ph: 8932 2457
 Fax: 8932 4530
 Mob: 0407 322 457
 Email: info@kentishfamilydaycare.com.au

Katherine Regional Family Child Care

PO Box 1219, KATHERINE NT 0851
 Ph: 8971 0079
 Fax: 8971 0603

Alice Springs Region

Shop 8, Diarama Village
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 Ph: 8952 3144 / 8952 3406
 Fax: 8952 3010
 Email: office@asfdc.org.au
 Web: www.asfdc.org.au

AUSTRALIAN EARLY CHILDHOOD ASSOCIATION

Children's Inclusion Support Services (CISS)

Shop 6/71 Coonawarra Road
 WINNELLIE NT 0821
 PO Box 41936, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Ph: 8986 7142
 Fax: 8947 2884
 Email: administration@ciss.asn.au
 Web: www.earlychildhoodaustralia.org

CISS provides support, resources and training for children's services relating to the inclusion of children with additional needs.

Additional needs supported by CISS:

- Children from an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background, or an Australian South Sea Islander background.
- Children who have a diagnosed disability or are in the process of being diagnosed, or have development delay.
- Children from a culturally or linguistically diverse background.
- Children who have experienced torture or trauma either through or during their refugee experience.

The service is available to children accessing Long Day Care, Outside School Hours Care and Family Day Care Services.

The aims of the service are:

- to provide a short term Bilingual Support Worker to settle children and families to the childcare service by explaining the routine requirements
- to liaise with the family for initial enrolment interviews about the child's needs and culture to the service

- to share aspects of the child's culture with the children and staff of the service
- to provide support for staff caring for the child & implement multicultural programming
- to liaise with family, Centre and disabilities special needs staff for initial enrolment and support.

CISS is a free service and can be accessed directly or through your childcare service. CISS can also support all children's services by providing:

- professional forums regarding inclusive practices and child development. Training can be tailored to the service or team's needs
- toolkits specific to the service's and children's needs to enable inclusive participation in the program in an equitable manner
- liaison with other support agencies to facilitate the exchange of information and exploration of avenues for support
- facilitation with the application process, for funding to increase the care to child ratio.

Child Care Centres - A list of private child care centres can be found in the Yellow Pages of the NT Telephone Directory.

CHURCHES, MOSQUES AND TEMPLES

Buddhist Temple

37 Parkside Crescent
LEANYER NT 0812
Ph: 8945 3028

Chinese Temple

25 Woods Street
DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8981 3440

Darwin Chinese Christian Church

72 Leanyer Drive
LEANYER NT 0812
Ph: 8928 0318

Hindu Temple

32 Malak Crescent
MALAK NT 0812
Ph: 8927 1132

Islamic Society of the NT

53 Vanderlin Drive
WANGURI NT 0810
Ph: 8945 0390

St Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church

92 Cavenagh Street
GPO Box 926, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8981 3272
Fax: 8941 7679

Thai Theravada Buddhist Temple

PO Box 349, SANDERSON NT 0813
Ph: 8927 5778

Serbian Orthodox Church, The Mission of St Sava

Cnr Dalwood and Malak Crescent
Malak NT 0812
Ph: 8927 9330
Mob: 0417 876 760

A list of other churches can be found in the Yellow Pages of the NT Telephone Directory under the above heading.

COMMUNITY SETTLEMENT SERVICE ORGANISATIONS

ANGLICARE NT

Refugee and Migrant Settlement Services (RAMSS)

5 Namarluk Drive
LUDMILLA NT 0820
PO Box 36506, WINNELLIE NT 0821
Ph: (08) 8985 0000
Fax: (08) 8985 0001
Email: anglicare@anglicare-nt.org.au
Web: www.anglicare-nt.org.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 5:00pm

The 'Refugee and Migrant Settlement Services (RAMSS) is for humanitarian entrants and recently arrived family stream migrants less than five years in Darwin and its rural areas of Palmerston, Litchfield and Humpty Doo.

The RAMSS program provides casework, referral and advocacy services to the target groups in order for them to gain better understanding of the Australian society's service systems and access these services more independently. This program also provides cross cultural information sessions to mainstream service providers so that they become culturally competent in providing services to the target groups. Anglicare NT's mission is to work in partnership with the community, families and individuals to promote the enrichment of relationships, fullness of life and social justice for all.

Chinese Community Support Service

Chung Wah Society
25 Woods Street
DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: (08) 8981 7658
Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 4:30pm

Greek Community Support Service

Greek Orthodox Community
Cavenagh Street
DARWIN NT 0800
Ph/Fax: (08) 8981 7203
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

Italian/Timorese Community Support Service

Canossian Sisters
PO Box 41646, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: (08) 8985 3128
Fax: (08) 8948 0593

Email: fdcc.darwin@darwin.catholic.org.au
 Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 5:00pm

These community welfare workers assist in the settlement needs of migrants, refugees and people from diverse cultural backgrounds by providing information on assistance and services available; and support on various issues such as domestic violence and crisis situations.

Melaleuca Refugee Centre, Torture and Trauma Survivors Service of the NT Inc.

Director: Dr Ali Nur
 Shop 33, 48 Trower Rd, Rapid Creek Business Village, MILLNER NT 0810
 PO Box 1226, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0814
 Ph: (08) 8985 3311
 Fax: (08) 8985 3322
 Email: admin@melaleuca.org.au
 Web: www.melaleuca.org.au
 Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 4:30pm

Melaleuca Refugee Centre is committed to assisting survivors of torture and trauma to gain a life enriched with dignity.

Melaleuca provides settlement services to newly arrived refugees. Confidential counselling, advocacy and information are offered throughout early resettlement, and are available to established members of the community as well. Youth-focused services respond to the special needs of children, young people and their families. Outreach, though group work, community education and training seeks to promote community awareness.

Melaleuca Refugee Centre offers client focused services and encourages connections between diverse communities.

Multicultural Community Services of Central Australia Inc

2/20 Parsons Street
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 PO Box 1160, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871
 VICE CHAIR: Ms Michele Castagna
 Ph: 8952 8776
 Fax: 8952 5176
 Email: info@mcscsa.org.au
 Mon-Wed-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

The Multicultural Community Services of Central Australia Inc is a multi-faceted service provider that offers information and referral to the culturally & linguistically diverse backgrounds (CaLD) community & refugees. It offers education sessions, social activities and cultural awareness plus more dependent on needs. MCSCA facilitates integration into the Australian community for all people of CaLD backgrounds and encourages and assists participation in community events.

Multicultural Council of the Northern Territory

Shop 15, Malak Shopping Centre, MALAK NT 0812
 PO Box 299, SANDERSON NT 0813
 Ph: 8945 9122

The Multicultural Council of the Northern Territory provides settlement support and services to migrants and refugees, organises education, cultural and social activities, and facilitates integration into the Australian community for all people of diverse cultural and linguistic background.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

NT Police Domestic Violence Unit

Nightcliff Police Station
 Cnr Phoenix Street and Pavonia Place
 NIGHTCLIFF NT 0810
 Po Box 39764, WINNELLIE NT 0821
 Ph: 8948 0110
 Fax: 8948 9130

Alice Springs Domestic Violence Unit

Alice Springs Police Station
 Parsons Street
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 Ph: 8951 5091

The role of the Unit includes:

- providing advice on issues of personal and general safety
- providing support, advice and appropriate referral to victims
- providing information and an understanding of the cycle of violence
- assisting the initial response patrol with advice and follow-up enquiries
- ensuring where necessary the application of the Criminal Law
- assisting with the conditions of restraining orders to maximise their benefit
- providing referrals to offenders (those seeking help for their problems) for example, counseling
- rehabilitation from substance abuse
- assisting with training police on domestic violence issues.

Police in your area can assist with domestic violence issues:

Darwin:	8948 0110
Alice Springs:	8951 8859
Katherine:	8973 8000
Tennant Creek:	8962 4374
Jabiru:	8979 2122
Nhulunbuy:	8987 1333

For a list of police stations throughout the Northern Territory, please refer to the White Pages of the NT Telephone Directory or in an emergency dial 000.

Domestic Violence Community Development and Training Project

PO Box 41744, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8985 5305

Funded under the Commonwealth Rural and Remote Domestic Violence Initiative.

The role of the worker is to:

- provide training on domestic violence to Government, non-government agencies and community groups
- promote a coordinated response to Domestic Violence in the Darwin Urban and Rural and East Arnhem regions by providing community development as it relates to the client group
- network with service providers and community groups to provide information and resources on domestic violence.

Available to organisations in the Darwin urban and rural regions, and the East Arnhem region.

Domestic Violence Counselling Service

PO Box 41744, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8945 6200
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

The Domestic Violence Counselling Service is a free and confidential service for women and children who are experiencing, or are escaping from domestic violence and also women and children who have experienced the impact of domestic violence in their lives.

Other Domestic Violence Services

Alice Springs: 8952 6048
Katherine: 8971 0777
Nhulunbuy: 8987 0403

Lifeline provides a 24-hour counselling service, FREECALL 1800 551 800. For more information about Lifeline see the entry under Health Associations in this document.

Domestic Violence Legal Service

Northern Territory Legal Aid Commission
5th Floor, 9-11 Cavenagh Street
DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8999 3000
Fax: 8999 3060
Information Line: 1800 019 343

The Domestic Violence Legal Service provides free legal advice clinics for clients in both Darwin and Palmerston. It also provides a duty lawyer service for applicants in domestic violence matters at the Darwin Magistrates Court each Wednesday and Friday, as well as general advocacy and community legal education.

For appointments please telephone 8999 3000. Non-English speaking clients can ask for an interpreter to assist them if required. Domestic Violence contact numbers are listed by region in the Community Services section at the front of the White Pages of the NT Telephone Directory.

DRIVER'S LICENCE

Motor Vehicle Registry services include:

- providing theory and practical driving tests
- issuing of NT driving licenses for vehicles and motorcycles
- registering NT vehicles.

All telephone enquiries: 1300 654 628

Motor Vehicle Registry Offices are located at:

Darwin	18 Goyder Road, Parap
Casuarina	Ethos House, Trower Road
Palmerston	Shop 2B, Palm Plaza University Avenue
Katherine	NT Government Centre First Street
Nhulunbuy	Nhulunbuy Industrial Estate, Nhulunbuy
Jabiru	Jabiru Council, Town Plaza, Jabiru
Alice Springs	Greatorex Building, Parsons Street
Yulara	Yulara Police Station
Tennant Creek	NT Government Centre, Leichardt Street

EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME SUPPORT**Workplace Relations Service**

Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations
Email: wasnt@dewr.gov.au
Workplace Infoline: 1300 363 264

Darwin

3rd Floor, TCG Building,
80 Mitchell Street, DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8936 5000

Alice Springs

Suite 73, Alice Plaza
Todd Mall, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Ph: 8959 8800

The service provides information regarding employment, conditions, rates of pay and complaints.

