# WHO CAN WEIEEP?

We offer crisis, transitional and medium-term housing and individual case management to young people aged 15-24 and women over the age of 25.

You can contact us directly for support. We also take referrals from other not-for-profit organisations and government agencies.

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YWCA AUSTRALIA'S HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM HELPS YOUNG PEOPLE AND OLDER WOMEN WHO ARE EXPERIENCING OR AT RISK OF HOMELESSNESS TO ACCESS INDEPENDENT ACCOMMODATION.

## **CONTACT DETAILS**

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## HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM

YWCA Australia's Housing Support Program (HSP) provides support for young women and older single women who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness, to move into or retain independent accommodation.

Based in Darwin, HSP offers individual case management and a range of transitional and medium-term housing options.

YWCA helped me through a really difficult time in my life when I didn't have anywhere else to go. With their help, I'm now doing a hairdressing apprenticeship and have found my own sharehouse to live in with other people my own age. Thanks YWCA!"

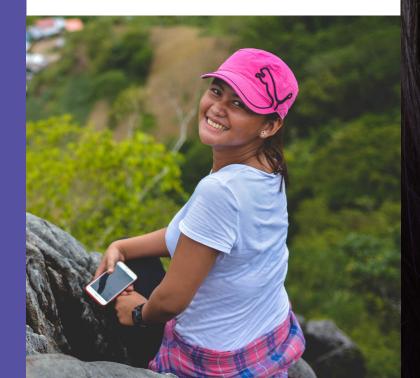
HSP client

## **HOW CAN WE HELP?**

HSP provides:

- individual case management;
- housing options for young people aged 15-24 and women over the age of 25 including:
  - youth crisis accommodation; and
  - individual and shared houses.
- referrals to other support services; and
- support to develop independent living skills.

During the time they are with HSP, residents are assisted to manage their tenancy responsibilities and secure ongoing accommodation after leaving the program.





## **CRISIS ACCOMMODATION**

As part of the Housing Support Program, CASY House operates an eight-bed crisis accommodation facility for 15-18 year olds who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness.

The youth refuge provides young people with a safe place to sleep, 24/7 staff support, meals, case management and life skill programs.

CASY House staff work with young people to develop their independent living skills including shopping, meal preparation, budgeting, job applications and advocating positive life choices. Sessions are conducted individually and in groups.

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