

CENTRAL COAST YOUTH DIRECTORY

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EMERGENCY NUMBERS

EMERGENCY (POLICE, AMBULANCE, FIRE)	000
ACCOMMODATION YOUTH HOTLINE	1800 424 830
ALCOHOL & DRUG INFORMATION SERVICE	1800 422 599
CHILD PROTECTION AND FAMILY CRISIS SERVICE	1800 066 777
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HOTLINE	1800 656 463
EMERGENCY YOUTH ACCOMMODATION	1800 424 830
HOSPITAL – GOSFORD	4320 2111
HOSPITAL – WYONG	4393 8000
KIDS HELP LINE	1800 551 800
I’M OK LINE	1800 424 730
INCEST COUNSELLING RESOURCE CENTRE	1800 654 119
LEGAL AID HELPLINE	1800 806 913
LEGAL AID HOTLINE	1800 101 810
LIFELINE	13 11 14
MENTAL HEALTH CENTRAL INTAKE	1800 011 511
OMBUDSMAN	1800 451 524
POLICE ASSISTANCE LINE (PAL)	13 14 44
RAPE CRISIS SERVICE	1800 424 017
TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION SERVICE	131 450
YOUTH SUICIDE HELP LINE	1800 191 919
2010 GAY & LESBIAN YOUTH AND FAMILY SUPPORT	1800 652 010



WESLEY DALMAR - OOHHC HUNTER-CENTRAL COAST

Wesley Mission

Unit 3,13 Anzac Rd, Tuggerah

PO Box 3516, Tuggerah, NSW, 2259

Phone: (02) 4305 3300

Fax: (02) 4352 3734

Email: cfostercare@wesleymission.org.au

Web: www.wesleymission.org.au/centres/out_of_home_care/

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

Provide a safe and caring family for children and young people aged 0-17 years of age who cannot live at home.

CENTRAL COAST INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM

Wesley Mission

PO Box 361, Ourimbah, NSW, 2258

Phone: (02) 4329 6501

Fax: (02) 4328 4798

Email: ccilp@wesleymission.org.au

Web: www.wesleymission.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm (Please use answering machine if office un-maned)

Service Description:

A living skills and semi-supported accommodation program with the provision of case management support for young people aged 16 – 25 who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. Focus: learn and maintain living, domestic & social skills; maintain accommodation; engage in working, studying or parenting of a young child.



ABORIGINAL YOUTH HEALTH WORKER NSCCAHS

*Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250*

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nscchahealth.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Aboriginal Youth Health Worker: provides young Aboriginal people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to access young Aboriginal people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to young Aboriginal people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about the Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, CHIPS, Counselling, Drug and Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

PARKSIDE

*Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford
Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250*

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Parkside is Multi Service Youth Service Centre, initiated by Regional Youth Support Services Inc and Employment Training (ET Australia). At present, Parkside houses 5 independent Youth Services.

ARC, Post School Options, ET Australia, The Smith Family, Regional Youth Support Services, Youth Arts Warehouse and BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre. ARC, A youth and family service of Relationships Australia (nsw). Funded by the Government to provide support, information and advocacy to young people aged 16 – 25, who have been in care of the Department and are making their way to independent living.



YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nscchs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Youth Health Outreach Worker: provides homeless and at-risk young people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to improve access to health services for homeless and at-risk young people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to homeless and at-risk young people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Youth Health Outreach Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Drug and Alcohol Services, ChIPS, Counselling, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

PATHWAYS

Baptist Community Services

187 Pollock Ave, Wyong

Po Box 796, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 2736

Fax: (02) 4353 5010

Mobile: 0418 415 488

Email: pathways@bcs.org.au or sgribble@bcs.org.au

Web: www.bcs.org.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 9:00am – 5:30pm

Service Description:

BCS Pathways is an Out Of Home Care Youth Accommodation Service, providing seven day residential care to six young people aged between 12 & 17 years in the care of Community Services.



HOUSING NSW - Wyong Office

Suites 4/5 Plaza Village, 36 Alison Rd, Wyong, NSW, 2259

Phone: (02) 4352 9600

Fax: (02) 4352 4411

Web: www.housing.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 8:30am – 4:30pm, Wed 1:00pm – 4:30pm

Service Description:

To provide affordable, safe and appropriate housing for low income earners for residents of NSW. Provision of public housing to eligible applicants. Assistance with bond for private renters who are eligible under the Rental Assistance Scheme.

HOUSING NSW - Gosford Office

106-108 Erina St, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 5211

Fax: (02) 4323 5200

Web: www.housing.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri 8:30am – 4:30pm, Wed 1:00pm – 4:30pm

Service Description:

To provide affordable, safe and appropriate housing for low income earners for residents of NSW. Provision of public housing to eligible applicants. Assistance with bond for private renters who are eligible under the Rental Assistance Scheme.

HOUSING NSW – After Hours Temporary Accommodation Line

Phone: 1800 152 152

YOUTH EMERGENCY ACCOMMODATION HOTLINE

Phone: 1800 424 830

Service Description:

Provides a referral and information service across NSW to young people aged 12-24 who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. Updated on Monday, Wednesday & Friday by 9:30am. Lists all rural vacancies & the region in which they are located. Most services are suitable for locals only.

OUTREACH TEAM

Samaritans

Po Box 564, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 1922 or Freecall 1800 037 786

Fax: (02) 4353 5337

Email: ctubnor@samaritans.org.au or plyall@samaritans.org.au or kturnbull@samaritans.org.au

Web: www.samaritans.org.au

Hours Open: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Outreach case management and support to young people between 14 and 24 experiencing or at risk of homelessness across the central coast. Assistance with government departments, linking in with appropriate services, mediation, information, advocacy and short term transitional housing.

STEPPING STONES YOUTH CRISIS REFUGE

Samaritans

Po Box 564, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 1922 or Freecall 1800 037 786

Fax: (02) 4353 5337

Email: steppingstones@samaritans.org.au

Web: www.samaritans.org.au

Hours Open: Seven days per week, 24hrs per day.

Service Description:

Crisis Accommodation for young people between the ages of 12 and 17 for up to 3 months.

COMMUNITY HOUSING – Compass Housing Services

4/210 Central Coast Highway, Erina NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4365 0855

Fax: (02) 4365 6342

147 Main Road Toukley NSW 2263

Phone: (02) 4396 5222

Fax: (02) 4397 1107

Web: www.compasshousing.org

RUMBALARA LODGE

Coast Shelter

Po Box 1234, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 7555

Fax: (02) 4325 0453

Email: rumbalara@coastshelter.org.au

Web: www.coastshelter.org.au

Hours Open: Contact for information

Service Description:

Rumbalara Lodge is a medium-term youth accommodation for young people who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. We provide a living skills program and clients are expected to be involved in earning or learning for 30 hours per week.

COAST SHELTER

Rear 97 Donnison St, Gosford

Po Box 1234, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 3540 or (02) 4324 7239 (24hr Accommodation)

Fax: (02) 4324 7876

Email: admin@coastshelter.org.au

Web: www.coastshelter.org.au

Hours Open: Contact for information

Service Description:

To provide crisis and medium term accommodation for young people, families and single men and women. Provision of medium term accommodation for homeless young people.

MAYA YOUNG WOMEN'S REFUGE

Coast Shelter

102 Manns Rd, Narara

Po Box 1234, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4323 1636

Fax: (02) 4323 3952

Email: maya@coastshelter.org.au

Web: www.coastshelter.org.au

Hours Open: Contact for information

Service Description:

Maya Cottage is one of five refuges auspiced by Coast Shelter. Maya is a medium term youth refuge designed to meet the needs of homeless young women aged between 14 and 18 years. Maya operates in much the same way as an extended family where girls live together in a caring and relaxed environment. It can accommodate six residents and places emphasis on a "Living Skills Program" dedicated to assisting each resident to continue to grow and develop throughout their teenage years.

PACIFIC LINK COMMUNITY HOUSING

39 William St, Gosford

Phone: 1300 654 973 or (02) 4324 7617

Fax: (02) 4323 3952

Email: info@pacificlink.org.au

Web: www.pacificlink.org.au

Hours Open: Mondays 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Affordable secure housing for customers in greatest need. Waiting list may apply

Y FOUNDATION (PREVIOUSLY YAA)

Phone: 1800 424 830 (Accommodation or (02) 9698 5833 (General)



WOY WOY YOUTH COTTAGE

Samaritans

Po Box 3133 Umina, NSW 2257

Phone: (02) 4341 9027

Fax: (02) 4341 4231

Email: wwyc18@hotmail.com

Hours Open: Seven Days, 24 hrs

Service Description:

Provides short term crisis accommodation for young people aged 12 – 17 yrs

CENTRELINK OFFICES

Human Services

ETTALONG 241 OCEAN VIEW RD.

WOY WOY 87-89 BLACKWALL RD.

GOSFORD 9 WATT ST.

WYONG 47 HELY ST.

THE ENTRANCE 16-18 FAIRVIEW AVE.

LAKE HAVEN LOT 14 BANNISTER DR.

LOCKED BAG 2, REGENTS PARK DC, NSW 2143 (for all offices)

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES	132850
YOUTH AND STUDENTS SERVICES	132490
FAMILY ASSISTANCE OFFICE	136150
DISABILITIES, SICKNESS AND CARERS	132717
INDIGENOUS CALL CENTRE	136380
ABSTUDY	132317
INTERNATIONAL SERVICES	131673
RETIREMENT SERVICES	132300
IN LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH	131202
CUSTOMER RELATIONS	Freecall 1800 050 004
TTY ENQUIRIES	Freecall 1800 810 586

Web: www.centrelink.gov.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Service Description:

Centrelink assists people to become self-sufficient and supports those in need.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Broken Bay Diocese

203/1 Katherine St, Chatswood

PO Box 1246, Chatswood, NSW, 2057



Phone: (02) 9495 8306

Fax: (02) 9415 3193

Email: bbayyouth@vinnies.org.au

Web: www.vinnies.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

We run a Kids Camp program in the school holidays for children aged between 7 and 13. We also provide volunteering opportunities to young people over the age of 16.

THE SMITH FAMILY SHOP

The Smith Family

8 Community Rd, Bateau Bay

PO Box 10500, Bay Village, NSW, 2261

Phone: (02) 43347844

Web: www.thesmithfamily.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm, Saturday 9am – 1pm

Service Description:

The provision of clothing, Manchester, furniture, other household goods, books and toys at an affordable price.

CENTRAL COAST COMMUNITY COUNCIL

1 Bay Village Rd, Bateau Bay, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4333 4401

Fax: (02) 4333 4402

Email: admin@theccccc.org.au

Web: www.theccccc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 4:00pm

Service Description:

The CCCC provides advocacy and support to all community organisations on the Central Coast as the regional peak body. We work in partnership with local community organisations, NCOSS and ACOSS to ensure any gaps in community services are advocated at regional, state and national levels.

NEW STEPS HOME VISITING

Uniting Care Burnside

Level 2, 15 Watt St, Gosford

PO Box 2061, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 9600

Fax: (02) 4324 3588

Email: rrichardson@burnside.org.au

Web: www.burnside.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

A free service for parents with children aged 0 – 2 who are living on the Central Coast. The service offers parents support through pregnancy and those early childhood years. The young parent case worker can provide support, advocacy and information to parents aged up to 24 years.

All referrals are to be directed to the Central Intake line which is 1800 067 967

'VINNIES' CENTRES

St Vincent de Paul Society

Vinnies Gosford

273-275 Mann St, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4324 4933

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Saturday 9:30am – 12:30pm

Vinnies Wyong

124 Railway St, Wyong

Phone: (02) 4353 1344

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Saturday 9:00am – 12:00pm

Vinnies East Gosford

81 Victoria St, East Gosford

Phone: (02) 4325 5431

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Saturday 9:00am – 12:00pm

Vinnies Woy Woy

41 The Boulevarde, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4344 3261

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Sat 9:00am – 12:00pm, Sun 10:00am – 2:00pm

Vinnies The Entrance

11 Victoria St, The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4332 3776

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Sat 9:00am – 12:00pm, Sun 10:00am – 2:00pm

Vinnies Toukley

173 Main Rd, Toukley

Phone: (02) 4396 3001

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Sat 9:00am – 12:00pm

Vinnies Umina

344 West St, Umina

Phone: (02) 4341 7091

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm, Sat 9:00am – 12:00pm

SALVOS STORES

Salvation Army

Salvo's Gosford

348 Mann St, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4325 3101

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 4:00pm, Saturday 9:00am – 2:00pm

Salvo's West Gosford

30 B Central Coast Hwy, West Gosford

Phone: (02) 4322 1755

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm, Saturday 9:00am – 2:00pm

Salvo's Woy Woy

74 Rawson Rd, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4343 1104

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm, Saturday 9:00am – 2:00pm

Salvo's Tuggerah

182 Pacific Hwy, Tuggerah

Phone: (02) 4351 5873

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm, Sat 9:00am – 2:00pm

OASIS YOUTH CENTRE

Salvation Army

Cnr Hely and Anzac Sts, Wyong

Po Box 57 Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 9799

Fax: (02) 4353 9550

Email: stuart.grice@aue.salvationarmy.org

Hour Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Support, information and recreational activities for 12-24 years including: Case management, AOD support, Court support, Anger management, Training (accredited and non-accredited), Sport and Rec centre (climbing wall, sports court, skatepark, games tables, computer games and more), Thoughtful Food & Clothing (second hand store), Regen and Genr8 (female and male school based programs), Work experience and School Holiday programs.

MUSICIANS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

1/342 Mann St Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4322 5350

Fax: (02) 8208 9846

Email: info@mmad.org.au

Web: www.mmad.org.au

Hours Open: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday by appointment

Service Description:

Musicians Making A Difference (MMAD) is a charity targeting chronically homelessness youth, young offenders and long-term unemployed youth. MMAD uses innovative music, dance and mentoring programs to address the emotional, social & physical needs of young people aged between 14 & 25.

JAMES MITCHELL CARE AND LEARNING CENTRE

Gosford City Council

51 Japonica Drive, Wyoming

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4324 1252

Fax: (02) 4325 2488

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 3:30pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.