Centrelink

Centrelink is a government agency delivering a range of services to the Australian community and is set up so people can get more of the help they need in one place.

Web: www.centrelink.gov.au

Contact: 132 850

Centrelink offices are located in:

Darwin	Knuckey Street
Casuarina	50 Bradshaw Terrace
Palmerston	2 Maluka Street
Katherine	4 Second Street
Nhulunbuy	Endeavour Square
Alice Springs	5 Railway Terrace
Tennant Creek	77 Paterson Street

Centrelink can provide support if you are:

- recently arrived to settle in Australia
- arriving to settle in Australia
- retired or planning to retire
- raising a family and caring for children
- studying
- sick or disabled
- in a crisis or needing special help
- unemployed and looking for work
- needing help after someone has died
- caring for someone else who is sick/disabled.

Migrants and Refugees

There is help for newly arrived residents even if you don't receive a payment. Always check with Centrelink first to find out.

Residence: Newly arrived migrants must wait two (2) years for most payments. There are exemptions for refugees and humanitarian entrants.

We speak many languages

Centrelink has information about its payments and services in a number of languages. We also have a range of translated factsheets on all our services. Visit your local Centrelink office or our web site at www.centrelink.gov.au for more information.

Centrelink can provide an interpreter free of charge. Translation of documents related to payments can also be arranged, free of charge.

Multicultural Services Officers

Multicultural Services Officers can assist migrants by providing you with an interpreter or translator, providing contacts to answer your questions and to obtain Centrelink information in your own language. The Multicultural Services Officer is Katherine Yuen 8936 3844.

How we help you find a job

Centrelink is where you go to first register as unemployed and assists with finding a suitable position. Each Centrelink Office has a Job Network that lists vacancies in your area.

Payments to help you raise children

- Family Tax Benefit A - to help with the costs of raising children
- Family Tax Benefit B - for single income or sole parent families
- Parenting Payment - to provide financial help to people who are primary carers of children
- Child Care Benefit - helps families with the cost of child care

- Child Care Tax Rebate - additional help for families with the cost of child care
- Maternity Allowance - to help with the extra costs after the birth of a new baby
- Maternity Immunisation Allowance - for children who are fully immunised or are exempt from immunisation
- JET Child Care Fee Assistance – for help with the cost of approved child care for people receiving income support and who have an activity agreement
- Baby Bonus - for help with those extra costs after the birth of a new baby
- Double Orphan Pension - helps meet the costs of caring for children who are orphans
- Carer Allowance - helps parents to care for children with a disability at home.

How we can help you make the most of your money

Centrelink's Financial Information Service (FIS) provides free and independent information about financial matters. Anyone can use this service. To contact your local FIS Officer call 132 300.

How we help you in difficult times

Centrelink's Social Workers can help you with financial, personal or family problems and can refer you to other services for help with:

- accommodation
- health services
- legal services
- child care
- financial or material assistance.

Ask to see a Social Worker at your Centrelink office.

How we help people with a disability and their carers

Centrelink's Disability Officers are specialist staff who offer advice and help on a range of issues including rehabilitation, vocational training, education and employment. For more information on Disability and Carer support call 132 717.

Your rights and our service

Appeals - If you are not happy with a decision made by Centrelink you can appeal and have the decision reviewed. Talk to your local Centrelink office first.

Customer Service - Centrelink wants to improve its service to you. If you have a comment or concern about the service you receive, talk to any of our staff or contact Customer Relations on 1800 050 004.

Your Obligations - It's important to tell Centrelink when your circumstances change as your payments may be affected. Always tell us when you change your address and any changes in earnings or income.

Going Overseas - Going overseas for any reason will affect your payment, so tell Centrelink of travel plans before you leave Australia.

Popular Numbers

Use the most popular Centrelink telephone numbers below.

- Centrelink Multilingual Call: 13 1202
- Appointments: 13 1021
- Customer Relations: 1800 050 004
- TTY: 1800 810 586 (for deaf or hearing impaired people)

Services and Payments

For enquiries about services and payments.

- Employment Services: 13 2850
- Retirement Services: 13 2300
- Disability, Sickness and Carers: 13 2717
- Family Assistance Office: 13 6150
- Youth and Student Services: 13 2490
- ABSTUDY: 13 2317
- Financial Information Service: 13 6357
- Assistance for Isolated Children (AIC): 13 2318
- Centrelink Business Hotline: 13 1158.

Overseas Numbers

Use these numbers to enquire about moving overseas and/or receiving payments from overseas.

- Centrelink International Service: 13 1673
- Overseas Income Exchange Rate Line: 1800 050 041
- Calling from Overseas: +613 6222 3455
- International Social Security Agreements: 13 1673

Centrelink offices provide:

- registration and acceptance of all new applicants for income support and employment assistance
- self-help job search facilities, including computer access to a national job vacancies database
- specialist labour market assistance services for disadvantaged groups, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, sole parents, people with disabilities, migrants and young people.

ENGLISH FOR MIGRANTS

Red Cross English Program

PO Box 81, DARWIN NT 0801

For inquiries call: Pat Jackson on 8948 4690 or Joan Washington on 8924 3931.

Adult Migrant English Program

Building 18, Casuarina Campus

Charles Darwin University

Ph: 8946 6578

Fax: 8946 7055

FREECALL: 1800 019 119

Email: betty.batuk@cdu.edu.au

Classes are held at Casuarina, Malak, Palmerston, Nhulunbuy, Katherine and Alice Springs.

The Adult Migrant English Program provides English classes for migrants and refugees who want to learn English for work or study purposes and would like to improve their conversation and

pronunciation. Longer term migrants may access the program subject to class size.

HEALTH

Medicare

All Australian citizens/permanent residents are entitled to health care benefits. Medicare is a form of public medical insurance and people can apply for a Medicare card from:

Darwin

Shop 14-15, The Galleria, The Mall

Casuarina

Shop 030, Casuarina Shopping Square

Palmerston

Shop T02, Palmerston Shopping Centre

Alice Springs

Shop 38, Yeperenye Shopping Centre, 34 Hartley Street.

To make claims in areas without Medicare Offices, for example, Tennant Creek, Katherine and Nhulunbuy, forms are filled out at Doctors' surgeries and posted to the Darwin Office. For enquiries and other information, clients in these areas may telephone 132 011.

PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE

Should you wish, you can get private insurance through the many private health insurance companies available. You can find them in the Yellow Pages of the Northern Territory Telephone Directory.

EMERGENCY TREATMENT

In an emergency, you can go for treatment day or night at Northern Territory public hospitals. They are located at:

Darwin

Royal Darwin Hospital, Rocklands Drive 8922 8888

Katherine

Katherine Hospital, Gorge Road 8973 9211

Tennant Creek

Tennant Creek Hospital, Schmidt Street 8962 4399

Alice Springs

Alice Springs Hospital, Gap Road 8951 7777

Nhulunbuy

Gove Hospital, Matthew Flinders Way 8987 0999

If you prefer, you can go to private medical clinics or doctors for treatment during their business hours. A list of private medical practitioners is available from the Yellow Pages of the NT Telephone Directory under the heading 'Medical Practitioners'.

AGED AND DISABILITY SERVICES PROGRAM

The objective of this program is to provide services to maintain and improve people's

independence and quality of life, and to support families and others who care for frail aged and people with disabilities. This program includes services that are provided free of charge (with the exception of the TIME Scheme) by Department of Health and Community Services and non-government agencies. The services listed are provided through the Department of Health and Community Services.

Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT)

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza
Cnr Vanderlin Drive and Trower Road
CASUARINA NT 0810
Ph: 8922 7392
Fax: 8922 7216

ACAT's aim is to assist people who are frail aged with complex needs to improve and or maintain their independence and ability to remain in their home. ACAT provides multi-disciplinary/holistic assessments and service co-ordination. ADAT has Commonwealth delegation to approve applicants for residential aged care respite, residential placement, transition care and community care packages.

Anyone can make a referral to ACAT if there is concern about a person's ability to remain at home or when carers are having difficulty continuing care in the home. The Darwin Urban ACAT covers the Darwin, Palmerston and surrounding rural areas. There are other ACAT teams across the NT.

Territory Independence and Mobility Equipment (TIME) Scheme

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7244

The TIME Scheme aims to promote independence and mobility by assisting people with the provision of mobility equipment. Clients must meet certain criteria and need to have an assessment by an appropriate professional. There are ceiling levels on the amount of assistance that can be provided for some equipment.

Adult Guardianship Public Guardian (Top End)

Ground Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7116

Public Guardian (Central Australia)

Flynn Drive Adult/Adolescent Health Building
PO Box 721 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Ph: 8951 6741

Executive Officer (Applications)

2nd Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7343

Adult Guardians (family members, friends or the Public Guardian) can be appointed by the Court to

act as substitute decision makers and financial managers for adults who have intellectual disabilities and are unable to make their own informed decisions or manage their affairs. Services are available to people living in all areas of the Northern Territory.

Disability Team

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7424

The Disability Resource Unit (DRU) provides individualised services to people with intellectual/developmental disabilities and those with acquired brain injuries and their families, carers and organisations supporting them. The DRU aims to promote inclusion in home and community living for people with disabilities. The team consists of Behavior Management Training Officers, Occupational Therapist, Psychologist, Speech Pathologist and Aboriginal Resource Officer.

Seating Equipment Assessment Technology (SEAT)

Building 15, Royal Darwin Hospital
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 8228

SEAT provides an assessment, prescription and technical service for people with disabilities who require pressure care, seating, mobility and positioning devices such as pressure cushions and mattresses, and customised wheelchairs. This service is available in Darwin, Katherine and East Arnhem districts.

Disability Information Officers (DIOs)

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7048

DIOs provide advice and information on disability resources, administer the Taxi Subsidy Scheme, compile the Access Network Newsletter and refer people to appropriate services. The officers cover Darwin, Casuarina and Palmerston.

Care Co-ordination Projects

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7218

Care Co-ordination Projects includes Local Area Coordination (LAC) and the Transitional Care Project (TCP).

The services work in partnership with aged people and/or people with disabilities to enable them to live in their own home in a lifestyle of their own choice.

LAC coordinates informal and formal community support for people with disabilities to promote a holistic life choice and experience.

