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Disability Employment Services

We support people with disability, injury or health condition in the Outer Western Sydney region to find and keep a job.

Services include

- Job matching to suitable jobs within your capacity
- Assistance with job applications and creating resumes
- Tailored services to suit vou
- Marketing to employers
- Wage subsidy support
- Training and work experience to support you into employment
- Workplace support for as long as needed.

Partnerships

We work in partnership with government, community and private sector organisations to improve access to services, programs and life opportunities for our CALD communities.

Examples include

- · Programs and workshops to promote safety, integration and reduce social isolation among target group
- Support for ethno-specific community organisations.

Our Community Engagement team is always open to new opportunities that address gaps, develop innovative initiatives and ensure that we add value to the work being undertaken across our region.

We work with individuals and community groups and collaborate with others to promote social harmony and cohesion and build social capacity in the region.

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Families

Settlement Services

Youth

Housing

SydWest Multicultural Services is a leading community organisation. Our mission is to contribute to building the social capacity of diverse communities. We strive to empower individuals of all cultures by offering person centred direct services. We focus on the vulnerable and the most in need across their life course.

Settlement Services

We help newly arrived refugees, humanitarian entrants and their families to settle successfully in Australia so that they can become active and empowered members of the community.

Services include

- · Casework and specialist intensive support
- Information and referrals
- · Skills development, life skills training and mentoring programs
- Employment pathway workshops & assistance
- Information sessions about life in Australia
- Advocacy and community capacity building
- Housing assistance and emergency relief
- Legal Aid and immigration assistance
- Driver Knowledge Test training and on-road driver mentoring
- Emergency relief
- Support groups and activities
- Community development
- Family Safety & Domestic Violence support.

Youth Services

We provide a fun and comprehensive youth program for young refugees, humanitarian entrants and migrants who are settling into Australia. The program targets 12 to 25 year olds living in the Blacktown and Penrith LGAs.

Services include

- Casework
- Education support
- Career development and employment pathways
- Events and school holiday activities
- Sports and music programs
- · Resilience building activities
- Partnerships with schools.

Our Settlement Services and Youth programs are funded by Settlement Services International.

Values Accountability, Collaboration, Excellence

SydWest Multicultural Services's dedicated and culturally competent Community Engagement team provides innovative services and programs to help vulnerable families, children and young people, newly-arrived refugees, humanitarian entrants and migrants.

Family Services

We support families with children up to the age of eight and expecting parents from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds who are living in the Blacktown and Hills LGAs.

We work with emerging communities to identify and address their issues, link families to services and information, provide parenting information and programs and strengthen connections between communities.

Services include

- Supported Women's Groups
- Supported Playgroups
- Special events
- Home visits
- Capacity building initiatives
- Casework and referrals
- Parenting support.

Our Families program is funded by the NSW Department of Family and Community Services

Homelessness **Program**

We help CALD people in the Blacktown LGA who are homeless or at risk of homelessness to find accommodation.

Services include

- Direct support to help people access housing solutions including emergency and temporary accommodation, private tenancies and social housing
- Outreach engagement to identify people living on the street.

Our Homelessness program is funded by Mission Australia through the NSW Department of Family and Community Services.