KARIONG CHILD CARE CENTRE

Gosford City Council

46 Langford Dr, Kariong

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4340 1823

Fax: (02) 4340 4860

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:30am – 6:30pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children

MICHAEL BURNS CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Gosford City Council

4/20-22 Kincumber St, Kincumber

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4363 1707

Fax: (02) 4369 6283

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:00am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.

NIAGARA PARK CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Gosford City Council

209 Narara Valley Dr, Niagara Park

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4328 5485

Fax: (02) 4328 5002

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:00am – 5:30pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.



PAPAYLA CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Gosford City Council

6 Woodport Cl, Erina

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4367 6160

Fax: (02) 4367 6120

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:00am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.

TERRIGAL CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Gosford City Council

4 Duffy's Rd, Terrigal

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4385 1088

Fax: (02) 4385 3389

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:00am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.





UMINA CHILD CARE CENTRE

Gosford City Council

10 Australia Ave, Umina

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4342 3633

Fax: (02) 4344 5418

Web: http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/child_family

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:30am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Not for Profit service, Licensed and accredited long day care and occasional childcare. Higher than recommended staff ratios, welcoming and nurturing environments with established and well resourced facilities. Nutritious hot and cold meals with inclusive practices for the development of all children.

WYONG LITTLE LEARNERS CHILDCARE CENTRE

8a Amy Close, Wyong NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 4967

Fax: (02) 4353 0349

Web: www.wyonglittlelearners.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 7:00am – 6:00pm

NORTH WYONG WADALBA CHILDCARE CENTRE

27 Amsterdam Cres North Wyong NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4352 2005

Mobile: 0448 097 775

Web: www.northwyongchildcare.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 6:30am – 6:00pm

KIDS KORNER

CC1 Westfield Shoppingtown, Tuggerah NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 4545

Fax: (02) 4353 4548

Web: www.kidskorner.net.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 6:30am – 6:30pm

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Human Services

Charlestown CSC

309 Charlestown Rd, Charlestown

Po Box 585, Charlestown, NSW 2290

Phone: (02) 4385 1500

Fax: (02) 4385 1599

Gosford CSC

The Gateway Centre, 231-237 Mann S, Gosford

Po Box 1392, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4336 2400

Fax: (02) 4336 2429

Wyong CSC

9 Hely St, Wyong

Po Box 65, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4352 6500

Fax: (02) 4352 6599

KEEP THEM SAFE - GUIDES

Phone: 1800 772 479

Web: <http://sdm.community.nsw.gov.au/mrg/app/summary.page>

CHILD PROTECTION HOTLINE

Phone: 133 627 (Mandatory Reporters)

Phone: 132 111 (Public)



THE AFTERCARE RESOURCE CENTRE

Relationships Australia

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St, Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4322 3659

Mobile: 0423 029 961

Fax: (02) 4322 3659

Email: arc@ransw.org.au

Web: www.nsw.relationships.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8am – 4pm

Service Description:

The ARC provides support, information and resources to assist young people who have left or are about to leave out-of-home care. The support may be for housing, education, budgeting, parenting, or referral to other appropriate agencies as required. We can also help you to access our ward file and provide support you while you read it.

STAYING HOME LEAVING VIOLENCE

Centacare

53 Hely St, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4350 1730 and (02) 4350 1748

Mobile: 0448 888 972

Fax: (02) 4350 1701

Email: kim.mcintyre@dbb.org.au and diane.dunning@dbb.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Service Description:

To assist women with or without children to stay safely in their home or a home of their choice and have the violence leave. We assist through the Apprehended Violence Order process, court, safety plans/audits, assist with security, Domestic & Family Violence education, referrals, Family Law and case management.

PATHWAYS

Baptist Community Services

187 Pollock Ave, Wyong

Po Box 796, Wyong, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4351 2736

Fax: (02) 4353 5010

Mobile: 0418 415 488

Email: pathways@bcs.org.au or sgribble@bcs.org.au

Web: www.bcs.org.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 9:00am – 5:30pm

Service Description:

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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Gosford City Council

53-71 Mann St, Gosford

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 8351

Fax: (02) 4325 8870

Email: alison.amos@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8am – 5pm

Service Description:

Community Development is the process or effort of building community capacity on a local level with emphasis on forging and strengthening social ties, building economy, and developing the not for profit sector. Incorporating Childcare, Youth Services, Community Partnerships, Seniors Services, Heritage Services and Aboriginal Programs.

YOUTH SERVICES

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah

PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: maggie@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Youthconnections.com.au’s strategic goal is about “providing employment, education, training and recreational opportunities for young people to help them realise their full potential.”

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YOUTH ARTS WAREHOUSE

Regional Youth Support Service

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 2374

Fax: (02) 4323 3796

Email: administration@ryss.com.au

Web: www.youthartswarehouse.com.au

Hours Open: Various

Service Description:

The Youth Arts Warehouse is a contemporary leading-edge facility providing young people (12-24) with professional art programming which creates artistic, cultural and professional development opportunities for young and emerging artists on the Central Coast.



NORTH WYONG SHIRE YOUTH ARTS SERVICE

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

Old Primary School, Cnr Rankin Ct and Alison Rd, Wyong

PO Box 411 Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 1750

Fax: (02) 4352 1209

Mobile: 0488 129 222

Email: madalyn@wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au and
www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=376856397148

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

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CENTRAL COAST COMMUNITY COUNCIL

1 Bay Village Rd, Bateau Bay, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4333 4401

Fax: (02) 4333 4402

Email: admin@thecccc.or.au

Web: www.thecccc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 4:00pm

Service Description:

The CCCC provides advocacy and support to all community organisations on the Central Coast as the regional peak body. We work in partnership with local community organisations, NCOSS and ACOSS to ensure any gaps in community services are advocated at regional, state and national levels.

EARLY INTERVENTION AND ACTIVITIES CENTRE

Samaritans

10-12 Debra Anne Dr, Bateau Bay

Po Box 564, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4332 1411

Fax: (02) 4333 6044

Email: eiacc@samaritans.org.au

Web: www.samaritans.org.au

Hours Open: Various. Contact for details.

Service Description:

Drop in service for young people aged between 10 and 18. Provide information, referral, support and advocacy for young people within the community. EIA work throughout the Entrance, Bateau bay, Tumby Umbi and Berkley vale areas.



INTERRELATE FAMILY CENTRE

213 The Entrance Rd, Erina & 33A Alison Rd, Wyong

PO Box 3646, Erina, NSW, 2050

Phone: (02) 4363 8050

Fax: (02) 4363 8010

Web: www.interrelate.org.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am-6:00pm + after hours: Mon and Wed evenings till 9:00pm; Sat: 9:00am-1:00pm

Service Description:

Counselling for: Individuals, Couples, Families, Men, Carers of children with disability

Family Dispute Resolution: Assisting separated parents to develop child-focused parenting plans

Building Stronger Families: Case Managed holistic approach to supporting separated families

Group/Seminar programs on: Parenting, Post-Separation, Anger Management, Self-Esteem, Relationships

WYONG TAFE COUNSELLING AND CAREERS SERVICE

TAFE Hunter Institute

Wyong TAFE Campus, Block D, Porter St, Wyong

PO Box 486, Wyong, NSW, 2059

Phone: (02) 4350 2229

Fax: (02) 4350 2392

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am-4:30pm during school terms

Service Description:

To help students and prospective students access and make the best use of TAFE Courses.

Evening appointments available by arrangement.

GOSFORD TAFE COUNSELLING AND CAREERS SERVICE

TAFE Hunter Institute

Gosford TAFE Campus, Block F, Cnr Margin St and Henry Parry Drive, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4348 2248

Fax: (02) 4348 2248

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am-4:00pm during school terms

Service Description:

To help students and prospective students access and make the best use of TAFE Courses. Evening appointments available by arrangement.

YOUTH ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS COUNSELLOR

Web Youth Services

93 McMasters Rd, Woy Woy

Po Box 512, Woy Woy, NSW 2256

Phone: (02) 4342 7640

Mobile: 0450 956 105

Fax: (02) 4342 3914

Email: webyouthaod@bigpond.com

Web: www.pccinc.com.au

Hours Open: Tuesday: 2.30pm-5pm, Wednesday: 2.30pm-6pm, Friday: 2.30pm-8pm

Service Description:

The WEB is a 'drop-in' service for young people 12 to 18 years of age (year 7 and above).

The AOD counsellor can support & assist young people who may be experiencing concerns or issues relating to drugs and or alcohol. The counsellor also assists two local high schools and provides educational programs and activities to the schools and the Web Youth Service.

UNIFAM COUNSELLING AND MEDIATION

Level 2, 15 Watts St, Gosford 2250

Po Box 864, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 9666

Fax: (02) 4324 2903

Email: gosford@unifamcounselling.org or tgoldrick@unifamcounselling.org

Hours Open: Monday , Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 9-5, Tuesday 12-8

Service Description:

Counselling services for individual, family and relationships, gambling also a specialist service for children who parents are separated or divorces. Fees are sliding scale for adults and children eligible for SCASP free and gambling counselling is also a free service

ADOLESCENT AND FAMILY COUNSELLING

Youth for Christ (YFC) Central Coast

22 Adelaide St, Tumbi Umbi

Po Box 8101, Woy Woy, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4388 9593

Fax: (02) 4388 9596

Email: counselling_cc@yfc.org.au

Web: www.yfc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5pm

Service Description:

To provide individual and family counselling to young people aged 12-18 and their families who are experiencing difficulties in their living situation where the young person is at risk of leaving home. The service aims to prevent family breakdown by assisting young people and their families to improve communication and relationships between family members





BCS LIFECARE RELATIONSHIP SERVICES

102 Pacific Hwy, Tuggerah

Po Box 384, Tuggerah, NSW 2259

Phone: 1300 130 225 or (02) 4352 7900

Fax: (02) 4353 5638

Web: www.bcs.org.au/LifeCare/Counselling.aspx

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5pm, after hours by appointment

Service Description:

We provide individual, couple and family counselling as well as specialised services for families who have experienced Domestic Violence. We provide group programs and seminars aimed at supporting young people to work towards healthy, respectful relationships.

ChIPS (CHRONIC ILLNESS PEER SUPPORT)

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccaahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

ChIPS (Chronic Illness Peer Support) is a peer support program for young people aged 12-25 years living with a chronic illness or condition

For other information about Youth Health Service, see also Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Accommodation, Counselling, Drug & Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333



PARKSIDE

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

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ARC, Post School Options, ET Australia, The Smith Family, Regional Youth Support Services, Youth Arts Warehouse and BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre.

FEENIKS CAREER AND TRAINING SERVICES

123 Donnison St, Gosford (Appointment Only)

PO Box 395, Gosford, NSW 2250



Mobile: 0415 188 266

Email: n.szabo@comcen.com.au

Web: www.feeniks.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Feeniks is a licenced provider of the “Coaching Young People for Success Program”. This program includes - Life Coaching, Career Coaching and School Performance Coaching Sessions for individual young people or small groups. It includes proven strategies from coaching and positive psychology that assist young people find direction, overcome barriers and the emotional skills required to maximise their personal, school and career potential. Modules include “Steps for My Life Success”, “Steps for My School Success” & “My Life and Career Pathway Plan” or “School Performance Plan”. A complete range of Career Development services are also available. Feeniks is a Professional Member of the Career Development Association of Australia (CDAA).

COAST CARE COUNSELLING



A group of Personal Counsellors who provide counselling services in the Community and Neighbourhood Centre's on the Central Coast of NSW.

We provide both individual and couple counselling for relationship problems and are available for both day and evening appointments

Centres:

The Berkeley Centre

Cnr Berkeley Rd and Heather Ave Glenning Valley NSW 2261.

Phone: (02) 4388 5801

Chertsey Cottage

10 Willow Road, Springfield NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 7158

Kariong Neighbourhood Centre

10 Langford Dr, Kariong

Phone: (02) 4340 1724

Kincumber & District Neighbourhood Centre

20 Kincumber St, Kincumber

Phone: (02)4340 1724

Peninsula Community Centre

93 McMasters Rd, Woy Woy

Phone: 4341 9333

Peninsula Women's Health Centre

20a McMasters Rd, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4342 5905

Warnervale Family Community Centre

271 Warnervale Rd, Hamlyn Terrace

Phone: (02) 4392 8734

Woodbury Park Community Centre

Cnr Woodbury Park Ave and Woolmers Cres Mardi NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 9806

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

Cnr Alison Rd and Ranken Court Wyong NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 1750

LIFELINE CENTRAL COAST**Lifeline**

15 Cary St, Wyoming

PO Box 9094, Wyoming, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 6105

Fax: (02) 4324 2753

Email: ceocc@lifelinecentralcoastnsw.org

Web: www.lifeline.org.au/centralcoastnsw

Hours Open:

Service Description:

Our vision is to bring hope and understanding to those in need, so they can be empowered, and grow".

**BIALA COTTAGE CHILD AND ADOLESCENT SEXUAL ASSAULT COUNSELLING
NSCCAH**

Holden St Gosford (Gosford Hospital)

Po Box 361 Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4320 3175 or After Hours – (02) 4320 2111

Fax: (02) 4320 3133

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Counselling service for children and adults who have been sexually abused, and for their non-offending family members.



NORTHERN SYDNEY
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NSW HEALTH

COUNSELLING – YOUTH HEALTH SERVICE

NSCCAH

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccaahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Counselling service: provides counselling for young people 12 – 18 yrs of age for a range of health-related concerns, including drug and alcohol use. Access through the Worker on Duty at Youth Health. Group programs include:

- ChIPS (Chronic Illness Peer Support) for young people living with a chronic illness, and
- Rock & Water to improve anger management, in partnership with schools and youth programs

MUSICIANS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

1/342 Mann St Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4322 5350

Fax: (02) 8208 9846

Email: info@mmad.org.au

Web: www.mmad.org.au

Hours Open: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday by appointment

Service Description:

Musicians Making A Difference (MMAD) is a charity targeting chronically homelessness youth, young offenders and long-term unemployed youth. MMAD uses innovative music, dance and mentoring programs to address the emotional, social & physical needs of young people aged between 14 & 25.