Support can include accommodation options, recreational activities and in home assistance. Under TCP, home care support for up to 8 weeks may be provided.

Specialist Adult Health Services (SAHS)

1st Floor, Casuarina Plaza,
Corner Trower Road and Vanderlin Drive
PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8922 7312
Fax: 8922 7399

SAHS comprises allied health professionals and specialist nurses. The team provides short-term intervention to adults who have health related problems. It aims to maintain clients in a community setting and to promote an independent lifestyle.

Services include individual/group intervention, educational sessions designed to meet specific needs of clients, carers, and community groups. SAHS also provides consultancy services to health professionals.

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**Top End Mental Health Service (TEMHS)**

12 Ross Smith Avenue PARAP NT 0820
PO Box 140, PARAP NT 0804
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:30pm
After Hours Telephone Support: 8999 4988
Ph: 8999 4988
Web: www.health.nt.gov.au

The TEMHS provides a comprehensive mental health service to residents of the Darwin, Palmerston and Top End communities who require treatment for mental health disorders, problems and illnesses. A Case Management approach is adopted for supportive care, continuous treatment and rehabilitation.

TEMHS is an integrated service, which includes an inpatient unit located on the campus of the Royal Darwin Hospital. This enables a high level continuum of care to consumers of the service. Mental health services based on a Case Management approach are also available at the following locations:

Darwin Remote:	8922 8847
Katherine:	8973 8724
Nhulunbuy:	8987 0414

GROW NT – World Community Mental Health Organisation

Rapid Creek Business Village, 48 Trower Road
MILLNER NT 0810
PO Box 41603, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8985 4799
Fax: 8985 6799
Email: nt@grow.net.au
Web: www.grow.net.au
Opening hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs, & Fri:
10:30am to 2:30pm

GROW has mutual help groups for people who want to recover from emotional breakdown or mental illness or who want to prevent breakdown. GROW uses a proven 12 steps program that has helped thousands to improve the quality of their lives.

The program works on the principles of self-activation and mutual help. Groups meet weekly, are anonymous, non-denominational and free. No introductions are needed – just come along.

Telephone the above number for meeting places and times. An answering machine will take messages – just leave your first name and telephone number.

MENTAL HEALTH CARERS NT

PO Box 40556, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8948 1051
Fax: 8948 2473
Mob: 0411 103 986
Email: mentalhealthcarersnt@inet.net.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

Mental Health Carers NT is located at 1/18 Bauhinia Street, Nightcliff. Support workers provide individual support and counselling, and information to carers. In addition the support worker assists the carers in accessing and dealing with mental health services.

Mental Health Carers NT provides support to carers through a number of other avenues: **Respite.** Flexible respite options to give carers a short break from the caring role.

Workshops. Family education sessions and workshops are held regularly.

Providing information. A library of books and articles are available for loan and a small quarterly newsletter is produced.

Individual advocacy. Provides an advocacy service for carers and families of people with a mental illness.

Systems advocacy. Provides carer representation on a number of committees which direct mental health policy in the Northern Territory.

Pete's Place is a drop in centre that provides social and recreational opportunities for people with a mental illness. It is open from 9:30am to 1:00pm every weekday morning, for more information please call 8948 1016.

COMMUNITY CARE / HEALTH CENTRES

The Community Care Centres services are provided free of charge. Health services offered include dressings and treatment, home nursing, health education, immunisations, baby clinics, parenting advice, and referral to other health services.

Alice Springs Community Health Centre

Flynn Drive, ALICE SPRINGS
Phone for infant clinic times and appointments
Ph: 8951 6711
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:30pm

Casuarina Community Care Centre

Ground Floor, Casuarina Plaza, CASUARINA
Cnr Trower Road & Vanderlin Drive
Ph: 8922 7301

Wed: 8:00am to 12.30pm
 Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm
 Child & Mental Health: Phone for clinic times and appointments

Katherine Community Health Centre

Ground Floor, Katherine Government Centre
 First Street, KATHERINE

Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:30pm
 Ph: 8973 8570

Appointment may be necessary for some adult clinics. **Child and Maternal health:** Phone for clinic times and appointments.

Nhulunbuy Child Health Clinic

Community Health Building
 Endeavour Square, NHULUNBUY

Mon: 8:30am to 12:00noon
 Ph: 8987 0435 (phone for an appointment)

Nightcliff Child and Maternal Health

3/33 Progress Drive NIGHTCLIFF NT 0810
 Ph: 8922 7301

Phone for clinic times and appointments

Palmerston Community Care Centre

Palmerston Health Precinct
 Cnr Temple Terrace and Roystonea Avenue
 PALMERSTON NT 0830

Ph: 8999 3344

Wed: 8:00am to 12:30pm
 Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm
 Child and Maternal Health: phone for clinic times and appointments.

Tennant Creek Hospital

Ground floor
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:00pm
 Ph: 8962 4218

Phone for clinic times and appointments

DENTAL CLINICS

Dental Clinics provide free dental services to infants, pre, primary and high school children, Health Care holders, Sickness Benefit recipients and Pensioner Concession Card holders, members of the cleft palate scheme, and rape and torture victims.

Darwin Dental Clinic

9 Scaturchio Street
 CASUARINA NT 0810
 Ph: 8922 6466 (appointments)
 Ph: 8922 6467 (administration)

Palmerston Dental Clinic

Farrar Medical Centre
 PALMERSTON NT 0830
 Ph: 8999 3314

Katherine Dental Clinic

NT Government Centre, KATHERINE NT 0850
 Ph: 8973 8573

Tennant Creek Dental Clinic

Leichhardt Street, TENNANT CREEK NT 0860
 Ph: 8962 2438

Alice Springs Dental Clinic

Community Health Centre
 Flynn Drive, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 Ph: 8951 6713
 Fax: 8951 6768

Nhulunbuy Community Dental Clinic

Endeavour Square, NHULUNBUY NT 0880
 Ph: 8987 0425

The listed clinics are open Monday to Friday from 8:00am to 4:00pm.

Private dental practitioners offer services in all major towns. A list of private practitioners is available from the Yellow Pages of the Northern Territory Telephone Directory under the heading 'Dentists'.

HEALTH ASSOCIATIONS

Alzheimer's Australia NT Darwin

Suite 3, 18 Bauhinia Street, Nightcliff
 PO Box 515, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0814
 Ph: 8948 5228
 Fax: 8948 5229

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm
 Dementia Helpline: 1800 100 500

Alice Springs

Shop 5 Cinema Complex, Todd St Mall
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 PO Box 4648, ALICE SPRINGS 0871
 Ph: 8952 9799
 Fax: 8952 9796

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm
 Dementia Helpline: 1800 639 331

The Alzheimer's Association aims to enhance and enrich the quality of life for people with dementia and their carers by providing counselling, information, education and training.

Asthma Foundation

U14/16 Charlton Crt, WOOLNER NT 0820
 PO Box 39962, WINNELLIE NT 0821
 Ph: 8981 6066
 Fax: 8981 9066
 Email: asthmant@asthmant.org.au

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 5:00pm

Kidney Health Australia

All enquiries to the Melbourne Office
 GPO Box 9993, MELBOURNE VIC 3001
 Ph: (03) 9674 4300
 Fax: (03) 9686 7289
 Email: vic@kidney.org.au
 Web: www.kidney.org.au

Cancer Council of the NT

Casi House, Unit 3, 23 Vanderlin Drive
 CASUARINA NT 0810
 PO Box 42719, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Ph: 8927 4888
 Fax: 8927 4990
 Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm
 Email: events.darwin@cancernt.org.au

Shop 3, Heenan House, Bath Street
ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Ph: 8951 5881
Mon-Fri: 10:00am to 3:00pm

Deaf NT Inc

Shop 14, Casuarina Plaza
258 Trower Road, CASUARINA NT 0810
Phone: 8945 1880
Fax: 8945 2016
Email: deafnt@bigpond.net.au
Web: www.deafnt@bigpond.net.au uslan
(Australian Sign Language) class every term.
Deaf awareness training provided.

Diabetes Australia NT

See Healthy Living NT

Healthy Living NT

Shop 2, Tiwi Place
Tiwi Shopping Centre, TIWI NT 0810
Ph: 8927 8488/8927 8482
Fax: 8927 8515
Email: info@healthylivingnt.org.au
Web: www.healthylivingnt.org.au

9 Parsons Street
ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Ph: 8952 8000
Fax: 8952 7000
Email: alicesprings@healthylivingnt.org.au

Family Planning Welfare Assoc. of the NT Inc HEAD OFFICE DARWIN

Unit 2, The Clock Tower, Dick Ward Drive
COCONUT GROVE NT 0810
Ph: 8948 0144
Fax: 8948 0626
Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 4:00pm
Clinic times vary

KATHERINE CLINIC

NT Government Centre
First Street, KATHERINE NT 0850
Ph: 8971 3153
Clinic: Monday 5.00pm to 8.00pm

Multiple Sclerosis Society of SA and the NT

11/18 Bauhinia Street, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0810
PO Box 867, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0814
Ph: 8948 5300
Fax: 8948 5344
Freecall: 1800 812 311
Email: ms.nt@bigpond.net.au

National Heart Foundation

Level 3, 21 Knuckey Street
Darwin Central Building, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 4363, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8981 1966
Fax: 8941 0344
Web: www.heartfoundation.org.au
HEARTLine: 1300 362 787
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

Northern Territory Aids and Hepatitis Council

46 Woods Street, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 2826, DARWIN NT 0801

Ph: 8941 1711
Fax: 8941 2590
Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 5:00pm
Web: www.ntahc.org.au
Email: info@ntahc.org.au

Breast Screen NT

Casuarina Health Services Centre
9 Scaturchio Street
CASUARINA NT 0810
breastscreenNT provides free screening mammograms (breast x-rays) to women without breast symptoms aged 50-69 years. Screening mammograms may detect breast cancer at an earlier stage, offering women a better chance of successful treatment and recovery. Screening mammograms are recommended every two years.

breastscreenNT operates throughout the year in Darwin and visits Alice Springs, Katherine, Nhulunbuy, Tennant Creek and Palmerston on a yearly basis to provide screening to women.

For further information or to make a booking phone 13 20 50.

Carers NT Darwin

59 Bayview Boulevard, BAYVIEW NT 0820
GPO Box 1861, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8948 4877
Fax: 8948 5288
Freecall: 1800 242 636
Email: carersnt@ntcarers.asn.au
Website: www.carersnt.asn.au

Katherine

1/17 First Street, KATHERINE NT 0850
PO Box 281, KATHERINE NT 0851
Ph: 8971 2766
Fax: 8971 0904
Email: mary.gazzola@carersnt.asn.au

Alice Springs

Westpac Breezeway, Todd Mall
PO Box 4929, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871
Ph: 8953 1669
Fax: 8953 1698
Email: fiona.betteridge@carersnt.asn.au

Carers NT provides a wide range of services to carers and people in our multicultural community. Many services are provided free of charge.

