


About Ability Care



Ability Care is an organisation that really understands the importance of accommodation, respite and support services that help people with disabilities reach their potential.

We are committed to enhancing the quality of life of adults and children with an intellectual, physical and/or sensory disability through individualised services and programs.

Our approach

Innovative, responsive and flexible in our approach, we understand that every person is unique and we work with individuals and their families to provide support in a way that gives but never gives up.

Our people

If there was one word to describe our people it would undoubtedly be 'passionate.' When you have hundreds of staff and volunteers collectively living and breathing our values, vision and mission; what you get is something truly special.

Our family of organisations

Ability Care, is a part of a family of international organisations (Community Services Group) collectively committed to supporting and enhancing the quality of life of the most vulnerable.



Our Locations

To find the centre closest to you please visit www.abilitycare.org.au

Eligibility

0 to 65yrs, meets Disability Services eligibility criteria.

Referrals

Received through:

- Department of Communities – Disability Services
- Individuals / Families / Carers
- Service Providers

Funding

Ability Care, receives funding from the Department of Communities - Disability Services and the Department of Communities - Child Safety Services.




Respite Services



Respite services that enhance the independence and quality of life of people with a disability and their carers.






Our focus is on the empowerment of the individual through respecting decisions and choice making, promoting dignity, developing skills, encouraging independence, integration into the community and respecting the rights and roles of all human beings.

Respite Services

For a family caring for a relative with a disability, the demands of caring can be greater than for other families. Parents, brothers and sisters of a person with a disability need the same opportunities for relaxation as anyone else. Yet these families often have difficulty finding someone to care for their relative while they have time out, spend time with other children, or carry out other responsibilities.

Ability Care have an extensive range of respite options for children and adults ensuring families have that much needed break so they can carry on in the caring role for longer.



Emergency Crisis Respite

This service provides temporary accommodation for people in crisis situations until permanent accommodation solutions can be sought.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.

Adult Respite

Centre Based Respite - Flexible respite for Adults aged between 18-65 years living in the Logan area. Offering day/overnight respite, weekend camps and emergency respite.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.

Aging Carer Respite - Respite options are available for people whose primary carer is over the age of 60 years and indigenous carers over 45 years old. Respite consists of 3 days and 2 nights - on a bimonthly roster or as negotiated with families.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.

Children's Respite

Centre Based Respite - Flexible respite for children aged between 6-18 years living in the Logan area. Offering day/overnight and emergency respite to families in need.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.



Vacation Care - Day and overnight respite and camps for school aged children during the school vacation period.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.

Children's Flexible Respite - Flexible respite options for children aged between 0-12 years.

The service provides opportunities for children to develop skills for academic achievement, promote their participation, and assist with skills and support to thrive in mainstream care and education settings such as child care, health services, kindergarten, prep, and school.

Contribution for food and lodgings required.