CENTRAL COAST RESPITE AND CARELINK CENTRE NSCCAHS

*Shop 2 Ground Floor, Citigate Centre. 451 Pacific Highway, North Gosford NSW 2250
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW, 2250*

Phone: 1800 052 222

Fax: (02) 4304 0726

Email: carerrespite@nsccaahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.respiteoptionscc.com.au

Hours Open: 1800 052 222 - 24 hour Emergency hotline Shop front open – 8.30 – 4.30pm

Service Description:

Information, referral and respite for Carers of young people with a disability or mental health condition, and for young people in a caring role.

YOUTH SERVICES

Youth Connections

*Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah
PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259*

Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: maggie@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

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Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

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LIFE WITHOUT BARRIERS

Suite 1 Level 2, 86-88 Mann St, Gosford NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4343 8830

Fax: (02) 4322 5792

Email: gosforddisability@lwb.org.au

Web: www.lwb.org.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Flexible support options program offers a range of services including: Social Outings, Independent Living training, Sport and Recreation, Behaviour Intervention, Family support, Personal care and Equipment Hire. Support is for a limited time – usually 12 weeks.



YOUTH 2 WORK

Job centre Australia/Disability Employment Service

Offices at Gosford, Woy Woy and The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4322 5511

Fax: (02) 4322 5550

Mobile: 0408 961 922

Email: youth2work@jcal.com.au

Web: www.jobcentreaustralia.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Specialised career pathway assistance to all Central Coast years 10, 11 and 12 students who have an identified disability. Our service will involve working with young people who have left or who want to leave school and commence employment or be placed into suitable employment training to allow the completion of studies to gain the HSC.

CAMP BREAKAWAY INC

80 Highview Ave, San Remo

Phone: (02) 4390 7624

Fax: (02) 4399 1979

Email: info@breakaway.org.au

Web: www.breakaway.org.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

- Children and adults with physical disabilities
- Volunteers - we provide opportunities for volunteers to give back to the community in which they live, by participating at our camps.
- Our facilities can be hired during our non-camp periods

CENTRAL COAST DISABILITY NETWORK

29 Webb St, East Gosford



Phone: (02) 4324 2355

Fax: (02) 4324 3187

Email: info@ccdn.com.au

Web: www.ccdn.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

The Central Coast Disability Network (CCDN) is a registered charity and a not for profit organisation that has been providing support to people with a disability since 1979.

CCDN delivers several disability focussed programs and provides an information, referral and support role to people with disabilities, families, carers and service providers on the Central Coast of New South Wales. Membership of CCDN is open to all individuals, organisations and groups who support CCDN aims and objectives

CCDN is committed to, and practices social justice principles of rights, equity, access and participation. These principles are informed by the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights and the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Disabled Persons

CCDN's vision is for all people with disabilities to be fully included in the life of their communities

CCDN's philosophy is based on the belief that people with disabilities have the same rights and responsibilities as other members of society



GETTING IT TOGETHER PROGRAM

Wesley Mission

38 Gilda Ave, Narara

Also Co-located at: The Web Youth Service, Woy Woy, Headspace Gosford and San Remo Neighbourhood Centre

Phone: (02) 4328 1053

Mobile: 0427 403601

Fax: (02) 4328 4798

Email: gits@wesleymission.org.au or susan.higgins@wesleymission.org.au

Web: www.wesleymission.org

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

Outreach service for young people 12-18 with drug and alcohol issues. Holistic program dealing with the underlying issues that are impacting a young person's life and their Drug & Alcohol use, through case management, referrals, and brokerage assistance.

YOUTH ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS COUNSELLOR

Web Youth Services

93 McMasters Rd, Woy Woy

Po Box 512, Woy Woy, NSW 2256

Phone: (02) 4342 7640

Mobile: 0450 956 105

Fax: (02) 4342 3914

Email: webyouthaod@bigpond.com

Web: www.pccinc.com.au

Hours Open: Tuesday: 2.30pm-5pm, Wednesday: 2.30pm-6pm, Friday: 2.30pm-8pm

Service Description:

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PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

The Youth Health Service provides a range of health services for young people, 12 – 24 yrs of age, including Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Counselling (for 12 – 18 yrs olds), Worker on Duty, Youth Health (Nurse Practitioner) Clinic, Youth GP Clinics, and Youth Health Outreach Worker. Access is by contacting the Worker on Duty, arranging to see the Nurse Practitioner at Youth Health or dropping into a Youth GP Clinic (at Kincumber, Gravity [Lakehaven] and The Web [Woy Woy] youth centres).

Other services available at the Youth Health Service in Wyong include a Paediatrician (GP referral required) and Child & Adolescent Psychiatrist (GP referral preferred).

Youth Health is collocated with the Eating Disorders Service.

AL-ANON/ALATEEN FAMILY GROUPS

Po Box 217, Hamilton NSW 2303

Phone: (02) 4969 3889 or 1300 ALANON

Email: alanonnorthernsw@bigpond.com

Service Description:

AL-ANON'S purpose is to help families and friends of alcoholics recover from the effects of living with the problem drinking of someone close.

Similarly, Alateen is our recovery program for young people. Alateen groups are sponsored by Al-Anon members. Alateen provides support for teenagers affected by the problem drinking of a parent or other family member.

NEEDLE CLEAN UP HOTLINE

Phone: 1800 633 353 (Freecall)

Service Description:

If you are a person that uses needles or syringes, or if you have found needles or syringes in a public place, call to have safely removed.

COMMUNITY SHARPS EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Participating Central Coast Pharmacies

Phone: (02) 4325 8222 (Gosford Council) or (02) 4350 5555 (Wyang Council)

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au or www.wyang.nsw.gov.au

YOUTH CONNECTIONS PROGRAMME

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah
PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: lyn@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Support and assist young people (11-19 yrs) who have left school, or are thinking of leaving school, before completing Year 12 or a Certificate II level qualification to get back on track. We support their transition through school and from school to employment and further training through flexible and individual case management, youth outreach activities and alternate schooling options.

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

TAFE, Wyong Campus

Building N (First Floor) Porter St, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4350 2351 or 4350 2381 or 4350 2377 or 4350 2225

Email: melinda.flower@tafe.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Monday to Thursday 8:00am – 9:30pm and Friday 8:00am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Provide literacy, numeracy and computer assistance to support the personal, social, academic and employment goals of individuals.

Adult Basic Education offers full time and part time Certificate 1 courses and Statement of Attainment courses. In addition we may provide tutorial support to people who are enrolled in TAFE vocational courses.

LINKS TO LEARNING

Break Thru People Solutions

Gravity Youth Centre, Bannister Ave, Lake Haven

Phone: (02) 4392 6530

Fax: (02) 4393 1172

Email: belinda.moran@breakthru.org.au

Web: www.breakthru.org.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Helping early leavers program (HELP) participants are young people aged 15—24 years who have left school early (without the HSC), who are unemployed and who are facing significant barriers to entering either the workforce or further education. HELP program activities may vary from term to term according to demand and local needs.

Links to learning offers a range of accredited courses such as; Retail, Business, Hospitality, Horticulture - These courses will provide the skills and knowledge to work in the relevant industries.

Certificate II in General Education for Adults (CGEA), or Year 10 equivalent. This program caters for early school leavers who were unable to obtain their year 10 certificate. It allows them the opportunity to then move either into apprenticeships / traineeships or further study at TAFE.

Links to Learning is funded by the Department of Education & Training.

COMMUNITY SERVICES SECTION

Ourimbah TAFE

Ourimbah Campus, Enterprise Dr Ourimbah TAFE

PO Box 127, Ourimbah, NSW 2258

Phone: (02) 4348 4000

Fax: (02) 4348 4075

Email: helen.stein@tafensw.edu.au

Web: www.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 6:00pm

Service Description:

Provides professional training for those who are wanting to work in community services sector – community services, youth, non clinical mental health. Also provides commercial learning for workers employed in community services sector

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Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

*Old Primary School, Cnr Rankin Ct and Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 411 Wyong, NSW 2259*



Phone: (02) 4353 1750

Fax: (02) 4352 1209

Mobile: 0488 129 222

Email: madalyn@wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au and
www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=376856397148

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

NWSYAS implements, facilitates and advocates skills and professional based contemporary arts and culture projects, events, workshops and opportunities for young people (12-18yrs) living throughout Wyong Shire and the regions young emerging artists (18-25yrs), through employment, training and mentoring opportunities.

ET AUSTRALIA

*123 Donnison St, Gosford
PO Box 1296 Gosford, NSW 2250*



Phone: (02) 4323 1233

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: email@etaustralia.com

Web: www.etaustralia.com

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

ET Australia delivers a range of employment training and recruitment services for young people. Located in the Parkside Multi Service Youth Facility in the Gosford CBD, this vocational training college offers entry level training in Aged Care; Home & Community Care; Children's Services; Community Services; Business Services & Administration; Frontline Management; Disability Work; Retail Operations; Conservation & Land Management; Information Technology & Computers; Hospitality; Training and Assessment; Links to Learning Program; School to Work Transition; National Green Jobs Corps Program.



TUGGERAH LAKES COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Suite 16/1 Reliance Drive, Tuggerah NSW 2259

PO Box 5013, Chittaway Bay NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4353 0017

Fax: (02) 4353 5960

Email: info@tlcc.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.tlcc.nsw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Tuggerah Lakes Community College specialises in accredited training in Children's Services; Conservation and Land Management (including indigenous land management); Business Services, IT and Administration; Training and Assessment; Sustainability training; Literacy and Numeracy programs; and tailored short professional development and lifestyle courses.

PARKSIDE

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

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ARC, Post School Options, ET Australia, The Smith Family, Regional Youth Support Services, Youth Arts Warehouse and BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre.

TAFE NSW**Wyong Campus**

Porter St, Wyong

Po Box 486, Wyong NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4350 2222

Fax: (02) 4350 2247

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au/campuses/wyong/Pages/WyongCampus.aspx

Hours Open: Various

TAFE NSW**Gosford Campus**

Cnr Henry Parry Dr and Margin St, Gosford

Po Box 486, Wyong NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4348 2222

Fax: (02) 4348 2359

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au/campuses/gosford/Pages/GosfordCampus.aspx

Hours Open: Various

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Email: belinda.moran@breakthru.org.au

Web: www.breakthru.org.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Helping early leavers program (HELP) participants are young people aged 15—24 years who have left school early (without the HSC), who are unemployed and who are facing significant barriers to entering either the workforce or further education. HELP program activities may vary from term to term according to demand and local needs.

Links to learning offers a range of accredited courses such as; Retail, Business, Hospitality, Horticulture - These courses will provide the skills and knowledge to work in the relevant industries.

Certificate II in General Education for Adults (CGEA), or Year 10 equivalent. This program caters for early school leavers who were unable to obtain their year 10 certificate. It allows them the opportunity to then move either into apprenticeships / traineeships or further study at TAFE.

Links to Learning is funded by the Department of Education & Training.

WYONG TAFE COUNSELLING AND CAREERS SERVICE

TAFE Hunter Institute

Wyong TAFE Campus, Block D, Porter St, Wyong

PO Box 486, Wyong, NSW, 2059

Phone: (02) 4350 2229

Fax: (02) 4350 2392

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am-4:30pm during school terms

Service Description:

To help students and prospective students access and make the best use of TAFE Courses. Evening appointments available by arrangement.

PARKSIDE

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Parkside is Multi Service Youth Service Centre, initiated by Regional Youth Support Services Inc and Employment Training (ET Australia). At present, Parkside houses 5 independent Youth Services.

ARC, Post School Options, ET Australia, The Smith Family, Regional Youth Support Services, Youth Arts Warehouse and BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre.

BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre. Provides Information to employers, apprentices and trainees and any other interested people. ET Australia, An Employment, Training and Recruitment Agency with a range of services for young people.

HAND BRAKE TURN

Concern Australia

10 Dignity Cres, West Gosford



Phone: (02) 4323 6309

Fax: (02) 4323 6389

Email: hbt.cc@concernaustralia.org.au

Web: www.concernaustralia.org.au/handbraketurn

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9am – 3pm

Service Description:

Accredited and Registered Training program in Certificate I Automotive, (Certificate II from 2011), for young people from age 15 yrs; providing 'hands-on' training in Motor Mechanics, Spray Painting, Panel Beating, OH&S, and car detailing. In addition to automotive training, HBT seeks to develop self-confidence, self-worth and enhance interpersonal and literacy skills, interview and job management training and motivation, communication skills and goal setting.

GOSFORD TAFE COUNSELLING AND CAREERS SERVICE

TAFE Hunter Institute

Gosford TAFE Campus, Block F, Cnr Margin St and Henry Parry Drive, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4348 2248

Fax: (02) 4348 2248

Web: www.hunter.tafensw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am-4:00pm during school terms

Service Description:

To help students and prospective students access and make the best use of TAFE Courses. Evening appointments available by arrangement.

YC INDUSTRY LINK

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah

PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: maggie@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Youthconnections.com.au's strategic goal is about "providing employment, education, training and recreational opportunities for young people to help them realise their full potential."

We touch the lives of over 6000 young people annually; work with a database of 1200 local employers to place youth in work placement for their HSC or entry level positions; operate from every high schools and TAFE campus on the Central Coast; have a commitment to work with our most vulnerable and disenfranchised youth, Aboriginal and disability and have developed programs, services and resources to ensure these young people are not left behind.





NORTH WYONG SHIRE YOUTH ARTS SERVICE

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

*Old Primary School, Cnr Rankin Ct and Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 411 Wyong, NSW 2259*

Phone: (02) 4353 1750

Fax: (02) 4352 1209

Mobile: 0488 129 222

Email: madalyn@wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au and
www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=376856397148

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

NWSYAS implements, facilitates and advocates skills and professional based contemporary arts and culture projects, events, workshops and opportunities for young people (12-18yrs) living throughout Wyong Shire and the regions young emerging artists (18-25yrs), through employment, training and mentoring opportunities.