Carers NT is the key Territory-wide organisation that has family carers as its primary focus. Carers are a diverse group of people in the community who provide unpaid care and support to family members or friends who have a disability, mental illness, chronic condition, terminal illness or who are frail. Carers NT provide services in the following areas:

Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre.

Commonwealth Carelink provides information on local aged and community care services. The Carer Respite Centre arranges help for carers to take a break from their caring role (respite) and

other support services for carers.
Freecall: 1800 052 222

Carer Advisory and Counselling Service.

The Carer Advisory and Counselling Service provides counseling and support to family carers, carer education and training, as well as information and support for young carers.
Freecall: 1800 242 636

The other services offered by Carers NT are music therapy and a Volunteer Program for socially isolated individuals. Carers NT conducts free information sessions to the community, including multicultural organisations. For further information please contact the office.

Lifeline

Unit 3/4 Shepherd Street, DARWIN NT 0800
PO Box 1363, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8941 2365
Counselling: 13 1114
Kids Helpline: Freecall 1800 551 800
Website: www.lifeline.org.au/htm
Email: admin@lifelinetopend.org.au
Lifeline Top End provides a 24 hour 7 days a week free telephone counselling service. The service provides assistance to individuals, couples and families experiencing any number of issues from suicide to relationship breakdowns and depression.

Lifeline Top End also offers face to face counselling to any individual requiring short or long term counselling for a number of reasons including:- Anger, Family conflict, Problems at work, Personal issues, Coping with separation, Relationship problem. Phone 8941 2365 to make an appointment or for further information.

NT Papsmeas Register

PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 13 15 56
The NT Pap Smear Register is a computer register of results of pap smears for women in the NT. It provides reminders for women and their health practitioners when the next pap smear or follow-up treatment is overdue.
The register is part of the CervicalScreeningNT Program.

Melaleuca Refugee Centre, Torture and Trauma Survivors Service of the NT Inc.

Shop 33, Rapid Creek Business Village, 48 Trower Rd, MILLNER NT 0810
PO Box 1226, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0814
Ph: 8985 3311
Fax: 8985 3322
Email: admin@melaleuca.org.au
Web: www.melaleuca.org.au
Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 4:30pm

Melaleuca Refugee Centre is committed to assisting survivors of torture and trauma to gain a life enriched with dignity.

Melaleuca provides settlement services to newly arrived refugees. Confidential counselling,

advocacy and information are offered throughout early resettlement, and are available to established members of the community as well. Youth-focused services respond to the special needs of children, young people and their families. Outreach, though group work, community education and training seeks to promote community awareness.

HOUSING

TERRITORY HOUSING

Provides public rental housing with the option to buy. Public housing is means tested and applications are placed on a waiting list. For further information contact your nearest Housing Office.

Ph: 8999 8344
After hours emergency: 8999 6889
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:21pm

Regional Offices:

Darwin
Construction House, Mitchell
Ph: 8999 8814

Casuarina
Ethos House, 270 Trower Road
Ph: 8922 5526

Palmerston
Highway House, Shop 21 Chung Wah Terrace
Ph: 8999 4767

Katherine
NT Government Centre, First Street
Ph: 8973 8536

Tennant Creek
Government Centre, Peko Road
Ph: 8962 4565

Alice Springs
Leichhardt Building, 21 Gregory Terrace
Ph: 8951 5344

Nhulunbuy
Shop 2 Arnhem House, Endeavour Square
Ph: 8987 0533

OTHER HOUSING OPTIONS:

Check the daily newspaper under the 'Accommodation Available' section; or talk to real estate agents. Names and addresses are listed in the Yellow Pages of the Northern Territory Telephone Directory.

LANGUAGE SERVICES

INTERPRETING AND TRANSLATING SERVICE NT (ITSNT)

Provides translation and on-site interpreting services. Fees may apply.

Darwin Office
Ground Floor, RCG House
83-85 Smith Street, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 4621, DARWIN NT 0801

Ph: 8999 8506/1800 676 254
 Fax: 8999 8475
 Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:00pm
 Email: itsnt@nt.gov.au
 Web: www.itsnt.nt.gov.au

ABORIGINAL INTERPRETER SERVICE

Ground Floor, RCG Building, 83-85 Smith Street
 DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 4450, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 8353
 Fax: 8999 8855

The Aboriginal Interpreter Service is responsible for providing a 24 hours seven days a week central booking service for government and non-government organisations that need on-site Aboriginal language interpreters.

TRANSLATING AND INTERPRETING SERVICE

Department of Immigration and Citizenship
 Ph: 03 8661 7529
 Provides telephone and on-site interpreting services (24 hours a day, seven days a week).

LEGAL SERVICES

NT LEGAL AID COMMISSION

5th Floor, 9-11 Cavenagh Street
 DARWIN NT 0800
 Locked Bag11, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 3000
 Fax: 8999 3099
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

77 Hartley Street
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 PO Box 969, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871
 Ph: 8951 5377
 Fax: 8951 5378
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

20 Second Street, KATHERINE NT 0850
 PO Box 145, KATHERINE NT 0851
 Ph: 8973 8704
 Free legal info line: 1800 019 343
 Fax: 8973 8551
 Email: info@ntlac.nt.gov.au
 Web: www.ntlac.nt.gov.au
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:21pm

Shop 6, Goyder Centre, 25 Chung Wah Terrace
 PALMERSTON NT 0830
 Locked Bag11, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 4750
 Fax: 8999 4747
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4.21pm
 Shop 3, 163 Paterson Street

TENNANT CREEK NT 0860
 PO Box 794, TENNANT CREEK NT 0861
 Ph: 8962 0100
 Fax: 8962 0129
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

The NT Legal Aid Commission provides free legal advice and representation in certain cases to people who cannot afford the services of a lawyer.

CENTRAL AUSTRALIA WOMEN'S LEGAL SERVICE INC (CAWLS). Incorporation with the Domestic Violence Legal Service and Indigenous Women's Project

2 Gregory Terrace, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 PO Box 3496, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871
 Ph: 8952 4055
 Fax: 8952 4033
 Freecall: 1800 684 055
 Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 5:00pm
 Email: enquiries@cawls.org.au

CAWLS aims to provide free legal assistance and representation to Central Australian Women, both Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal. Special concern is extended to women who are affected by domestic violence.

DARWIN COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICE

8 Manton Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 PO Box 3180, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8982 1111
 Freecall: 1800 812 953
 Fax: 8982 1112
 Email: info@dcls.org.au
 Web: www.dcls.org.au

Darwin Community Legal Service (DCLS) has a number of different services that it provides to the community.

These services include:

Free Legal Advice

DCLS provides three free legal advice sessions each week and monthly sessions in Katherine. A limited telephone advice service is also available for people unable to attend these advice sessions. Please contact DCLS for information. Advice sessions are held as follows (Excluding Public Holidays).

Palmerston

Mondays : 6pm to 7pm
 Palmerston Library, Goyder Square, Palmerston

Darwin

Thursdays: 5:30pm to 7:00pm
 DCLS Office, Cnr of Manton and McMinn Streets
 Darwin

Casuarina

Saturdays: 10:00am to 11:45am
 Casuarina Library, Bradshaw Terrace, Casuarina

Getting an Interpreter

If you do not speak English, DCLS will provide an interpreter for free.

DCLS also provides specialist legal advice in the following areas:

Aged and Disability Rights

The Aged and Disability Rights Team is a rights service which advocates for residents of nursing homes and hostels, people who receive Community Aged Care Packages and people with disabilities.

Welfare Rights

The Welfare Rights Service provides advice and

representation for people who are unhappy with decisions made about their Centrelink payments, including pension, disability support pensions, newstart allowance and other pensions. Help is also available for young people who have problems with Youth Allowance, Abstudy or Austudy.

Tenants' Advice

The Tenants' Advice Service provides representation and advice for tenants and aims to improve and protect the rights of all people in the Northern Territory who live in rental accommodation, including caravan park and boarding house residents.

TOP END WOMEN'S LEGAL SERVICE

Ground Floor, 62 Cavenagh Street,
DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 1901, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8982 3000/1800 234 441
Fax: 8941 9935
Email: TEWLS@clc.net.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:00pm

Provides free and confidential legal advice, information and referral to women. Legal sessions are held in Palmerston and Darwin by appointment only. Interpreters are provided free of charge and if required please let the service know when making your appointment.

Legal advice sessions are held:

Mon: 10:00am to 12:00noon
Palmerston Community Care Centre
Wed: 4:30pm to 6:00pm (Appointment required)
62 Cavenagh Street, Darwin
If you need an interpreter please ring the service before your session.

PRIVATE LAWYERS

Private lawyers are listed in the telephone book or you can contact the NT Law Society on telephone 8981 5104 for a list of firms in your area or visit their Internet site at www.lawscont.asn.au. Private lawyers charge varying rates. You can contact them to ask about fees they charge.

LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (COUNCILS)

DARWIN CITY COUNCIL

Civic Centre, Harry Chan Avenue
DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8930 0300
Fax: 8930 0311
Email: dcc@darwin.nt.gov.au
Web: www.darwin.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

CITY OF PALMERSTON

Civic Plaza, 2 Chung Wah Terrace,
PALMERSTON NT 0830
PO Box 1, PALMERSTON NT 0831
Ph: 8935 9922
Fax: 8935 9900

Mon-Fri: 8:15am to 5:00pm
Email: palmerston@palmerston.nt.gov.au
Web: www.palmerston.nt.gov.au

PALMERSTON LIBRARY

PO Box1, PALMERSTON NT 0831
The Boulevard, Goyder Square
PALMERSTON NT 0830
Ph: 8935 9999
Fax: 8935 9900
Email: askus@palmerston.nt.gov.au

LITCHFIELD SHIRE COUNCIL

7 Bees Creek Road
BEES CREEK NT 0836
PO Box 446, HUMPTY DOO 0836
Ph: 8983 0600
Fax: 8983 1165
Email: council@lsc.nt.gov.au
Web: www.litchfield.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

JABIRU TOWN COUNCIL

Town Plaza, Tasman Crescent
JABIRU NT 0886
Ph: 8979 2230
Fax: 8979 9444
Email: enquiries@jabiru.nt.gov.au
Web: www.jabiru.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:00pm

KATHERINE TOWN COUNCIL

Civic Centre, Stuart Highway
KATHERINE NT 0850
Ph: 8972 5500
Fax: 8971 0305
Email: records@ktc.nt.gov.au
Web: www.ktc.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:15pm

TENNANT CREEK TOWN COUNCIL

58 Peko Road
TENNANT CREEK NT 0860
Ph: 8962 0000
Fax: 8962 3066
Email: enquiries@tennantcreek.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:15am to 4:15pm

ALICE SPRINGS TOWN COUNCIL

Civic Centre, Todd Street
ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Ph: 8950 0500
Fax: 8953 0558
Email: astc@astc.nt.gov.au
Web: www.alicesprings.nt.gov.au
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

MULTICULTURAL ARTS

ARTS NT, DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, ENVIRONMENT & THE ARTS

First Floor, 9-11 Cavenagh Street
DARWIN NT 0800
PO Box 496, PALMERSTON NT 0801
Ph: 8999 8981
Fax: 8999 8949
Freecall: 1800 678 237

Email: arts.office@nt.gov.au
 Web: www.arts.nt.gov.au

Alice Springs Office

Alice Springs Cultural Precinct
 Larapinta Drive, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 Ph: 8951 1190
 Fax: 8951 1161

Arts NT administers the Arts Grant Program. Application forms and program guidelines can be obtained from Arts NT through either the office or via the website. Arts Officers can provide advice and referrals as well as advice on project assistance for multicultural artists and communities undertaking art-driven activities.

BROWN'S MART – COMMUNITY ARTS INCORPORATED

Cnr Harry Chan and Smith Street DARWIN NT 0800
 Ph: 8981 5522
 Fax: 8941 3222
 Email: mail@brownsmart.com.au
 Face to Face Services: Friday 10:30am to 5:30pm

Michelle Scott is the Multicultural Arts Officer (MAO) at Brown's Mart Community Arts Inc and assists multicultural community groups and individuals in arts related projects and initiatives. Michelle is also the representative on the National Multicultural Touring Network – Kultour, which coordinates an annual national tour of some of Australia's most outstanding multicultural artists. The MAO can assist in developing and writing grant submissions and Brown's Mart also acts as an auspicing body for the non-incorporated organisations who wish to apply for funding.

MULTICULTURAL BROADCASTING (ETHNIC RADIO)

MULTILINGUAL BROADCASTING COUNCIL OF THE NT INC

Shop 15 Malak Centre, Malak Place
 MALAK NT 0812
 PO Box 42866, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Email: multiling@bigpond.com.au

PRESIDENT: Mr Joe De Luca
 Ph: 0427 121 031

The Multilingual Broadcasting Council of the NT is an umbrella body for ethnic broadcasters in the Northern Territory.

The council's motto is, 'To create harmony within and between communities'.

Activities include the production of community language programs, special programs for Australia Day and Christmas, community notices, emergency services warnings, current affairs and vital news for isolated people. Each program takes tremendous voluntary effort in production and presentation. Volunteers give their time and

skills to translate material, write scripts, present and provide programs.

Broadcasting times of community language programs and details of member groups can be obtained from the council.

SPECIAL BROADCASTING SERVICE (SBS) RADIO

14 Herbert Street, ARTARMON NSW 2064
 Ph: (02) 9430 2828 Ph/Adv: (02) 9430 2817
 Fax: (02) 9430 3700 Ph/Edt: (02) 9430 2858
 Freecall: 1800 500 727
 Web: www.sbs.com.au
 Frequency: Darwin FM 100.9

SBS Language Services is available for advice or assessment on the cultural acceptability and business etiquette of language communications, in the commercial and public sectors. Services also include voice-overs, subtitling, re-narration, re-captioning, translations and typesetting.

SBS broadcasts in the following languages:

Aboriginal, African, Albanian, Amharic Arabic, Armenian, Assyrian, Bangla, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Burmese, Cantonese, Cook Island Maori, Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dari, Dutch, English, Estonian, Farsi (Persian), Fijian, Filipino, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Gujrati, Hebrew, Hindi, Hungarian, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Kannada, Khmer, Korean, Kurdish, Lao, Latvian, Lithuanian, Macedonian, Malay, Maltese, Mandarin, Maori, Nepalese, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Punjabi, Romanian, Russian, Samoan, Serbian, Sinhalese, Slovak, Slovenian, Somali, Spanish, Swedish, Tamil, Thai, Tongan, Turkish, Ukrainian, Urdu, Vietnamese, Welsh and Yiddish.

OVERSEAS QUALIFICATIONS

OVERSEAS QUALIFICATIONS UNIT

Office of Multicultural Affairs
 4th Floor, NT House
 22 Mitchell Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 4396, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 3894
 Fax: 8999 3889
 Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:30pm

Provides comparative educational assessments for those with professional qualifications using the written guidelines developed by the National Office of Overseas Skills Recognition.

AEI - NATIONAL OFFICE OF OVERSEAS SKILLS RECOGNITION (AEI-NOOSR)

GPO Box 1407
 CANBERRA ACT 2601
 Freecall: 1300 363 079
 Email: educational.noosr@deewr.gov.au

AEI-NOOSR provide comparative and competency assessment services to professionally and technically qualified

prospective immigrants and to overseas trained people already residents in Australia. We publish a range of useful information on professional entry requirements and guidelines for comparing overseas and Australian post-secondary qualifications.

NORTHERN TERRITORY POLICE, FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

Community Engagement Unit

PO BOX 39764, WINNELLIE NT 0821
 Contact Person: Susan McKittrick
 Ph: 8948 9109
 Senior Sergeant Pauline Polychrone
 Ph: 8948 9111

8948 9109	Community Engagement Unit
131 444	Police General Enquiries (available 24hrs)
131 444	Report/Complaints to Police (available 24hrs)
8999 0860	NT Police Domestic Violence Unit, Casuarina
8951 5081	NT Police, Alice Springs (available 24hrs)
8951 5091	NT Domestic Violence Unit, Alice Springs.

The Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Services provides a police, fire and emergency response services in remote and urban areas throughout the Northern Territory. Within the NT Police in particular, the Aboriginal and Community Engagement Unit provide services to culturally, religious and linguistically diverse communities, the Aged community, persons with disabilities and the Gay and Lesbian community throughout the NT, to ensure Police services provided meet the culturally diverse needs of our wider community.

For a list of police stations throughout the Northern Territory, please refer to the White Pages of the Northern Territory Telephone Directory or in an **emergency dial 000**.

POLICE ETHNIC ADVISORY GROUP

c/- Northern Territory Police
 PO Box 39764, WINNELLIE NT 0821
 CONTACT: Susan McKittrick
 Ph: 8948 9109

The Police Ethnic Advisory Group (PEAG) is an initiative of the NT Police. It was established in consultation with the NT Office of Multicultural Affairs and ethnic communities.

PEAG's mission is to ensure that issues relating to cultural diversity and policing, and the promotion and maintenance of harmonious relations between police and ethnic communities throughout the Northern Territory, are addressed.

The group does not investigate specific complaints, but acts as an advisory body to the Commissioner of Police, Fire and Emergency Services on matters of concern. It actively promotes mutual understanding and respect between police and ethnic communities, through initiatives and worthwhile activities.

PEAG also focuses on partnerships between Police and the community, to enhance positive interactions with and between communities from diverse cultures. PEAG is also committed to forming partnerships with youth.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

DARWIN BUS

2nd Floor Energy House
 18/20 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 Ph: 8924 7845
 Fax: 8924 7841
 Email: publictransport.dpi@nt.gov.au
 Darwin bus provides daily public transport. For timetables, route information, school bus and lost property telephone 8924 7666.

REFUGE CENTRES

DARWIN SEXUAL ASSAULT REFERRAL CENTRE

Ground Floor Casuarina Plaza
 Cnr Trower Road and Vanderlin Drive
 CASUARINA NT 0810
 PO Box 40596, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Ph: 8922 7156
 Fax: 8922 7047

Darwin Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC) provides a counselling service to anyone who may have experienced (recently or many years ago) any form of sexual assault. They see both adults and children. They work with both males and females.

- Support and counselling for partners and family members
- Information regarding rights and options
- 24 hour crisis counselling for recent rape survivors
- Support through the Court process
- Reading material and information on sexual assault
- Speakers available to community groups.

Other phone numbers for refuge centres/shelters include:

8952 6075	Alice Springs Women's Shelter
8951 5880	Sexual Assault Referral Centre
8981 5928	Catherine House, Darwin
8987 1166	Crisis Accommodation, Gove
8945 0155	Ruby Gaea, Darwin
8962 1940	Tennant Creek Women's Refuge
8962 4364	Tennant Creek SARC
8948 2044	YMCA Casy House, Darwin

DAWN HOUSE INCORPORATED

PO Box 41744, CASUARINA NT 0811
 Ph: 8945 1388

Fax: 8945 2626
 Email: info@dawnhouse.org.au
 Open 24 hours a day.

Dawn House provides accommodation and support services to women and children escaping from domestic violence.