JOB SERVICES AUSTRALIA

Job Find Centre Toukley

225B Main Rd, Toukley, NSW 2263



Phone: (02) 4301 8319

Fax: (02) 4396 8927

Email: jobfind_toukley@jobfindcentre.com.au

Web: www.jobfindcentre.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Jobfind delivers Job Services Australia programs to job seekers across Australia. Jobfind assists jobseekers with finding meaningful and sustainable employment and assists with identifying additional skills and training that they may require.

AUSTRALIAN BUSINESS LTD APPRENTICESHIPS CENTRE (ABLAC)

Unit 3, 19 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, NSW 2259



Phone: 1300 652 236

Fax: 1300 650 755

Web: www.ablac.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Australian Apprenticeships and Traineeship service provider. ABL AC provides advice and assistance to employers of apprentices and trainees, by completing all the paperwork and processing Government incentives that may apply. ABL AC also assists those seeking an apprenticeship and traineeship. With over 12 years experience in providing this service, ABL AC is the most experienced provider of this service in NSW.

JOB SERVICES AUSTRALIA Job Find Centre Gosford

Ground Floor, 5 Watt St, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4301 3800

Fax: (02) 4301 3899

Email: jobfind_gosford@jobfindcentre.com.au

Web: www.jobfindcentre.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Jobfind Centre's friendly, experienced consultants and mentors are focused on your individual needs including accessing an extensive range of online training programs which you can complete in our centres, at home or on the job. Jobfind can also assist you prepare a resume and cover letter and coach you through the recruitment process by improving her confidence and interview skills.

ET AUSTRALIA

123 Donnison St, Gosford
PO Box 1296 Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1233

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: email@etaustralia.com

Web: www.etaustralia.com

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

ET Australia delivers a range of employment training and recruitment services for young people. Located in the Parkside Multi Service Youth Facility in the Gosford CBD, this vocational training college offers entry level training in Aged Care; Home & Community Care; Children's Services; Community Services; Business Services & Administration; Frontline Management; Disability Work; Retail Operations; Conservation & Land Management; Information Technology & Computers; Hospitality; Training and Assessment; Links to Learning Program; School to Work Transition; National Green Jobs Corps Program.

JOB FIND Centre

Job Find Centre Ettalong

283 Ocean View Rd, Ettalong. NSW 2257

Phone: (02) 4343 3100

Fax: (02) 4343 3199

Email: jobfind_ettalong@jobfindcentre.com.au

Web: www.jobfindcentre.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Established in 1998, Jobfind Centres Australia is a leading Job Services Australia provider with an impressive track record of filling over 330,000 vacancies for employers around Australia. We have an extensive network of Centres that focus on the needs of local businesses while also tapping into the range of services we offer nationally.



YOUTH 2 WORK

Job centre Australia/Disability Employment Service

Offices at Gosford, Woy Woy and The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4322 5511

Fax: (02) 4322 5550

Mobile: 0408 961 922

Email: youth2work@jcal.com.au

Web: www.jobcentreaustralia.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Specialised career pathway assistance to all Central Coast years 10, 11 and 12 students who have an identified disability. Our service will involve working with young people who have left or who want to leave school and commence employment or be placed into suitable employment training to allow the completion of studies to gain the HSC.

FEENIKS CAREER AND TRAINING SERVICES

123 Donnison St, Gosford (Appointment Only)

PO Box 395, Gosford, NSW 2250



Mobile: 0415 188 266

Email: n.szabo@comcen.com.au

Web: www.feeniks.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Feeniks is a licenced provider of the “Coaching Young People for Success Program”. This program includes - Life Coaching, Career Coaching and School Performance Coaching Sessions for individual young people or small groups. It includes proven strategies from coaching and positive psychology that assist young people find direction, overcome barriers and the emotional skills required to maximise their personal, school and career potential. Modules include “Steps for My Life Success”, “Steps for My School Success” & “My Life and Career Pathway Plan” or “School Performance Plan”. A complete range of Career Development services are also available. Feeniks is a Professional Member of the Career Development Association of Australia (CDAA).

APPRENTICESHIPS AND TRAINEESHIPS

MEGTAAC

Unit 5, Small Business Incubator, Central Coast Campus Ourimbah

PO Box 199, Ourimbah, NSW 2258

Phone: (02) 4362 4111

Fax: (02) 4365 4199

Email: cassie_coddington@megt.com.au

Web: www.megt.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:40am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Apprenticeships, Traineeships, Employment and Training

MIGAS CENTRAL COAST

Wyong TAFE Admin Building, 1 Porter St, Wyong

PO Box 73, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 4500

Fax: (02) 4351 4600

Email: enquiries.cc@migas.com.au

Web: www.migas.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Apprenticeships and Traineeships with local host companies.



CENTRAL COAST GROUP TRAINING

Zenith Building, Tuggerah Business Park 6/6 Reliance Dr Tuggerah

PO Box 3100, Tuggerah, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 2655

Fax: (02) 4353 4647

Email: jobs@ccgt.com.au

Web: www.ccggt.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

CCGT is the Central Coast's leading employer of apprentices and trainees and with almost 30 years of experience, have developed a large network of experienced employers waiting to host an apprentice or trainee today!

By subscribing to "Job Alerts" CCGT will email and/or SMS you details of EVERY vacancy we receive, together with details on how to apply, to make sure you never miss an employment opportunity! Additionally, all our vacancies are posted on Facebook and Twitter to keep you in the know.

We want to see you succeed and will make every effort to help you prepare your application, from writing a resume to presenting at an interview we are there to help.

CCGT takes care of the administration, training and legal requirements, and our Host Employers provide a work environment in which an Apprentice or Trainee can learn and become skilled in their chosen career.

MUSICIANS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

1/342 Mann St Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4322 5350

Fax: (02) 8208 9846

Email: info@mmad.org.au

Web: www.mmad.org.au

Hours Open: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday by appointment

Service Description:

Musicians Making A Difference (MMAD) is a charity targeting chronically homelessness youth, young offenders and long-term unemployed youth. MMAD uses innovative music, dance and mentoring programs to address the emotional, social & physical needs of young people aged between 14 & 25.



THE HUB YOUTH ENTERTAINMENT VENUE

Gosford City Council Youth Services

North South Head Rd, Erina Fair, Erina

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4304 7104

Mobile: 0400 162 505

Fax: (02) 4365 6715

Email: steve.knee@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.thehuberina.com

Hours Open: See the Hub's ever-evolving program of activities & events at www.thehuberina.com

Service Description:

The Hub aims to provide a variety of structured programs, entertainment, activities, information and referral services for local youth. Our programmed activities promote positive development for young people within the safe and supportive environment of our venue.

LAYCOCK ST THEATRE AND PENINSULA THEATRE

Gosford City Council

Laycock St, Wyoming and Cnr McMasters Beach Rd and Ocean Beach Rd, Woy Woy

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 7299

Email: laycock.theatre@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.laycockstreettheatre.com/whats_on.html

Hours Open: Office 8.30am to 5:00pm and Box Office 10:00am to 5:00pm

Service Description:

Producers of Youth in Performing Arts, a performance opportunity for youth with outstanding talent.

Presenters of theatre specifically for youth, as well as for the general public



YOUTH ARTS WAREHOUSE

Regional Youth Support Service

*Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford
Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250*

Phone: (02) 4323 2374

Fax: (02) 4323 3796

Email: administration@ryss.com.au

Web: www.youthartswarehouse.com.au

Hours Open: Various

Service Description:

The Youth Arts Warehouse is a contemporary leading-edge facility providing young people (12-24) with professional art programming which creates artistic, cultural and professional development opportunities for young and emerging artists on the Central Coast.



NORTH WYONG SHIRE YOUTH ARTS SERVICE

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

*Old Primary School, Cnr Rankin Ct and Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 411 Wyong, NSW 2259*

Phone: (02) 4353 1750

Fax: (02) 4352 1209

Mobile: 0488 129 222

Email: madalyn@wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au and
www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=376856397148

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

NWSYAS implements, facilitates and advocates skills and professional based contemporary arts and culture projects, events, workshops and opportunities for young people (12-18yrs) living throughout Wyong Shire and the regions young emerging artists (18-25yrs), through employment, training and mentoring opportunities.



Interbowl Bateau Bay

470a The Entrance Rd, Bateau Bay

Phone: (02) 4332 9999

Web: www.bateaubay.interbowl.com.au

Interbowl Gosford

Brooks Ave, Wyoming

Phone: (02) 4328 3133

Web: www.gosford.interbowl.com.au

Greater Union Cinemas – Tuggerah

Westfield Shopping Centre, Cobbs Rd Tuggerah

Phone: (02) 4353 4181

Web: www.eventcinemas.com.au

SLAM Factory

93 Gavenlock Rd, Tuggerah

Phone: (02) 4355 1557

Web: www.slamfactory.com.au

Majestic Cinemas - The Entrance

54 The Entrance Rd, The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4332 6566

Web: www.majesticcinemas.com.au

The Entrance Ocean Baths

Ocean Parade, The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4333 3711

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/wyongshire/swimming_pools.html

Wyong Olympic Pool

Ithome St, Wyong

Phone: (02) 4352 1043

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/wyongshire/swimming_pools.html

Toukley Indoor Pool

Heador St, Toukley

Phone: (02) 4396 5373

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/wyongshire/swimming_pools.html

Gosford Pool

42 Masons Parade, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4325 1869

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/leisure_centres/gosford_pool

Peninsula Leisure Centre

243 Blackwall Rd, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4325 8123

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/leisure_centres/plc-main

Hoyts Erina

Erina Fair Shopping Centre

Phone: (02) 4367 7887

Web: www.hoyts.com.au/Cinemas/locations/Erina.aspx?type

Erina Ice Arena

Erina Fair Shopping Centre

Phone: (02) 4367 8244

Web: www.erinaiarena.com.au

Westfield Tuggerah

Cobbs Rd, Tuggerah

Phone: (02) 4305 5350

Web: www.westfield.com.au/tuggerah

Erina Fair Shopping Centre

Terrigal Dr, Erina

Phone: (02) 4367 7655

Web: www.erinafair.com.au



RECONNECTING ADOLESCENT PARENT TEAM

Burnside

Level 2, 15 Watt St, Gosford

PO Box 2061, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: 1800 067 967 (Intake) or (02) 4325 9600 (Gosford Office)

Fax: (02) 4324 3588

Web: www.burnside.org

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

RAPT works with Young People and their parents/and or other family members when there is conflict in the relationship and as a result of that conflict the Young person is at risk of becoming homeless or is already homeless. RAPT is a Voluntary program and works with young people aged 12 – 24 living on the central Coast. RAPT provides an outreach service and offers practical and personal support to young people and their family members in strengthening relationships.

ADOLESCENT AND FAMILY COUNSELLING

Youth for Christ (YFC) Central Coast

22 Adelaide St, Tumby Umbi

Po Box 8101, Woy Woy, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4388 9593

Fax: (02) 4388 9596

Email: counselling_cc@yfc.org.au

Web: www.yfc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5pm

Service Description:

To provide individual and family counselling to young people aged 12-18 and their families who are experiencing difficulties in their living situation where the young person is at risk of leaving home. The service aims to prevent family breakdown by assisting young people and their families to improve communication and relationships between family members



NEW STEPS HOME VISITING

Uniting Care Burnside

Level 2, 15 Watt St, Gosford

PO Box 2061, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 9600

Fax: (02) 4324 3588

Email: rrichardson@burnside.org.au

Web: www.burnside.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

A free service for parents with children aged 0 – 2 who are living on the Central Coast. The service offers parents support through pregnancy and those early childhood years. The young parent case worker can provide support, advocacy and information to parents aged up to 24 years.

All referrals are to be directed to the Central Intake line which is 1800 067 967

GENERATION QUEER (GENQ)

Regional Youth Support Services

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4323 2374

Fax: (02) 4323 3796

Email: genq@ryss.com.au

Web: www.ryss.com.au

Hours Open: Every Second and Fourth Thursday of the month 3pm – 5.30pm

Service Description:

GenQ is one of the longest running programs that Regional Youth Support Services inc has provided over its 23 years of working for the young people of the Central Coast. They provide a safe and supervised place where young people who may identify as Gay, Lesbian, Bi, Trans*, Queer or Questioning their sexuality can go to meet other same minded young people and get the information, support and resources they need to keep safe and have fun.

YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: cyhs@nscchs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Youth Health Outreach Worker: provides homeless and at-risk young people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to improve access to health services for homeless and at-risk young people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to homeless and at-risk young people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Youth Health Outreach Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

PFLAG (Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays)

Newcastle Group

Phone: (02) 4977 3271

Email: contact@newcoastmcc.org.au

Web: www.pflagaustralia.org.au

Service Description:

PFLAG stands for Parents and Friends of Lesbians And Gays. We are a non-profit voluntary organisation whose members have a common goal of keeping families together. PFLAG is here to give help, support and information to families, friends of all gay people.

LINKS YOUTH SERVICE

San Remo Neighbourhood Centre

Brava Ave, San Remo (Opposite Northlakes High)

28 Brava Ave, San Remo, NSW 2262

Phone: (02) 4390 7888

Fax: (02) 4399 2398

Email: links@sanremo.org.au or jillian@sanremo.org.au

Hours Open:

Youth Cabin – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Youth Centers – San Remo, Gwandalan and Blue Haven

Hours – flexible delivery

Service Description:

Provide Information, Support and Referral in the Youth Cabin

Youth centres at San Remo, Blue Haven and Gwandalan

Community projects in the Northern Wyong shire

Gen Q program social, support group for questioning and same sex attracted young people

LINKS Youth Service aims to provide a fun and safe non threatening environment for young people aged 11 - 18 years to make social connections, participate in sport and recreational activities, and cater to the changing needs and demands of young people in the north of the Wyong Shire from Wadalba to Summerland Point within an assets based community development framework. LINKS Youth Services aims to provide best practice youth service provision to all young people inclusive of young people who are Aboriginal and Torres Straight Islander, Culturally and Linguistically Diverse, and Disabled or otherwise marginalised.



GAY AND LESBIAN YOUTH AND FAMILY SUPPORT

Twenty 10

45 Bedford St, Newtown

Po Box 553, Newtown, NSW 2042

Phone: 1800 652 010

Email: info@twenty10.org.au

Web: www.twenty10.org.au

Hours Open:

Service Description:

Looking for somewhere to feel safe to be yourself? If you are under the age of 26 and identify as gay, lesbian bisexual, queer or transgender or are same-sex attracted, gender diverse or intersex, Twenty10 can help you access the support you may need.

SEXUAL HEALTH CLINIC

69 Holden St, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4320 2114

Fax: (02) 4320 2020

Hours Open: Phone for Details

Service Description:

Testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections. The Clinic will see anyone presenting with symptoms or who has been exposed to sexually transmitted infections.

Counselling is Available

Guys Clinic available on Thursdays

ycentral

The Gateway Building, Suite 1, Level 2/237 Mann St, Gosford 2250



Phone: (02) 4304 7878

Fax: (02) 4304 7800

Web: www.ycentral.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Service Description:

A co-located one stop shop for young people 12-24 years. It provides youth specific and youth friendly services for young people and their families to deal with different problems. Workers from Children and Young People's Mental health Services, Allied Health, Housing and Vocational and Education Services are available at different times to provide support for young people. Staff include GP's, psychologist, social workers, nurses, education and employment specialist and youth friendly reception staff.

ABORIGINAL YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: cyyhs@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Aboriginal Youth Health Worker: provides young Aboriginal people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to access young Aboriginal people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to young Aboriginal people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about the Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, CHIPS, Counselling, Drug and Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333





NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

ChIPS (CHRONIC ILLNESS PEER SUPPORT)

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccaahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

ChIPS (Chronic Illness Peer Support) is a peer support program for young people aged 12-25 years living with a chronic illness or condition

For other information about Youth Health Service, see also Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Accommodation, Counselling, Drug & Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333



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YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccaahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Youth Health Outreach Worker: provides homeless and at-risk young people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to improve access to health services for homeless and at-risk young people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to homeless and at-risk young people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Youth Health Outreach Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

SEXUAL HEALTH CLINIC

69 Holden St, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4320 2114

Fax: (02) 4320 2020

Hours Open: Phone for Details

Service Description:

Testing and treatment for sexually transmitted infections. The Clinic will see anyone presenting with symptoms or who has been exposed to sexually transmitted infections.

Counselling is Available

Guys Clinic available on Thursdays

ELEANOR DUNCAN ABORIGINAL HEALTH CENTRE

Yerin Aboriginal Health Services

37 Alison Rd Wyong

Phone: (02) 4351 4637

Email: cathiesinclair@yerin.org.au

Web: www.yerin.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

All health services available



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

YOUTH HEALTH CLINICS

NSCCAHS

Kincumber Youth Centre, Gravity Youth Centre and The Web Youth Centre

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nscchahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Various, see below

Service Description:

DROP-IN, NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

- Wednesdays, 2 – 5 pm (*Not in School Holidays*), 'Gravity' Youth Centre, Lakehaven, Off Bannister Drive (near sports complex & Lakehaven Shopping Centre)
- Wednesdays, 3 – 5 pm (*Not in School Holidays*), Kincumber Youth Centre, Unit 2B/20 Kincumber Street (behind Kincumber Shopping Centre)
- Fridays, 4 – 8 pm (*Not in School Holidays*), 'The Web' Youth Centre, Woy Woy, Corner McMasters Road and Ocean Beach Road, Woy Woy

Youth GP Clinics: Youth Health nurses work with doctors (General Practitioners) to provide health care at no cost to young people in youth centres, on a broad range of health concerns.



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

WORKER ON DUTY – YOUTH HEALTH SERVICE

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nscchahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

The Worker on Duty at Youth Health provides health information a range of health issues and referral for young people, 12 – 24 yrs of age.

THE AFTERCARE RESOURCE CENTRE



Relationships Australia

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St, Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4322 3659

Mobile: 0423 029 961

Fax: (02) 4322 3659

Email: arc@ransw.org.au

Web: www.nsw.relationships.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8am – 4pm

Service Description:

The ARC provides support, information and resources to assist young people who have left or are about to leave out-of-home care. The support may be for housing, education, budgeting, parenting, or referral to other appropriate agencies as required. We can also help you to access our ward file and provide support you while you read it.

KOORI CONNECT

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah

PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Mobile: 0429 210 024

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: denise@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Koori Connect has 3 Aboriginal Staff – Youth Worker, Aboriginal Culture & Heritage Advisor and Manager.

Our role in Koori Connect is to:

1. Work with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander youth who are disengaging from school or who have already disengaged;
2. Deliver Cultural Awareness to Internal staff and students entering the workforce;
3. Provide Art & Cultural Presentations/Workshops to schools & community;
4. Provide Outreach service to community



HAND BRAKE TURN

Concern Australia

10 Dignity Cres, West Gosford

Phone: (02) 4323 6309

Fax: (02) 4323 6389

Email: hbt.cc@concernaustralia.org.au

Web: www.concernaustralia.org.au/handbraketurn

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9am – 3pm

Service Description:

Accredited and Registered Training program in Certificate I Automotive, (Certificate II from 2011), for young people from age 15 yrs; providing 'hands-on' training in Motor Mechanics, Spray Painting, Panel Beating, OH&S, and car detailing. In addition to automotive training, HBT seeks to develop self-confidence, self-worth and enhance interpersonal and literacy skills, interview and job management training and motivation, communication skills and goal setting.

NUNYARA ABORIGINAL HEALTH UNIT CONNECT

NSCCAHS

81 Holden St, Gosford

PO Box 361, Gosford , NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4320 2698

Fax: (02) 4320 2695

Email: lbellear@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Provides a service for the Aboriginal Community and liaison between service providers and community members. Our major goal is to liaise, educate and inform and assist the Aboriginal Community in accessing Central Coast Health and the services available in the community. Our Hospital Liaison Officer's role is to act as an advocate and support person for Aboriginal patients within the health system. Our team represents NSCCAHS on state-wide committees, providing leadership and guidance, advocating for Aboriginal Health improvement, Aboriginal Health policy and its implementation. The Chronic Care Team work to improve the health outcomes of Aboriginal people with or at risk of cardiovascular disease through improved access to and co-ordination of services and improved quality of care.



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

ABORIGINAL YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Aboriginal Youth Health Worker: provides young Aboriginal people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to access young Aboriginal people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to young Aboriginal people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about the Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, ChIPS, Counselling, Drug and Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

S.A.A.P YOUTH PROGRAM

Bungaree Aboriginal Association

48 Victoria Ave, Toukley

Po Box 422 Toukley, NSW 2263

Phone: (02) 4397 7700

Fax: (02) 4397 3385

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Provision of information and advice, advocacy, assistance with help line and referrals, counselling, mediation, legal advice, assistance to access services, mentoring and support.





DARKINJUNG LAND COUNCIL

168 Pacific Highway, Watanobbi

Po Box 401 Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 2930

Fax: (02) 4351 2946

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

“Create, maintain and celebrate a culturally affirming, socially strong and healthy community, through maintaining and promoting cultural practices and protocols”

“To develop a sustainable business that builds and strengthens the community through the development of partnerships that inspires and respect Aboriginal traditions and cultural values”

ELEANOR DUNCAN ABORIGINAL HEALTH CENTRE

Yerin Aboriginal Health Services

37 Alison Rd Wyong

Phone: (02) 4351 4637

Email: cathiesinclair@yerin.org.au

Web: www.yerin.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

All health services available

JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMUNITY SERVICES

Human Services

*Level 1, 15 Watt St, Gosford
PO Box 1927, Gosford, NSW 2250*

Phone: (02) 4325 6800

Fax: (02) 4323 4441

Web: www.djj.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

Juvenile Justice Community Services provides supervision and support to young offenders who are made subject to Court Orders. This service also administers Youth Justice Conferences for young offenders referred by either police or the Children's Court. Referrals can only be made by Police or Court.

CHILDREN'S COURT ASSISTANCE SCHEME

*31 Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 246, Wyong, NSW 2259*

Phone: (02) 4353 0111

Mobile: 0413 534 911

Fax: (02) 4353 4680

Email: centralcoast_ccas@clc.net.au

Web: www.centralcoastclc.org.au

Hours Open: Mon, Tues, and Fri: 9am – 2pm at Court and Thurs 9am – 1pm in Office

Service Description:

To provide court support including information, practical and emotional support, advocacy and referrals to young people and their families appearing before the magistrate in the children's court. We operate from Woy Woy children's court Mondays and Fridays and Wyong Children's Court on Tuesdays.

CENTRAL COAST COMMUNITY LEGAL CENTRE

31 Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 246, Wyong, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4353 4988

Fax: (02) 4353 4680

Email: admin_cclc@clc.net.au

Web: www.centralcoastclc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Central Coast Community Legal Centre is a non-profit community based legal service providing free assistance to individuals and non-profit groups who live or work on the Central Coast.

As well, we provide Community Legal Education, Law Reform and Systemic Advocacy, Homeless Outreach Legal Services, Children's Court Assistance Scheme, Co-operative Legal Service Delivery Program and Justice of the Peace services.

OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING

Level 2, Gateway Centre, 237 Mann St, Gosford
Po Box 1019, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4320 0600

Fax: (02) 4320 0602

Web: www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

As the consumer protection agency in NSW, the Office of Fair Trading works to assist customers in resolving a wide range of issues. Consumer advice, complaint and dispute resolution, Tenancy Information, Rental Bonds, REVS, Credit advice and assistance, Shopping (Refunds and Repairs), Trade Measurement and Product safety, Strata/Residential Parks/Retirement Villages, Business Name Registration, Business Licence Information Service.

WOY WOY CHILDREN'S COURT

Woy Woy Courthouse 78-80 Blackwall Rd, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4344 0111

Fax: (02) 4344 4831

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 9am-1pm and 2pm-4pm

Service Description:

Chamber Registrar service available by appointment 4-5 days per week. Call office to arrange appointment. Each Monday from Central Coast Youth Court Support based at Central Coast Legal Centre Wyong on 43530111 co-ordinator David McDonald.

WYONG CHILDREN'S COURT

Wyong Court House Cnr Hely St and Anzac Ave, Wyong

Phone: (02) 4350 3010

Fax: (02) 4350 3050

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 9am-4pm

Service Description:

Chamber Registrar service available by appointment 4-5 days per week. Call office to arrange appointment. Each Tuesday from Central Coast Youth Court Support based at Central Coast Legal Centre Wyong. Salvation Army provides refreshments on Local and Children's Court sitting days Salvation Army Chaplaincy service available at Wyong Court

FRANK BAXTER JUVENILE JUSTICE CENTRE

Juvenile Justice

Pacific Hwy, Kariong (Off The Avenue)

Phone: (02) 4340 3800 or (02) 4340 3888 (visitation bookings)

Fax: (02) 4340 3862

Hours Open: Visiting times - Wed: 2:30pm to 5pm; Sat and Sun: 9am - 11am, 2.30pm - 5pm

Service Description:

Frank Baxter Juvenile Justice Centre is the largest juvenile justice centre in the state with a capacity for 120 young people and is located at Kariong near Gosford. The centre was opened in October 1999 and accommodates males aged 16 to 21 years, mostly on control orders. The centre offers a range of health, educational and spiritual services to the young people, including individual case management, specialised counselling, and training in job and living skills.

LEGAL AID – GOSFORD

Level 2, 37 William Street, Gosford 2250

Phone: (02) 4324 5611

Fax: (02) 4324 3503

Web: www.legalaid.nsw.gov.au

Service Description:

We assist socially and economically disadvantaged people to understand and protect their rights. One of the functions of the legal system is to safeguard people's rights. The legal system can only perform this protective role if people have equitable access to it.

PROBATION AND PAROLE SERVICE

Corrective Services

125 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1024 Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4324 3744

Fax: (02) 4323 2913

Service Description:

Supervision of adult offenders and provision of a number of programmes (drug and alcohol and personal development) to offenders on probation, parole or community service orders.

BATEAU BAY LIBRARY
Wyong Shire Council

Bay Village Shopping Centre , The Entrance Road , Bateau Bay



Phone: (02) 4332 3243

Fax: (02) 4334 4294

Info:

Monday - Friday, 9am - 5.30pm , Saturday, 9am - 3pm

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/libraries/libraries_home.html

BOOK EXPRESS

Gosford City Council Library Services

Woy Woy and Gosford Train Stations



Info:

Woy Woy Station – Tuesday and Thursdays 5am – 8:30am

Gosford Station – Wednesday and Friday 5am – 8:30am

BOOK MOBILE

Gosford City Council Library Services

Nursing Homes and selected community spaces



Info:

See website for timetable information

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/mobile.html

ERINA LIBRARY

Gosford City Council Library Services

The Hive, Erina Fair

Phone: (02) 4365 6725

Fax: (02) 4365 6724

Info:

Monday to Wednesday - 9.30am - 5pm, Thursday - 9.30am - 7pm, Friday - 9.30am - 5pm

Saturday - 9.30am - 4pm, Sunday - 12pm - 3pm

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/erina.html



GOSFORD LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services

118 Donnison St, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4304 7500

Fax: (02) 4323 7086

Info:

Monday to Friday: 9.30am - 5pm, Saturday: 9.30am - 12.30pm

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/gosford.html



KARIONG LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services

Cnr Curringa Road & Arunta Ave, Kariong

Phone: (02) 4325 8155

Fax: (02) 4340 1749

Info:

Tuesday to Friday: 9.30am - 5.00pm, Saturday: 9.30am - 2.30pm

NB: This branch closes for lunch each weekday between 1pm and 2pm.