REGISTRATION AND LICENSING BOARDS

ACCOUNTANTS

Certified Practising Accountants (CPA)
 3rd Floor, 62 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN
 GPO Box 1633, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8981 2116
 Fax: 8981 6177

Education Assessments Officer

Certified Practising Accountants (CPA)
 Level 28, 385 Burke Street,
 MELBOURNE VIC 3000
 Ph: (03) 9606 9606

ARCHITECTS

Architects Accreditation Council of Australia
 PO Box 236, CIVIC SQUARE ACT 2608
 Ph: (02) 6230 0506
 Fax: (02) 6230 7879

NT Architects Board

38 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN
 GPO Box 1680, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 8905
 Fax: 8999 8967

BUILDING PRACTITIONERS

Building Practitioners Board
 38 Cavenagh Street
 DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 1680, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 8964
 Fax: 8999 8967

TOURISM/HOSPITALITY QUALIFICATIONS

The Cultural Recreation and Tourism Training Advisory Council

Level 2, Darwin Plaza, Smith Street Mall
 DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 359, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8941 1956
 Fax: 8941 1982
 Web: www.charttes.com.au
 Email: eo@charttes.com.au

CHARTTES Training Advisory Council is the principal adviser to DEET on vocational training in the Cultural, Recreation and Tourism sectors. They also link and provide assistance to training providers and industry in vocational training and education.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS AND CONTRACTORS

Electrical Workers and Contractors Licensing

Board

1st Floor, Darwin Plaza
 Smith Street Mall, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 4821, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 5516
 Fax: 8999 5141
 Email: electrical.licencing@nt.gov.au
 Web: www.electricallicensing.nt.gov.au

ENGINEERS

Education Officer Engineers Australia

11 National Circuit
 BARTON ACT 2600
 Ph: (02) 6270 6555
 Fax: (02) 6273 1958
 Email:
memberservices@engineersaustralia.org.au
 Web: www.engineersaustralia.org.au

Engineers Australia (Northern Division)

14 Shepherd Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 417, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8981 4137
 Fax: 8941 3449
 Email: nt@engineersaustralia.org.au

METAL AND ELECTRICAL TRADES

Domestic

GPO Box 9879, MELBOURNE VIC 3001
 Phone: (03) 9954 2537
 Freecall: 1300 360 992
 Fax: (03) 9954 2588
 Email: artcenquiries@dewr.gov.au

PLUMBERS AND DRAINERS

NT Plumbers and Drainers Licensing Board

38 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 1680, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 7152
 Fax: 8999 8967
 Email: pdlb.lpe@nt.gov.au
 Web: www.plumberslicensing.nt.gov.au

NUCLEAR MEDICINE TECHNOLOGISTS

The Secretariat Accreditation Board

Australian and New Zealand Society of Nuclear Medicine Inc (ANZSNM)
 PO Box 7108, UPPER FERNTREE GULLY VIC 3156
 Ph: (03) 9756 0128
 Fax: (03) 9753 6372
 Email: anzsnm@21century.com.au

LAWYERS

Legal Practitioners Admission Board
 Supreme Court, State Square, DARWIN
 GPO Box 3946, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 6574
 Fax: 8999 5446
 Web: www.nt.gov.au/ntsc

MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS

The Australian Medical Council Ltd
 PO Box 4810, KINGSTON ACT 2604
 Ph: (02) 6270 7878

Fax: (02) 6270 9799
 Email: amc@amc.org.au
 Web: www.amc.org.au

HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Health Professions Licensing Authority

2nd floor, Harbour View Plaza
 Corner McMinn and Bennett Streets
 DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 4221, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 4157
 Fax: 8999 4196
 Email: healthprofessions.ths@nt.gov.au

The Northern Territory Government administers the registration and conduct of practitioners for 11 Professional Boards which include, medical, aboriginal health workers, chiropractors/osteopaths, psychologists, radiographers, occupational therapist, dentists, nurses, optometrists, pharmacists and physiotherapists.

SOCIAL WORKERS

Australian Association of Social Workers – Overseas Qualifications Assessment

Suite 18 National Press Club, 16 National Circuit
 BARTON ACT 2600
 PO Box 4956, KINGSTON ACT 2604
 Freecall: 1800 630 124 Ph: (02) 6273 0199
 Fax: (08) 6273 5020
 Web: www.aasw.asn.au
 Email: aaswnat@aasw.asn.au

SURVEYORS

Surveyors Board of the NT

3rd Floor, NAB House
 71 Smith Street, DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 1680, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8995 5359
 Fax: 8995 5365
 Web: landinfo.dpi@nt.gov.au

TEACHERS

People and Learning Division (P&L)

Department of Employment, Education & Training
 GPO Box 4821, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 5659
 Fax: 8999 5843
 Web: www.deet.nt.gov.au

WELFARE WORKERS

Australian Institute of Welfare and Community Workers – Overseas Assessment

Room 12, Level 2 Ross House, 247 Flinders Lane, MELBOURNE VIC 3000
 PO Box 42, FLINDERS LANE VIC 8009
 Ph: (03) 9654 8287
 Fax: (03) 9654 1081
 Email: info@aiwcw.org.au
 Web: www.aiwcw.org.au

Practitioners may wish to check if this is the case for their occupation with the relevant registration or licensing body.

CENTRE FOR ADULT EDUCATION (CAE) Occupational English Test for Overseas Health

Professionals (O.E.T.)

3rd Floor, 7 Bouen Cres, MELBOURNE VIC 3001
 GPO Box 372, MELBOURNE VIC 3004
 Ph: (03) 9825 3800
 Fax: (03) 9825 3899
 Email: applications@oet.com.au
 Web: www.occupationalenglishtest.org

The Occupational English Test (OET) is a language test for overseas qualified health professionals. The test assess English language proficiency as it is used in medical and health professions. The OET is administered by the OET Centre seven times a year in over 40 locations around the world. The test measures the language competency of health professional who are seeking registration and the ability to practice in an English-speaking context. It is designed to ensure that language competency is assessed in a relevant professional context.

RIGHTS AND ANTI-DISCRIMINATION

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION COMMISSION (NORTHERN TERRITORY)

7th Floor, 9-11 Cavenagh Street
 DARWIN NT 0800
 Ph: 8999 1444
 Fax: 8981 3812
 TTY: 8999 1466
 Freecall: 1800 813 846
 Web: www.adc.nt.gov.au
 Email: administrationadc@nt.gov.au
 54 Hartley Street
 ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
 Ph: 8951 5818

The NT Anti-Discrimination Act promotes equality of opportunity for all Territorians and protects people from unlawful discrimination on defined grounds and in specified areas.

If you feel you have been discriminated against or treated unfairly because of your ethnic origin or for some other reason, the Anti-Discrimination Commission may be able to help you. For information on your rights and responsibilities, contact the Anti-Discrimination Commission.

HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMPLAINTS COMMISSION

12th Floor, NT House, 22 Mitchell Street,
 DARWIN NT 0800
 Ph: 8999 1969
 Freecall: 1800 806 380
 Fax: 8999 1828
 web: www.hcsc.nt.gov.au
 Email: hcsc.omb@nt.gov.au

The Health and Community Services Complaints Commission is independent of government and receives complaints about health service or community service providers in the Northern Territory, including public and private services, public and private hospitals, clinics and medical centres. The commission investigates:

- Access to service
- Standard of care, and
- Reasonableness of actions and decisions of health and community service providers.

The services of the Commission are free.

AUSTRALIAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

8th Floor, Piccadilly Tower
 133 Castlereagh Street
 Sydney NSW 2000
 GPO Box 5218, SYDNEY NSW 2001
 Ph: (02) 9284 9600
 Fax: (02) 9284 9611
 TTY: 1800 620 241
 Web: www.humanrights.gov.au
 Email: complaintinfo@humanrights.gov.au
 Complaints infoline: 1300 656 419
 General enquiries and publications: 1300 369 711

Australian Human Rights Commission's goal is to foster greater understanding and protection of human rights in Australia and to address the human concerns of a broad range of individuals and groups. It has a particular focus on race, sex and disability discrimination, as well as the rights of Indigenous Australians.

Australian Human Rights Commission is an independent statutory organisation and report to the federal Parliament through the Attorney-General.

The commission's responsibilities include:

- education and public awareness
- discrimination and human rights complaints
- human rights compliance
- policy and legislative development.

Australian Human Rights Commission work closely with other national human rights institutions, particularly through the Asia Pacific Forum of National Human Rights Institutions, to address major human rights issues in the region.

The Commission is responsible for administering the following federal laws:

- Racial Discrimination Act 1975
- Sex Discrimination Act 1984
- Disability Discrimination Act 1992
- Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission Act 1986.

The commission attempts to conciliate complaints of discrimination or breaches of human rights under the above legislation.

Complaints are handled on a confidential basis. If a complaint can't be conciliated, it will be terminated by the President. A complainant can then take the matter to the Federal Court of Australia or the Federal Magistrates Service.

If a matter received under the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission Act 1986 cannot be conciliated, and is not discontinued for other

reasons provided for the law, then the commission will present a report to federal Parliament outlining the key issues and recommendations to resolve the complaint. These complaints do not have any enforceable legal rights.

STATE COMMISSIONS

Contact details for state anti-discrimination commissions and equal opportunity commissions are available on the website at

www.humanrights.gov.au

OMBUDSMAN FOR THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

12th Floor, NT House
 Cnr Bennett and Mitchell Streets
 DARWIN NT 0800
 GPO Box 1344, DARWIN NT 0801
 Ph: 8999 1818
 Fax: 8999 1828
 Freecall: 1800 806 380
 Web: www.ombudsman.nt.gov.au
 Email: nt.ombudsman@nt.gov.au
 Mon-Fri: 8.00am to 4.30pm

The Ombudsman investigates complaints about the Northern Territory Government organisations and municipal authorities. The Ombudsman may investigate complaints about:

- administrative actions of government or municipal organisations
- decisions or recommendations by those bodies
- refusal or failure to take some action or make a decision or recommendations
- delays
- actions taken, or refusal or failure to take action, by a member of the Northern Territory Police.

NORTHERN TERRITORY COUNCIL OF SOCIAL SERVICE (NTCOSS)

Shop 4, 1 Pavonia Place NIGHTCLIFF NT 0810
 PO Box 1128, NIGHTCLIFF NT 0810
 Ph: 8948 2665
 Fax: 8948 4590
 Email: admin@ntcoss.org.au
 Web: www.ntcoss.org.au

NTCOSS is a community based peak body for the social and community services sector. It advocates for social justice on behalf of people and communities who are affected by poverty and disadvantage.

NTCOSS provides support and advice to non-government and community managed organisations and negotiates on behalf of the Community Services Sector with other levels of government.

It's activities include high level advocacy, policy development and analysis, research, information provision, education and training. It is managed by a volunteer board, and liaises with government, service providers, and the general community.

NT WORKSAFE

NT WorkSafe works with you by:

- setting the safety standards to ensure you meet your responsibilities under the law
- explaining and interpreting laws and standards and by providing you with guidance materials
- helping you meet your responsibilities through workplace visits, advice, audits and inspections.

It is NT Worksafe's job to ensure that you comply with the law. We usually achieve this through our routine workplace visits. Sometimes it results from a complaint or an accident investigation or as a result of us reviewing our records of licences, plant registrations and insurance policies.

Response Group

For all accident notifications, general enquiries and complaints.

Ph: 1800 019 115

Email: ntworksafe.deet@nt.gov.au

Website: www.worksafe.nt.gov.au

NT WorkSafe Darwin

For referral to the appropriate branch or officer and for information about education programs.

Ph: (08) 8999 5010

Prevention Branch

For all general occupational health and safety and dangerous goods enquiries, advice and assistance phone 8999 5545.