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/kariong.html



KINCUMBER LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services

3 Bungoona Road, Kincumber

Phone: (02) 4304 7641

Fax: (02) 4363 2816

Info:

Monday to Friday: 9.30am - 5.00pm

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/kincumber.html



LAKE HAVEN LIBRARY
Wyong Shire Council

Lake Haven Shopping Centre, Goobarabah Ave, Lake Haven

Phone: (02) 4392 7843

Fax: (02) 4393 2492

Info:

Monday - Friday, 9am - 5.30pm, Saturday, 9am - 3pm, Sunday, 10am - 2pm

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/libraries/libraries_home.html





NIAGARA PARK LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services
Washington Avenue, Niagara Park

Phone: (02) 4304 7335
Fax: (02) 4329 2646
Info:
Monday, Wednesday to Friday: 9.30am - 5pm
Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/niagara.html



THE ENTRANCE LIBRARY
Wyong Shire Council
211a The Entrance Road, The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4332 2256
Fax: (02) 4334 4306
Info:
Library and Council services: Monday - Friday, 9.30am - 4.30pm
Library services: Saturday, 9am - 12 noon
Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/libraries/libraries_home.html



TOUKLEY LIBRARY
Wyong Shire Council
Victoria Avenue, Toukley

Phone: (02) 4396 4247
Fax: (02) 4397 2154
Info:
Monday - Friday, 9am - 4.30pm, Saturday 9am - 12noon
Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/libraries/libraries_home.html



TUGGERAH LIBRARY
Wyong Shire Council
Westfield Shopping Centre, Cobbs Road, Tuggerah

Phone: (02) 4350 1560
Fax: (02) 4353 5670
Info:
Monday - Friday, 9am - 5.30pm, Saturday, 9am - 3pm
Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au/libraries/libraries_home.html

UMINA BEACH LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services
Cnr West St & Bullion St, Umina



Phone: (02) 4304 7333
Fax: (02) 4343 1655
Info:
Monday to Friday: 9.30am - 5pm
Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/umina.html

WOY WOY LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services
Cnr Blackwall Road & Oval Ave, Woy Woy



Phone: (02) 4304 7555
Fax: (02) 4342 5277
Info:
Monday to Friday: 9.30am - 5pm, Saturday: 9.30am - 12.30pm, Sunday: 12pm - 3pm
Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/woy.html

WYOMING LIBRARY
Gosford City Council Library Services
Shop 3, 127 Maidens Brush Road, Wyoming



Phone: (02) 4304 7525
Fax: (02) 4321 0726
Info:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9.30am - 5pm
NB: This branch closes for lunch each day between 1pm and 2pm.
Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/library/branches/wyoming.html

ycentral

The Gateway Building, Suite 1, Level 2/237 Mann St, Gosford 2250



Phone: (02) 4304 7870

Fax: (02) 4304 7800

Web: www.ycentral.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Service Description:

Ycentral is a co-located one stop shop for young people 12-24 years. It provides youth specific and youth friendly services for young people and their families to deal with different problems. Workers from Children and Young People’s Mental health Services, headspace, allied health professionals, housing and vocational and education Services are available at different times to provide support for young people. Staff includes GP’s, psychologists, social workers, nurses, education and employment specialist and youth friendly reception staff

HEADSPACE CENTRAL COAST

The Gateway Building, Suite 1, Level 2/237 Mann St, Gosford 2250



Phone: (02) 4304 7870

Fax: (02) 4304 7899

Mobile: 0418 211 843

Web: www.headspace.org.au/centralcoast

Hours Open: 1.00 – 4.00pm Mon- Fri for phone inquiries & new referrals. 8.30am – 5.00pm Mon - Fri for booked appointments

Service Description:

Headspace Central Coast is the National Youth Mental Initiative working to reduce the impact of mental health and substance use on young people 12-24 years. Headspace CC is a non- crisis service for young people 12-24 years offering services from ycentral the “one stop shop” in Gosford. The headspace Youth Access Team provides youth friendly assessment, information and referral to a range of community services, including support services for young people and families, GPs, Private Allied Health Professionals, accommodation, vocational and employment service.

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

The Gateway Building, Suite 1, Level 2/237 Mann St, Gosford 2250

Phone: 1800 011 511 (Central Intake – 24hr Service) or (02) 4304 7878 (General Enquiries)

Fax: (02) 4304 7800

Web: www.ycentral.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5pm

Service Description:

Central Intake is the first point of contact for anyone wishing to obtain CYPMH Services on the Central Coast. This service is available 24hrs a day, 7 days a week on 1800 011 511.

Children & Young Peoples Mental Health Service (CYPMH) is a mobile, outreach and assertive clinical mental health services for young people 12-24 years with moderate to severe mental health problems. Service includes a mental health assessment from ypage and referral to: Youth mental health team, Young People, and early Psychosis Intervention (YPPI), Youth mental health group programs including Recovery groups and Primary Health Clinics and GP liaison for current clients.

Comprehensive prevention, promotion and early intervention programs are also available at CYPMH @ycentral:

- mental health and parenting
- pregnancy and infant mental health support
- children of parents with a mental illness (COPMI)
- school link
- mental health research and evaluation
- youth mental health projects
- primary health clinics
- vocational, educational, training and employment (VETE)

How do you contact us?

Referrals for CYPMH can be made by phoning:

Mental Health Central Intake 1800 011 511 (24hr phone service)

CENTRAL COAST RESPITE AND CARELINK CENTRE

NSCCAHS

Shop 2 Ground Floor, Citigate Centre. 451 Pacific Highway, North Gosford NSW 2250

PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: 1800 052 222

Fax: (02) 4304 0726

Email: carerrespite@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.respiteoptionscc.com.au

Hours Open: 1800 052 222 - 24 hour Emergency hotline Shop front open – 8.30 – 4.30pm

Service Description:

Information, referral and respite for Carers of young people with a disability or mental health condition, and for young people in a caring role.

YOUNG ARAFAMI

Arafami

6/20-22 Kincumber St, Kincumber

PO Box 6159, Kincumber, NSW, 2251

Phone: (02) 4369 4233

Fax: (02) 4363 1069

Email: familysupport@ccarafmi.org.au

Web: www.ccarafmi.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Children can be carers for their parents/siblings or extended family members who reside with the child. Our Child and Adolescent Support Worker will provide a quality service to children where mental illness has disrupted the family, through services including:

Assessment of child and family needs, Child and adolescent counselling around mental health issues, Individual and family consultations, Liaison with and referral to other services, Education and training regarding mental illness and its effects, including medication, Group work including “Kids Club” and “Kids Connecting” – support for children whose parents have a mental illness, Telephone support



NORTHERN SETTLEMENT SERVICES

Central Coast

1 Bay Village Rd, Bateau Bay 250

PO Box 4167, Bay Village, NSW, 2261

Phone: (02) 4334 3877

Fax: (02) 4334 3044

Email: cc@nsservices.com.au

Web: www.nsservices.com.au

Hours Open: Monday to Friday

Service Description:

We are an entirely independent not for profit entity with a very diverse funding base, delivering settlement services to a comprehensive client base and are strategically placed to develop new services in response to local need in our area of operations the Hunter, Central Coast, and Northern Tablelands of NSW.

Our services include multi-lingual information and referral, casework and counselling, community education and development. We offer consultancy and cross cultural training to other agencies to assist them in their service delivery to migrants. We also provide migration advice and assistance by agents accredited with the Migration Agents Registration Scheme.

Northern Settlement Services Limited offers a variety of settlement services to refugees and migrants of NESB (non- English speaking background). We promote access and equity in service delivery to refugees and migrants and support the activities and projects of multicultural and diverse interest groups in the community.

SUPPORTED PLAYGROUPS AT GOSFORD

Families NSW

Phone: (02) 4340 1111

Web: www.cfdc.com.au

Supported Playgroup provides a welcoming, relaxed and friendly environment for families. Run by trained Playgroup Facilitators whose role it is to provide fun activities for children and their families including CALD and Indigenous. Provide information, support, resources and children's borrowing library.

MULTICULTURAL GROUP PROGRAM

Warnervale Family & Community Centre at Hamlyn Terrace

Phone: (02) 4323 7483

Service Description:

Provides migrant support, assistance, referrals and information

MULTICULTURAL PROJECT

Wyoming Community Centre

Phone: (02) 4323 7483

Web: www.wyomingcommunitycentre.org.au

Service Description:

Provides information, assistance and referral services to multicultural communities on the Central Coast.

CENTRAL COAST NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE AT KARIONG

Phone: (02) 4340 1724

Web: www.ccncforum.org.au

Service Description:

Assess the needs of local residents including Indigenous, Torres Strait Islanders and people from CALD backgrounds. Implement programs/activities to assist in addressing identified needs and provide support, referrals and advocacy service.

BERKLEY VALE NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE AT GLENNING VALLEY

Phone: (02) 4388 5801

Web: www.bvnc.org.au

Service Description:

Provides information, referrals, advocacy, support groups and outreach programs to most target groups including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander.

CENTRAL COAST YOUTH INTERAGENCY



C/O Gosford City Council Youth Services

PO Box 21, Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 8814

Fax: (02) 4325 8870

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/youth_services/central-coast-youth-interagency

Hours Open: Meets first Tuesday each month at 9:30am

Service Description:

Information sharing network with youth services on the Central Coast. Advocacy on issues affecting young people. Meets monthly and produces a weekly e-newsletter.

YOUTH ACTION POLICY ASSOCIATION (YAPA)

Suite 403, 64-76 Kippax St Surry Hills



Phone: (02) 9281 5522 and 1800 627 323

Fax: (02) 9281 5588

Email: info@yapa.org.au

Web: www.yapa.org.au

Hours Open: Business Hours

Service Description:

YAPA is the peak organisation representing young people and youth services in NSW and works towards a society where all young people are supported, engaged and valued. The role of YAPA is to:

- Monitor and respond to government policies and proposals affecting young people
- Promote and advocate on issues affecting young people and youth services
- Bring young people and youth workers together to act on issues affecting them
- Work to raise a positive profile of young people in the media and in the community
- Provide training, forums and conferences to young people and youth workers
- Provide information and referral
- Produce a range of resources, publications and newsletters.

GOSFORD CITY YOUTH COUNCIL

PO Box 21, Gosford NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 8814

Fax: (02) 4325 8870

Email: youth.council@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/youth_services/gosford-city-youth-council

Hours Open: Meets monthly

Service Description:

Gosford City Youth Council is devoted to helping to better the future for young people on the Central Coast. The Council is run by an enthusiastic group of young people aged between 12 and 25 years who live, work or study in the Gosford City area.

Youth Council offers an opportunity for people to get involved with their local community and to engage in positions of leadership, and to work closely with Gosford City Council.

REGIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS NETWORK (RYDON)



Phone: Various (See Website)

Web: www.rydon.org.au

Hours Open: Meets monthly

Service Description:

RYDON Inc is a network of Youth Development Officers from the Cessnock, Dungog, Gloucester, Gosford, Great Lakes, Taree, Lake Macquarie, Maitland, Newcastle, Port Stephens, Upper Hunter and Wyong Local Government Areas.

RYDON's primary purpose is to focus on community development activities that will assist young people to access community resources and opportunities.

This is done through:

- Promoting coordination, cooperation and networking between providers of services to young people;
- Lobbying government and other relevant bodies on behalf of young people and providers of services to young people;
- Supporting, organising and providing training for those working with young people;
- Representing the interest of young people and those working with young people



YOUTH SERVICES

Gosford City Council

53 – 71 Mann St, Gosford

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 8814

Mobile: 0407219 058

Fax: (02) 4325 8870

Email: nick.rendell@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/youth_services

Hours Open: Mon – Fri 9am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Gosford City Council Youth Services operates to promote and advocate on behalf of young people and to assist youth sector members on the Central Coast. Youth Week, Central Coast Youth Interagency and other LGA wide initiatives are operated by GCC Youth Services.

GOSFORD CITY COUNCIL

49 Mann St, Gosford

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 8222

Fax: (02) 4325 2477

Email: gocity@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon – Fri 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

The Council is responsible for the protection and improvement of the quality and standard of living in Gosford City. Council's Charter, under the NSW Local Government Act, is to properly manage, develop, protect, restore and conserve the environment of Gosford City in a manner that is consistent with and promotes the principles of ecologically sustainable development.

Council endeavours to satisfy the needs of both residents and visitors and anticipate their further requirements through the planning and implementation of physical and community development programs. These programs offer a wide range of physical, social, environmental and cultural services and facilities.

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT OFFICER

Wyong Shire Council

2 Hely St, Wyong

PO Box 20, Wyong, NSW, 2059



Phone: (02) 43505555

Fax: (02) 4351 2098

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am-4:30pm

Service Description:

To implement the Wyong Shire Council Youth Engagement Strategy.

Partnering with the Shires young people and valuing their role within the community

CENTRAL COAST COMMUNITY COUNCIL

1 Bay Village Rd, Bateau Bay, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4333 4401

Fax: (02) 4333 4402

Email: admin@thecccc.or.au

Web: www.thecccc.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 4:00pm

Service Description:

The CCCC provides advocacy and support to all community organisations on the Central Coast as the regional peak body. We work in partnership with local community organisations, NCOSS and ACOSS to ensure any gaps in community services are advocated at regional, state and national levels.

WYONG SHIRE COUNCIL

Hely St, Wyong

PO Box 20, Wyong, NSW, 2259



Phone: (02) 4350 5555

Fax: (02) 4351 2098

Email: wsc@wyong.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.wyong.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Mon – Fri 8:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

The Council is responsible for the protection and improvement of the quality and standard of living in Wyong Shire.