Rehabilitation and Compensation Branch

Level 1, Darwin Plaza, 41 Smith Street, The Mall
GPO Box 4821, DARWIN NT 0801

Ph: (08) 8999 5585

Fax: (08) 8999 5141

Darwin

First Floor, Darwin Plaza Building
41 Smith Street, The Mall
GPO Box 4821, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: (08) 8999 5010
Fax: (08) 8999 5141

Katherine

Ground Floor, Government Centre, First Street
PO Box 529, KATHERINE NT 0851
Ph: (08) 8973 8416
Fax: (08) 8973 8930

Alice Springs

Peter Sitzler Building, 67 North Stuart Highway
PO Box 2134, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871
Ph: (08) 8951 8682
Fax: (08) 8951 8618

VICTIMS OF CRIME ASSISTANCE LEAGUE [NT] INC. (VOCAL [NT] INC)

Suite1/8 Knuckey Street, Darwin NT 0800
GPO Box 1258, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8941 0995
Freecall: 1800 672 242
Fax: 8941 0495
Email : vocalnt@bigpond.com.au

Web: www.victimsofcrime.org

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

- Provides information, understanding and support to victims of all crime
- Free and confidential
- Phone support line available 24 hours and manned everyday by professionally trained workers
- Court and in-person support available in some NT locations only
- Clean up and Securing Financial Assistance in the NT's major centres
- Advocacy support for individuals and general victim issues.

SENIOR CITIZEN ORGANISATIONS

COUNCIL ON THE AGEING (COTA)

Spillett House, 65 Smith Street,
DARWIN NT 0800

GPO Box 852, DARWIN NT 0801

Email: ntsenior@bigpond.net.au

President: Brian Hilder

Ph: 8941 1004

Fax: 8941 5011

Executive Officer: Dr Graeme Suckling

Phone: 8941 1004

Representation: Established in 1969 COTA is the peak body representing Territorians, over the age of 50 (Indigenous Territorians over 45years) to government, service providers and COTA National.

Projects:

COTA trains volunteer peer educators to deliver interactive information sessions to seniors' groups/organisation.

Current programs designed to provide older people with the motivation, skills and confidence to enable them to make informed decisions about their lifestyle choice, to question professionals about options and to gain information that is appropriate to their needs include the National Prescribing Services' Quality Use of Medications, Generic Medicines and Chronic diseases and the Beyond Blue mature age depression.

Partners in Culturally Appropriate Aged Care (PICAC)

Spillett House, 65 Smith Street,
DARWIN NT 0800

GPO Box 852, DARWIN NT 0801

Email: admin@cotant.org

Ph: 8941 1004

Fax: 8941 5011

The broad aims of the Partners in Culturally Appropriate Aged Care project are to ensure the special needs of older people from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds are identified and addressed and to improve the partnerships

between aged care providers, culturally and linguistically diverse (CaLD) communities and the Commonwealth Department of Health & Ageing. The main objectives are to:

- To assist Aged Care Service Providers (residential and community) to provide culturally appropriate aged care which is free from prejudice, avoids stereotyping and promotes community cultural links through support, information sessions and training,
- Provide aged care service providers with cultural information appropriate to client requirements, admission information in various languages,
- Promote communication and co-operation between service providers and CaLD communities,
- Provide CaLD communities and individuals with information about residential aged care facilities, community care, allied health professionals, the Aged Care Assessment Team (ACAT), and other aged care issues such as healthy ageing,
- Provide Non Verbal Communication Books (NVCB) for CaLD recipients of aged care unable to communicate effectively in English.

LINKCARE

Anglicare NT

5 Namarluk Drive
LUDMILLA NT 0820
PO Box 36506, WINNELLIE NT 0821
Ph: (08) 8985 0000
Fax: (08) 8985 0001
Email: anglicare@anglicare-nt.org.au
Web: www.anglicare-nt.org.au
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 5:00pm

Linkcare provides case management services for frail-aged and disabled people of non-English speaking backgrounds, with complex care needs. Linkcare is a Community Options Project conducted by Anglicare NT that focuses on supporting frail-aged and complex care needs clients over 65 years or younger persons with disabilities over 51 and their carers from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds.

Linkcare encourages independence through the provision of assistance within their homes, families and in the community through the supplementation and support of existing informal care networks which prevent premature or inappropriate admission to residential care. Linkcare approaches the planning of services around the needs of individuals in a way that encourages change towards a client-focused approach in the community care network. The service comprises case management, advocacy, respite, in-home support services, brokerage, personal care, and social and community support.

RETIREMENT CARE AUSTRALIA PTY LTD

Masonic Darwin Nursing Home

9 Mirambeena Street, DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8941 0961
Fax: 8981 6870
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 5:00pm

The Nursing Home:

The nursing home is authorised to care for 49 residents and is designed to maximise the opportunity for residents to enjoy their stay. A full program of activities through a Diversional Therapy program, outings and ability to participate in activities is available. It links into community programs through such organisations as the Council on the Ageing.

Security locks and fully fenced facility on four acres of gardens and bush land is a real feature of the Nursing Home. There are well appointed day rooms and quiet sitting rooms which are air conditioned to allow the residents comfort during the oppressive heat of the 'wet season'. Retirement Care Australia strives to ensure a culturally sensitive and appropriate environment.

The Therapy Centre:

The Therapy Service provides therapy services to individuals or groups of clients to assist them to either recover or maintain a level of residence, which will allow them to remain either in the community or in low level residential care. Clients participate in a full therapy program, which involves both individual and group sessions that:

- promote and maintain independence
- rehabilitate the client to the maximum extent possible
- maintain the client in the community as long as is medically, socially and economically viable, stay longer and stronger at home
- provide social, physical and psychological therapy to improve the quality of life and health of clients
- prevent inappropriate or premature admission to residential aged care facilities.

SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOCIATIONS

Chung Wah Senior Citizens Recreational Group

25 Woods Street, DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 8981 7658
Alternate Fri: 9:00am to 1:00pm
The Group meets for morning teas, lunches and other recreational activities.

Filipiniana Senior Citizens Association Inc

PO Box 41205, CASUARINA NT 0811
PRESIDENT: Mrs Manuela Payne
Ph: 8988 9638
Current FSCA activities: FSCA has a weekly Monday meeting wherein they have lunch together. Their activities include dances, songs, games and parties which may include guest speakers. FSCA go on outings (e.g. trips, picnics or dining out). Special celebrations include;

Valentine Day parties, Easter Bonnet party and Philippine Independence Day in June.

Greek Orthodox Senior Citizens Group

Pan Hellenic Cultural Centre
Chapman Road, RAPID CREEK NT 0810
Thurs: 10:30am to 3:00pm
Ph: 8981 7203 (Greek Welfare Officer)
Ph: 8985 4390 (Greek School)

Meet for morning teas, lunches, picnics and other recreational activities.

Italian Seniors Social Group

PO Box 852, DARWIN NT 0801
Co-ordinator: Janet Brown
Ph: 8941 1004
Fax: 8941 5011
Email: janet.brown@cotant.org

The Italian Seniors Social Group meet every Thursday from 10am to 2pm (school holidays excluded). An Italian speaking recreational support person attends to support and assist, transport is available. Activities include excursions, tombola, cultural celebrations and information sessions. There is a small charge to cover morning tea.

Timorese and Portuguese Seniors Group

GPO Box 852, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8941 1004
Mon: 10am to 2.30pm

The Timorese/Portuguese Seniors Social Group meet every Monday from 10am to 2pm (school holidays excluded). A Timorese speaking recreational support person attends to support and assist, transport is available. Activities include cultural celebrations, Timorese music, excursions, bingo and information sessions. There is a \$7 charge for a Timorese meal.

SETTLEMENT AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS

Office of Multicultural Affairs Department of the Chief Minister

4th Floor NT House
22 Mitchell Street, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 4396, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8999 3880
Fax: 8999 3889
Mon-Fri: 8:00am to 4:30pm
Web: www.multicultural.affairs@nt.gov.au
Email: multiculturalaffairs.dcm@nt.gov.au

The Office of Multicultural Affairs (OMA) promotes and facilitates mutual understanding and acceptance of cultural and linguistic diversity amongst all Territorians.

OMA provides information to the community regarding settlement and multicultural affairs issues. It also provides the Northern Territory Government policy advice on immigration and

multicultural affairs and ensures that the Territory has input into national policies relating to these matters. OMA also administers several grants programs which provides financial assistance to multicultural organisations to promote multiculturalism in the Territory.

The Overseas Qualifications Unit (OQU) provides comparative educational assessment of overseas qualifications and skills.

Department of Immigration and Citizenship

40 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 864, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 131 881 (for all immigration queries)
Ph: 131 880 (for all citizenship queries)
Fax: 8941 2297
Web: www.immi.gov.au

Office Hours:

Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri: 9.00am to 4.00pm

Wed: 9.00am to 1.00pm

Citizenship tests: phone 131 880 to make an appointment.

DIAC has a key role in managing the movement of people in and out of Australia and the settlement of new migrants, with particular responsibility for:

- migration
- humanitarian and refugee programs
- citizenship
- settlement
- multicultural affairs and community relations
- access and equity
- border control and compliance with immigration law.

Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS) -

24hr service 7 days a week can be accessed by contacting: 131 450

The Northern Territory Translator and Interpreting Service provides on-site services in migrant and refugee languages throughout the Northern Territory. These services are provided free of charge to Northern Territory government agencies when residents access their services.

Multicultural Council of the NT Inc

Shop 15 Malak Centre, Malak Place
MALAK NT 0812
PO Box 299, SANDERSON NT 0813
Ph: 8945 9122
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 5:00pm
PRESIDENT: Mr Kirunti Krishna
Ph: 0408 451 941
Email: admin@mcnt.org.au

The Multicultural Council of the Northern Territory Inc (MCNT) is the peak body dedicated to advocacy and representing the interests, concerns and aspirations of people of non English speaking immigrant and refugee background in the NT.

The aim of MCNT is to promote multiculturalism as a policy for all Australians, to work for social justice. MCNT consults, liaises and networks with ethnic community organisations, service providers and police makers.

The council works in the areas of human rights, social justice, reconciliation and access and equity, with a special focus on the needs of women, the elderly, young people, children and newly emerging communities.

MELALEUCA REFUGEE CENTRE, (Torture and Trauma Survivors' Service of the NT Inc)

Shop 33, Rapid Creek Business Village
48 Trower Road, MILLNER NT 0810
Ph: 8985 3311
Fax: 8985 3322
Mon-Fri: 9:00am to 4:30pm
Email: admin@melaleuca.org.au

Melaleuca Refugee Centre is committed to assisting survivors of torture and trauma to gain a life enriched with dignity.

Melaleuca provides settlement services to newly arrived refugees. Confidential counselling, advocacy and information are offered throughout early resettlement, and are available to established members of the community as well. Youth-focused services respond to the special needs of children, young people and their families. Outreach, though group work, community education and training seeks to promote community awareness. Melaleuca Refugee Centre offers client focused services and encourages connections between diverse communities.

Community Support for Refugees (CSR) - Volunteer Support Groups

Community Support for Refugees volunteer support groups assist in the practical aspects of helping refugees settle and also provide social support and friendship.

Melaleuca Refugee Centre recruits, trains and supports these volunteer groups. Any person interested in forming a CSR group or joining an established group with similar interests should contact Melaleuca Refugee Centre.

Other services provided include training to other services on issues affecting refugees, and projects according to identified client needs and organisational resources.

MULTICULTURAL COMMUNITY SERVICES OF CENTRAL AUSTRALIA INC

2/20 Parsons Street
ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
PO Box 1160, ALICE SPRINGS NT 0871

Ph: 8952 8776
Fax: 8952 5176
Mon-Wed-Thurs only from 10:00am to 3:00pm
Web: www.mcscsa
Email: info@mcscsa.org.au

Provides information, referral service and a drop-in centre. It organises cultural and social activities and promotes cultural awareness amongst people in the community.

TAXATION

AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE

24 Mitchell Street, DARWIN NT 0800
Ph: 132 861
Jock Nelson Centre
16 Hartley Street ALICE SPRINGS NT 0870
Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:45pm
Web: www.ato.gov.au

The Australian Taxation Office issues Tax File Numbers. The office offers special seminars on taxation issues and gives information about taxes in Australia.

Individuals may want a Tax File number when they:

- deal with the Australian Taxation Office
- start work for the first time
- change jobs
- study at college or university
- put money in superannuation
- get money from Veterans Affairs
- open a bank account
- get payments/allowances from Centrelink, like Newstart, Jobsearch, Sickness Allowance, Austudy or Abstudy.

If you do not speak or read English well you can use an interpreter to help you talk to the Australian Taxation Office.

Call 131 450 for this free service from the Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS). You can get written information on taxation in Australia in 18 different languages by calling 132 861 or by visiting the Australian Taxation Office's Internet site.

WOMEN'S SERVICES

NT WORKING WOMEN'S CENTRE

1/98 Woods Street, DARWIN NT 0800
GPO Box 403, DARWIN NT 0801
Ph: 8981 0655
Fax: 8981 0433
Mon-Thur: 9:00am to 5:00pm
Free call: 1800 817 055
Email: admin@ntwwc.com.au
Web: www.ntwwc.com.au

The Centre provides free and confidential information, advice, support and referral where necessary on work related issues. These issues include:

- discrimination
- unfair dismissal
- wage and/or working conditions
- maternity Leave
- workplace bullying and other work related issues.

The centre also provides free training in work related issues. Interpreters can be arranged.

RUBY GAEA DARWIN CENTRE AGAINST RAPE

PO Box 42082, CASUARINA NT 0811

Counselling Ph: 8945 0155

Administration Ph: 8945 0155

Fax: 8945 2783

Email: info@rubygaea.net.au

Web: www.rubygaea.org.au

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 5:00pm

Ruby Gaea offers:

- free confidential counselling for women and children who have been affected by sexual violence
- medical, legal and resource information
- educational workshops and training lectures in the community on sexual violence
- participation in public meetings and campaigns on issues of sexual violence
- lending library of books, videos and articles on rape and related issues.

TOP END WOMEN'S LEGAL SERVICE (TEWLS)

Ground Floor, 62 Cavenagh Street, DARWIN NT 0800

GPO Box 1901, DARWIN NT 0801

Ph: 8982 3000

Free call: 1800 234 441

Fax: 8941 9935

Email: TEWLS@clc.net.au

Mon-Fri: 8:30am to 4:30pm

Provides free and confidential legal advice, information and referral to women. Legal sessions are held in Palmerston and Darwin by appointment only.

YWCA OF DARWIN INC

119 Mitchell Street

DARWIN NT 0800

Ph: 8981 8323

Fax: 8941 3943

Email: office@ywcaofdarwin.org.au

Web: www.ywcaofdarwin.org.au

Mon – Fri: 8:30am to 4:00pm

The YWCA of Darwin runs community programs aimed at providing services to young women and families escaping domestic violence.

LANGUAGE SCHOOLS

BENGALI LANGUAGE CLASSES

Bangla Association of Darwin Inc

PO Box 40607, CASUARINA NT 0811

President: Mr Abdus Sattar

Secretary: Mr Saifur Rahman

Ph: 8931 1165; 8932 9619 a/h

Bengali language classes are held at Manunda Terrace Primary School every Sunday afternoon

from 4:00pm to 5:00pm, followed by half an hour of cultural activities.

BUDDHIST SOCIETY

37 Parkside Crescent, LEANYER NT 0812

Ph: 8901 0275

Dharma classes (Buddhist teachings for children)

Time: Sundays, 9:00am to 10:00am

Ages: 3 - 14 years

Fees: free, occasional requirement for donation towards the cost of materials.

The general aims of the classes include:

- learning about the Dharma
- getting to know and respect yourself and others
- developing co-operation with others, practicing kindness and patience
- taking responsibility for actions and behaviors
- developing an awareness of and respect for cultural similarities and differences.

CHINESE LANGUAGE AND CULTURAL CENTRE OF DARWIN

GPO Box 1379, DARWIN NT 0801

Co-Chairperson: Mr Daryl Chin

Ph: 8999 3603

The centre offers Mandarin or Cantonese classes (beginners to advanced levels). Classes are held from 9:00am to 12:00noon every Saturday at Alawa Primary School, Pett Street, Alawa.

Enrolment fees are \$40 per student per half year. The centre also runs a Chinese radio program broadcast on TOP FM (104.1 MHz) every Sunday evening from 6:00pm to 7:00pm. The program consists of a half hour each of Mandarin and Cantonese news and music.

Other community activities of the centre include the annual Chinese New Year and Moon Festival celebrations and periodically, Chinese art and craft workshops.

GREEK ORTHODOX SCHOOL OF NT

PO Box 41858, CASUARINA NT 0811

Contact Person: Mr Sam Hatzivalamis

Ph: 8985 4390

Mob: 0438 247 100

Fax: 8985 4390

Lesson timetable:

Saturdays: 9:00am to 1:00pm (preschool - year 6)

Wednesdays: 5:00pm to 8:00pm (high school)

Mondays: 6:30pm to 8:30pm (adult language)

The Greek Orthodox School is located at the Pan Hellenic Cultural Centre, on the corner of Nightcliff and Chapman Roads. The school's building and grounds provide meeting facilities, Greek dancing classes, religious instruction and other community activities for numerous groups throughout the year.

The Greek Orthodox School is a pivotal entity for the Greeks of Darwin and for those interested in anything Greek. The school is an active ethnic learning centre which facilitates the teaching of the Greek language as a second language, history, geography, ethics, traditions, and traditional Greek dancing to primary level students from preschool through to year six on Saturday mornings and secondary level students on Wednesday evenings. The school commenced an adult Greek language program in the later part of 2003. The adult language program was established for beginners and is available to Greeks and non-Greeks.

HINDI SCHOOL OF DARWIN

Indian Cultural Society
GPO Box 957, DARWIN NT 0801
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Email: mail@territory-indians.org

Hindi classes are held every Sunday from 4:00pm to 6:00pm at Alawa Primary School. Hindi School of Darwin also organises Hindi for Travellers at Casuarina Senior College Night Classes.

ITALIAN CENTRE FOR SCHOLASTIC & WELFARE ASSISTANCE (CIASS)

PO Box 43453, CASUARINA NT 0811
Ph: 8927 0799
A/President: Eugenio Scaturchio
Ph: 0412 328 762
Secretary: Mr Joe De Luca
Ph: 8936 6437

CIASS provides assistance to the Italian community which includes a resource centre to enhance Italian culture and languages. It also provides a venue for all Italians to meet and share their culture and traditions.

DARWIN LANGUAGE CENTRE

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Darwin Languages Centre was set up by the Department of Education and Training to provide wider access to the learning of languages for students in the Northern Territory primary, middle and senior schools. The Centre offers out-of-school-hours classes on the Nightcliff Primary School, Driver Primary Schools and Casuarina Senior College campuses. Current languages offered are French, German, Greek, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Mandarin, Spanish and Indigenous.

The Centre offers in-school language programs at various primary, middle and senior schools around Darwin, Palmerston and the rural area; and we also operate a language library, which is open Monday to Friday 8am to 4pm.

Aside from school based services, the Centre offers services to the wider community. We provide adult language classes, private tuition and tailored courses for private enterprise and corporate organisations. The services provided to the wider community are available in, but not limited to, the following languages: Arabic, Croatian, Dutch, French, German, Greek, Hindi, Indonesian, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Mandarin, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Tagalog, Tetum, Thai, Tiwi and Vietnamese.

LANGUAGE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY (Inc)

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UTHAYAM TAMIL SCHOOL

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Tamil language classes are conducted at Malak Primary School on Sundays.

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Interpreting and Translating Centre (ITC)

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South Australian Multicultural and Ethnic Affairs Commission (SAMEAC) is a statutory body whose members are nominated by the Minister for Multicultural Affairs to Cabinet and appointed by the Governor.

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SISTER CITIES

The mission of the Darwin Sister Cities Program is to increase international understanding with our sister city partners through promotion of international communication and exchange at the community level.

For more information on the Sister Cities Program please contact:

Sister Cities Project Officer
 Darwin City Council Ph: 8930 0695
 Web: www.darcity.nt.gov.au

Territory Towns and their Affiliated Sister Cities

Darwin	Kalymnos (Greece) Anchorage (USA) Ambon (Indonesia) Milikapiti (Tiwi Islands) Haikou (People's Republic of China) Dili (Timor Leste)
Palmerston Jabiru	Kupang, (Indonesia) Leaf Rapids (Canada)
Anmatjere	Dong-Sheng (People's Republic of China)
Katherine	(General Santos, Philippines).

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AFRICA - AUSTRALIA FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION

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AMBON FOLK GROUP

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ASIAN AUSTRALIAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION INC

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AUSTRALIAN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF THE NT INC

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CHUNG WAH SOCIETY INC

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FILIPINIANA SENIOR CITIZENS ASSOCIATION INC

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FILIPINO-AUSTRALIA ASSOCIATION OF THE NT INC

Filipino Community Centre, Batten Road, MARRARA NT 0812
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Year of establishment:		
Date of incorporation:		
AGM held (month):		
OFFICE BEARERS:		
President:		
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