Member for Gosford, Marie Andrews (Australian Labor Party)**STATE GOVERNMENT**

20 Blackwall Rd, Woy Woy

Po Box 223 Woy Woy, NSW 2256

Phone: (02) 4342 4122

Fax: (02) 4341 2368

Email: gosford@parliament.nsw.gov.au

Member for Wyong, David Harris (Australian Labor Party)**STATE GOVERNMENT**

243 Main Rd, Toukley

Phone: (02) 4397 1000

Fax: (02) 4397 1012

Email: wyong@parliament.nsw.gov.au

Member for Terrigal, Chris Hartcher (Liberal Party)**STATE GOVERNMENT**

Shop 3 Fountain Plaza, 148-158 The Entrance Rd, Erina

Phone: (02) 4365 1906

Fax: (02) 4365 4768

Email: terrigan@parliament.nsw.gov.au

Minister for the Central Coast, John Robertson (Australian Labor Party)**STATE GOVERNMENT**

Level 35, Governor Macquarie Tower, 1 Farrer Pl Sydney

Phone: (02) 9228 5661

Fax: (02) 9228 5168

Email: office@robertson.minister.nsw.gov.au

Member for The Entrance, Grant McBride (Australian Labor Party)**STATE GOVERNMENT**

24 The Entrance Rd, The Entrance, NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4334 1012

Fax: (02) 4334 3840

Email: theentrance@parliament.nsw.gov.au

Member for Robertson, Deborah O'Neill (Australian Labor Party)

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

91 Mann St, Gosford

Po Box 577 Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4322 1922

Fax: (02) 4322 2066

Contact: www.aph.gov.au/house/members/memfeedback.asp?id=651

Member for Shortland, Jill Hall (Australian Labor Party)

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

26 Macquarie St, Belmont

Po Box 499 Belmont, NSW 2280

Phone: (02) 4947 9711

Fax: (02) 4947 9712

Email: jill.hall.MP@aph.gov.au

Member for Dobell, Craig Thomson (Australian Labor Party)

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Shop E1, Westfield Tuggerah

Po Box 3763 Tuggerah, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4935 1223

Fax: (02) 4353 6480

Contact: www.aph.gov.au/house/members/memfeedback.asp?id=HVZ

CENTRAL COAST MEN'S INTERAGENCY

Email: mensinteragency.cc@hotmail.com

Web: www.mensinteragency.com

Service Description:

The Mens Interagency focuses on developing strength and capacity in the regions in which it operates. Community strengthening is about building the capacity of and opportunities for men of all ages to actively engage in a wide variety of social, economic, cultural, recreational, learning and civic activities.

GOSFORD POLICE STATION - Brisbane Water LAC

Level 1, 9-11 Mann Street, Gosford

Phone: (02) 4323 5599

Fax: (02) 4323 5409

Info: Open 24 hours



TERRIGAL POLICE STATION - Brisbane Water LAC

13 Church Street, Terrigal

Phone: (02) 4384 4822

Fax: (02) 4385 2040

Info: Not open 24 hours



WOY WOY POLICE STATION - Brisbane Water LAC

49 Blackwall Road, Woy Woy

Phone: (02) 4379 7399

Fax: (02) 4379 7311

Info: Open 24 hours



THE ENTRANCE POLICE STATION - Tuggerah Lakes LAC

14 Denning Street, The Entrance

Phone: (02) 4333 2999

Fax: (02)4333 2911

Info: Open 24 hours



TOUKLEY POLICE STATION - Tuggerah Lakes LAC

271-273 Main Road, Toukley

Phone: (02) 4390 1299

Fax: (02) 4390 1211

Info: Open 24 hours



WYONG POLICE STATION - Tuggerah Lakes LAC

10 Alison Road, WYONG

Phone: (02) 4352 4899

Fax: (02) 4352 4811

Info: Open 24 hours



YOUTH LIAISON OFFICERS



Brisbane Water LAC

Gosford Police Station
Senior Constable Jaime Tommerup
Phone: (02) 43235514
Fax: (02)43235542

Responsible for Delivering Crime Prevention Workshops to Primary School classes and for the Implementation of the Young Offenders act within the command e.g. cautions, youth justice conferences. Am also available for advise on youth issues and incidents that occur in primary schools.

YOUTH LIAISON OFFICER

Tuggerah Lakes LAC

The Entrance Police Station
Constable Anthony Vanden Bergh
Phone: (02) 43332999
Fax: (02)43332911

Responsible for Delivering Crime Prevention Workshops to Primary School classes and for the Implementation of the Young Offenders Act 1997, within the command eg cautions, youth justice conferences. Also available for advise on youth issues and incidents that occur in primary schools.

SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICER

Brisbane Water LAC

Gosford Police Station
Senior Constable Rebecca Armitage & Constable Denise Lynch
Phone: (02) 4323 5530
Fax: (02) 4323 5542

Responsible for Delivering Crime Prevention Workshops to Secondary School classes and for advice on youth issues and incidents that occur in high schools.

SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICER

Tuggerah Lakes LAC

The Entrance Police Station
Senior Constable Rachael Garland
Phone: (02) 43332999
Fax: (02) 43332911

Responsible for Delivering Crime Prevention Workshops to Secondary Schools and for advise on youth issues and incidents that occur in high schools.



Transition Support 7 – 12

Department of Education and Training

Glenvale SSP, Narara Ck Rd, Narara

Phone: (02) 4325 0792

Fax: (02) 4325 0792

Hours Open: School Hours

Service Description:

Transition Support for students with a disability at DET High Schools. Support for students in Support Classes, SSP's and Mainstream settings. Curriculum support, Vocational advice, Links to outside agencies; i.e. TAFE, University, DES Disability Employment Services, ADHC Assessments to Post School Programs.

HOPETOWN

117 Pollock Ave, Wyong

Phone: (02) 4353 2522

Fax: (02) 4351 2381

Email: hopetown-s.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.hopetown-s.schools.nsw.edu.au

Service Description:

Hopetown services the needs of primary and secondary students with emotional disturbance. The school is situated on an open rural setting and is well resourced with amenities including an indoor heated pool, tennis courts and a multipurpose hall. The curriculum offered enables students to proceed to the award of a School Certificate and to Years 11 and 12.

GIRRAKOOL EDUCATION AND TRAINING UNIT

Pacific Hwy Kariong (Frank Baxter)

Phone: (02) 4340 1353

Fax: (02) 4340 2527

Email: girrakool-s.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.girrakool-s.schools.nsw.edu.au

Service Description:

Girrakool School is a community care school providing education and vocational training programs for male juvenile offenders. The school has been in new premises since the opening of the Frank Baxter Juvenile Justice Centre in October 1999. The mission of the school is "To create a positive learning environment and to facilitate the student's successful integration into their community". A variety of credentialed curriculum is provided which covers remedial, academic, recreational and vocational courses.

ALESCO LEARNING CENTRE CENTRAL COAST

Two campuses:

c/- Tuggerah Lakes Community College Shannon Parade, Berkeley Vale

And

c/- Youth Connections Green Central, Kariong



Phone: (02) 4353 0017

Fax: (02) 4353 5960

Email: acingi@tlcc.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.tlcc.nsw.edu.au

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

A new independent, non-denominational, co-educational, Board of Studies accredited Years 9 and 10 school which values students as the centre of our community. We will provide young people who are unable to find success in traditional educational models, an opportunity to develop their capacity to learn and gain a sense of meaning and purpose in their lives by using vibrant, relevant and creative learning options.

THE HAVEN EDUCATION CENTRE

St Edwards College

165 Serpentine Rd, Terrigal

Po Box 4011, East Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4367 5196

Fax: (02) 4367 5197

Email: ckokegei@stedwards.nsw.edu.au

Web: www.stedwards.nsw.edu.au

Service Description:

The Haven Education Centre address a complex set of individual problems presented by students which result in them being unable to cope with mainstream schooling.

The Haven Education Centre is an annexe of St Edwards College, East Gosford.

School Counselling Services: Educational psychologists are available for students at every government school, and can be accessed through the school switchboard or by talking with the Principal or class teacher.

<u>Avoca Beach Public School</u> Round Drive, Avoca Beach 4382 1416	Bateau Bay Primary School Waratah St, Bateau Bay 4332 8000	Berkeley Vale Public School Pindari Ave, Berkeley Vale 4388 1305
Brisbania Public School High St, Saratoga 4369 1246	Brooke Ave Public School Brooke Ave, Killarney Vale 4333 1022	Budgewoi Public School Lukela Ave, Budgewoi 4390 9166
<u>Central Coast Adventist School</u> Penrose Cres, Erina 4367 1800	<u>Central Coast Grammar School</u> Arundel Rd, Erina Heights 4367 6766	Central Mangrove Public School RMB 3215 Wisemans Ferry Rd Central Mangrove 4373 1156
Chertsey Primary School Willow Rd Springfield 4325 3963	Chittaway Bay Public School Chittaway Rd, Chittaway Bay 4388 2188	Copacabana Public School Pueblo St Copacabana 4382 1766
Dooralong Public School Dooralong Rd Dooralong 4355 1246	East Gosford Public School Cnr Web & York Sts East Gosford 4325 2178	East Gosford Infants School Cnr Web & York Sts East Gosford 4325 3418
Empire Bay Public School Empire Bay Drive Empire Bay 4369 1796	Erina Heights Primary School Serpentine Rd Erina Heights 4367 7608	Ettalong Primary School Ettalong 4341 3550
Gorokan Public School Dudley St Gorokan 4392 4200	Gosford Public School Mann St Gosford 4323 3468	Green Point Christian College Avoca Drive, Green Point 4363 1266

Holgate Primary School Wattle Tree Rd, Holgate 4367 7444	Holy Cross Primary School 1 Father Patrick Croke Circle, Kincumber 4369 6638	Jilliby Public School Jilliby Rd, Jilliby 4355 1240
Kanwal Public School Craigie Ave, Kanwal 4392 3477	Kariong Public School Langford Drive, Kariong 4340 1885	Killarney Vale Public School Henricks Rd, Killarney Vale 4388 1066
Kincumber Public School Avoca Drive, Kincumber 4369 1544	Kulnura Public School Kulnura 4376 1264	Lake Munmorah Primary School Cnr Carters Rd & Pacific Hwy, Lake Munmorah 4358 1171
Lakes Grammar Sparks Road, Warnervale 4393 4111	Lisarow Public School Lisarow 4362 1048	Mannering Park Public School Vales Rd, Mannering Park 4359 1184
Narara Public School Newling St, Lisarow 4328 3024	Niagara Park Public School Narara Valley Drive Niagara Park 4328 3397	Northlakes Primary School Goorama Ave, San Remo 4399 2071
Our Lady Of The Rosary Infants School Copnor Ave, The Entrance 4332 4061	Our Lady Of The Rosary Primary School Shelly Beach Rd Shelly Beach 4332 5594	Our Lady Of The Rosary Primary School 92 Glennie St, Wyoming 4324 6641
Our Lady Of The Sea School The Esplanade, Terrigal 4384 5040	Ourimbah Public School Ourimbah 4362 1033	Peats Ridge Public School Peats Ridge 4373 1149
Point Clare Public School Takari Ave, Point Clare 4325 0594	Pretty Beach Public School Pretty Beach Rd, Wagstaff 4360 1012	Jilliby Public School Jilliby Rd, Jilliby 4355 1240

Kanwal Public School Craigie Ave, Kanwal 4392 3477	Kariong Public School Langford Drive, Kariong 4340 1885	Somersby Primary School 840 Wisemanns Ferry Rd Somersby 4372 1233
St Edward's Christian Brothers Frederick St, East Gosford 4324 5300	<u>St Joseph's Catholic College</u> Russell Drysdale St East Gosford 4324 4022	St Peter's Catholic College Gavenlock Rd, Tuggerah 4353 2344
<u>St Philip's Christian School</u> 20 Narara Creek Rd Narara 4324 4744	<u>The Coast Christian School</u> Bundaleer Crescent, Bensville 4368 3377	Spencer Public School Spencer 4377 1142
St Brendans Catholic Primary School Carters Rd, Lake Munmorah 4358 1501	St Cecilia's Catholic Primary School Panonia Rd, Wyong 4353 2922	St John Fisher Catholic School Hicks Lane, Tumbi Umbi 4388 5800
St John The Baptist School Dulkara Rd, Woy Woy South 4341 0884	St Mary's Primary School Main Rd, Noraville 4396 5100	St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Melbourne St, East Gosford 4325 1159
Tacoma Public School Tacoma 4353 1154	Terrigal Public School Havenview Rd, Terrigal 4384 4599	The Entrance North Hutton Rd The Entrance North 4334 3600
The Entrance Public School The Entrance 4332 2422	Toukley Primary School Main Rd, Toukley 4396 4275	Tuggerah Public School Pacific Hwy , Tuggerah 4352 1116
Tuggerwong Public School Tuggerawong Rd, Tuggerawong 4392 1542	Somersby Primary School 840 Wisemanns Ferry Rd Somersby 4372 1233	St Edward's Christian Brothers Frederick St, East Gosford 4324 5300

<p><u>St Joseph's Catholic College</u> Russell Drysdale St East Gosford 4324 4022</p>	<p>Umina Public School Sydney Ave, Umina 4341 1630</p>	<p>Valley View Public School Chamberlain Rd, Wyoming 4328 4433</p>
<p>Wadalba Community School Orchid Way, Wadalba 4392 5000</p>	<p>Wamberal Public School Lea Ave, Wamberal 4384 1111</p>	<p>Warnervale Public School Warnervale Rd, Warnervale 4392 1358</p>
<p>Woodport Public School The Entrance Rd, Erina 4367 7099</p>	<p>Woy Woy Primary School Blackwall Rd, Woy Woy 4341 3555</p>	<p>Woy Woy South Primary School The School Mall, Woy Woy 4341 1899</p>
<p>Wyee Public School Wyee Rd, Wyee 4357 1255</p>	<p>Wyoming Primary School Maidens Brush Rd, Wyoming 4325 2181</p>	<p>Wyong Creek Primary School RMB 1145 Yarramalong Rd Wyong Creek 4352 1583</p>
<p>Wyong Grove Public School North Rd, Wyong 4352 2142</p>	<p>Wyong Christian Community School Alison Rd, Wyong 4351 2020</p>	<p>Wyong Public School Cutler Drive, Wyong 4352 1301</p>
<p>Yarramalong Public School Yarramalong Rd Yarramalong 4356 1169</p>		

School Counselling Services: Educational psychologists are available for students at every government school, and can be accessed through the school switchboard or by talking with the Principal or class teacher.

<p>Berkeley Vale Community High School 5-25 Berkeley Rd, Berkeley Vale 4388 1899</p>	<p>Brisbane Water Secondary College Umina Middle School Campus Veron Road, Umina 4341 9066</p>	<p>Brisbane Water Secondary College Woy Woy Senior Campus Edward Street, Woy Woy 4341 1600</p>
<p><u>Central Coast Adventist School</u> Penrose Cres, Erina 4367 1800</p>	<p><u>Central Coast Grammar School</u> Arundel Rd, Erina Heights 4367 6766</p>	<p>Corpus Christi Senior High School Gavenlock Rd, Terrigal 4351 2344</p>
<p>Erina High School Entrance Rd, Erina 4367 7353</p>	<p>Gorokan High School Goobarabah Ave, Gorokan 4392 2711</p>	<p>Gosford High School Racecourse Rd, Gosford 4325 2048</p>
<p>Green Point Christian College Avoca Drive, Green Point 4363 1266</p>	<p>Henry Kendall High School Gosford 4325 2110</p>	<p>Kincumber High School Bungoona Rd, Kincumber 4369 1555</p>
<p>Lisarow High School Chamberlain Rd, Lisarow 4328 4599</p>	<p>Lakes Grammar Sparks Road , Warnervale 4393 4111</p>	<p>Narara Valley High School Fountains Rd, Narara 4329 3780</p>
<p>Northlakes High School Brava Ave, San Remo 4390 0555</p>	<p>St Edward's Christian Brothers Frederick St, East Gosford 4324 5300</p>	<p><u>St Joseph's Catholic College</u> Russell Drysdale St , East Gosford 4324 4022</p>
<p>St Peter's Catholic College Gavenlock Rd, Tuggerah 4353 2344</p>	<p><u>St Philip's Christian School</u> 20 Narara Creek Rd, Narara 4324 4744</p>	<p>Terrigal High School Charles Kay Drive, Terrigal 4384 4677</p>
<p><u>The Coast Christian School</u> Bundaleer Crescent, Bensville 4368 3377</p>	<p>The Entrance High School The Entrance Rd, The Entrance 4332 2944</p>	<p>Tumbi Umbi High School Bellvue Rd, Tumbi Umbi 4385 6802</p>
<p>Wyong Christian Community School Alison Rd, Wyong 4351 2020</p>	<p>Wyong High School Alison Rd, Wyong 4353 1088</p>	



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

ChIPS (CHRONIC ILLNESS PEER SUPPORT)

NSCCAHS

*Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250*

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nsccahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

ChIPS (Chronic Illness Peer Support) is a peer support program for young people aged 12-25 years living with a chronic illness or condition

For other information about Youth Health Service, see also Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Accommodation, Counselling, Drug & Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

GOSFORD REGIONAL GALLERY AND ARTS CENTRE

Gosford City Council

36 Webb St, East Gosford

Po Box 21, Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4325 0056

Email: gallery@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Seven Days - 10:00am – 4:00pm

GIRL GUIDES ASSOCIATION OF NSW

Locked Bag 950, Strawberry Hills, NSW, 2012

Phone: (02) 4325 0056

Email: guides@girlguides-nswact..org.au

Web: www.girlguides-nswact.org.au

Hours Open: Monday to Friday

Service Description:

Girls of 5 to 18 years have fun and learn skills that develop their self-confidence and community responsibility. Guides meet weekly during the school term.

At meetings girls work in small groups, play games, progress through challenges, earn badges, run their own activities.

Camps offer girls the chance to enjoy being outdoors, try boating, abseiling, skiing and attend campfires

MUSICIANS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

1/342 Mann St Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4322 5350

Fax: (02) 8208 9846

Email: info@mmad.org.au

Web: www.mmad.org.au

Hours Open: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday by appointment

Service Description:

Musicians Making A Difference (MMAD) is a charity targeting chronically homelessness youth, young offenders and long-term unemployed youth. MMAD uses innovative music, dance and mentoring programs to address the emotional, social & physical needs of young people aged between 14 & 25.

GOSFORD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

14-16 Young St, West Gosford
PO Box 1171, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 2490

Fax: (02) 4323 2490

Email: office@gosfordpc.com.au

Web: www.gosfordpc.com.au

Hours Open: Admin hours: No onsite admin. phone and email only. For program times, see below in service description

Service Description:

Sunday Church Services: 8am traditional service, 9:45am family service (with kids programs), 6:30pm youth/young adult service

Friday Activities: During school term

JAG+: Youth group for Primary School years 3-6 students, 5-7pm

GPC Youth: Youth group for High School years 7-11 students, 7:30-9:30pm

(Please ring to confirm times and activities)

Purpose of Group: Christian Education, Friendship, and Activities for children and youth of the Central Coast, based on the desire for all youth to know Jesus.

HOPE FAMILY CHURCH

Entrance High School Hall, The Entrance Rd, Long Jetty

Phone: (02) 4332 4633

Email: hopefamilychurch@bigpond.net.au

Web: www.hopefamilychurch.com

Hours Open: Sunday Service 10am, 18-30 yr olds Tuesday Night.

Service Description:

Held Sundays 10am in The Entrance High School Hall. Contact person - Richard 0409439567. We also hold an age 18-30's bible study/discussion group on a Tuesday night in Terrigal. Contact Jo 0418271621

TERRIGAL UNITING CHURCH

380 Terrigal Dr, Terrigal

Phone: (02) 4385 1248

Fax: (02) 4385 7287

Email: youthtuc@fastmail.com.au

Web: www.terriganunitingchurch.com

Hours Open: Services most Saturdays, Sundays and Tuesdays. See web for details.

Service Description:

We proclaim God's good news of salvation offered by Jesus Christ, in what we say and do in all areas of the life of the church. We pray and work for all people to accept Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour.

We are united and enlivened by the loving Holy Spirit of Christ and God's good news.

Each believer in the congregation knows their spiritual gift(s) and serves God using that gift in a ministry in the church and / or in the community. They can name that ministry.

We offer outstretched hands from an open door for the "ugly, wet, naked & dirty" (of such we all are) to find rest, restoration, renewal, and growth.

People are equipped with knowledge and skills to assist living life to the fullness of the image of Christ. This includes the church making disciples, in Terrigal and beyond, in Australia and overseas. All people on the pastoral care roll sharing in the pastoral care of each other, especially through small groups.

We wisely use God's resources including our time, talents, property, and finances, seeing all we have as belonging to God and for us to share.

Commence and finish our every breath in worship to God for all the things implied above.

REDEMPTION YOUTH

Kariong Community Baptist Church

Kariong Public School Hall, Kariong

PO Box 7001 Kariong, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 43721228

Email: youthpastor@kariongchurch.org.au

Web: www.kariongchurch.org.au

Hours Open: Friday Nights and Sunday mornings

Service Description:

Redemption Youth is the name of our youth ministry. There are various kinds of groups and activities available to cater for the diversity of youth involved.

GENERATION UNLIMITED

Church Unlimited

162 Pacific Hwy, Charmhaven

Phone: (02) 4393 3764

Fax: (02) 4393 3765

Email: info@churchunlimited.com.au

Web: www.churchunlimited.com.au

Hours Open: Friday night 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Service Description:

GENERATION UNLIMITED is an empowering youth ministry for all High School aged young people. At GU, we are about taking the truth and love of Jesus Christ across the street, and around the world.

Every Friday night, GU unites together from 7-9pm at Church Unlimited for a great night packed with Biblical teaching, Inspiring Praise and Worship, and crazy games! GU is a place you will be encouraged in your personal walk with Christ, a place of connection and friendship, and a place of freedom and fun!

At GU, we also have mid-week connect groups for both girls and guys. This is a fantastic way to build positive friendships and deepen your relationship with Christ.

SPORT AND RECREATION

Communities NSW

Central Coast Regional Office, c/o University of Newcastle, Ourimbah Campus
Brush Rd, Ourimbah, NSW, 2258

Phone: (02) 4362 6184

Fax: (02) 4362 2910

Email: centralcoast@communities.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.dsr.nsw.gov.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Sport and Recreation is a division of Communities NSW, a state government department. The Central Coast office promotes physical activity and provides a range of courses relating to sport including; coaching, sports massage, club administration etc. The Central Coast regional Office also provides a wide range of school holiday activities and sports programs as well as development opportunities for sporting organisations on the Central Coast.

For detailed information on sporting organisations you can visit the webpage and search by sport using the 'gateway to sport' <http://www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/gatewaytosport/>

MYUNA BAY SPORT AND REC CENTRE

Communities NSW

Wangi Rd Myuna Bay
PO Box 5037 Dora Creek, NSW 2264

Phone: 1800 654 422 or (02) 4373 3301

Fax: (02) 4370 5014

Web: www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/myunabay

Service Description:

Discover the natural beauty of Lake Macquarie by staying lakeside at Myuna Bay Sport and Recreation. Just a little over an hour's drive north of Sydney, the centre is in a perfect location for outdoor adventure and specialises in water-based activities all year round.

UMINA PCYC

101 Osborne Avenue Umina Beach, NSW 2257

Phone: (02) 4344 7851

Fax: (02) 4344 7852

Email: uminabeach@pcycnsw.org.au

Web: www.pcycnsw.org.au/umina

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 3:30pm – 7:00pm

Service Description:

PCYC is a statewide partnership between young people, the community and the NSW Police Service working to assist young people to develop the qualities to be responsible citizens and leaders and to avoid becoming offenders or victims of crime.

BATEAU BAY PCYC

The Entrance Rd, Bateau Bay NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4332 7000

Fax: (02) 4332 1071

Email: bateaubay@pcycnsw.org.au

Web: www.pcycnsw.org.au/bateaubay

Hours Open: Various – See site for details

Service Description:

PCYC is a statewide partnership between young people, the community and the NSW Police Service working to assist young people to develop the qualities to be responsible citizens and leaders and to avoid becoming offenders or victims of crime.

CENTRAL COAST YOUTH CLUB

Washington Avenue, Niagara Park

P.O. Box 9035 Wyoming NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4328 2288

Fax: (02) 4328 1888

Email: email@ccyc.com.au

Web: www.ccyc.com.au

Service Description:

Sports facility available for use and hire

REGIONAL TRANSPORT COORDINATOR

Transport NSW

Level 3, 131-133, Donnison St, Gosford

PO Box 1327, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4337 2311

Fax: (02) 4324 2698

Mobile: 0407 946912

Email: robert.thomas@transport.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.transport.nsw.gov.au/lact/regional-coordinators.html

Hours Open:

Service Description:

My role aims to reduce the negative effects of transport disadvantage through improved coordination with community stakeholders, transport operators and other agencies.

Transport disadvantage is defined as a circumstance or set of circumstances that leaves those that are affected by it in a situation where they have limited or no access to private transport and they have difficulty in gaining access to conventional transport systems.

BUSWAYS – CENTRAL COAST

Gosford Depot

42 Empire Bay Dr, Kincumber 2251

Phone: (02) 4368 2277

Hours Open: 7am-7pm daily

Wyong Depot

9 Arizona Rd, Woongarra 2259

Phone: (02) 4392 6666

Hours Open: 7am-7pm daily

Email: infoline@busways.com.au

CENTRAL COAST TAXIS

Phone: 131008

Vehicles in the Central Coast Taxis fleet include four seater and five seater sedans, four seater and five seater station wagons and Maxi Taxis that seat up to eleven passengers. Wheelchair accessible transport is also available and includes flashcabs and vans.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY



Broken Bay Diocese

203/1 Katherine St, Chatswood
PO Box 1246, Chatswood, NSW, 2057

Phone: (02) 9495 8306

Fax: (02) 9415 3193

Email: bbayyouth@vinnies.org.au

Web: www.vinnies.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

We run a Kids Camp program in the school holidays for children aged between 7 and 13. We also provide volunteering opportunities to young people over the age of 16.

Volunteering Central Coast Inc.

Niagara Park Community Centre, Washington Ave,
Niagara Park, NSW 2250.



Phone: (02) 4329 7122

Fax: (02) 4329 7188

Email: recruitment@volunteeringcentralcoast.org.au

Web: www.volunteeringcentralcoast.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9am – 4.30pm

Service Description:

We operate the only job centre for volunteers on the Central Coast. Potential volunteers are referred to one of more than 100 community organisations who are members of VCC. We offer training to volunteers and managers of volunteers and service and support both volunteers and community organisations.

www.youthdesk.com.au**Service Description:**

Online information for Central Coast Youth Sector Members. Contains regular CCCYI information.

www.yapa.org.au**Service Description:**

Peak Body for Youth Workers in NSW

www.ysite.com.au**Service Description:**

Anything to do with the Central Coast for under 25's. Here you can check what's going on, what young people on the coast think and what is being done about it.

www.ycentral.com.au**Service Description:**

A one stop shop to support young people 12-25 with their health and wellbeing

www.reachout.com.au**Service Description:**

Web Based services that inspires young people to help themselves through tough times.

www.youthweek.nsw.gov.au**Service Description:**

Information including events calendar for Youth Week events in NSW.

www.whatsoncentralcoast.com.au**Service Description:**

Information on local events.

www.headspace.org.au/centralcoast**Service Description:**

Funded by the Aust Gov, under the Promoting Better Mental Health - Youth Mental Health Initiative.

www.beyondblue.org.au**Service Description:**

Organisation that works in partnership to assist depression and other mental health issues.

www.kidshelpline.com.au**Service Description:**

Counselling service for Australian children and young people aged between 5 and 25 years.

YOUNG PARENTS SUPPORT PROGRAM

Central Coast Family Support Service

21, Old Mt Penang Rd, Kariong

PO Box 7125, Kariong, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4340 1585

Fax: (02) 4340 4772

Email: ccfss@ozemail.com.au or amberccfss@ozemail.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm

Service Description:

The young parent support program provides home visiting and group based activities for pregnant and parenting young people aged 13 to 21 years. This service supports young people in a variety of settings with the aim to assisting the transition to parenthood.

PREGNANCY COUNSELLING

Centacare

53 Hely St, Wyong

20 Watt St, Gosford



Phone: (02) 4324 6246

Hours Open: Various – Call for Details

Service Description:

Central Coast Pregnancy Counselling can offer you support during crisis situations relating to pregnancy and assistance in looking at and exploring the options available to you in decision-making.



THE HILL YOUTH CENTRE

Gosford City Council Youth Services

98 Mitchell Drive, Kariong
PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250

Phone: (02) 4304 7039

Mobile: 0407 940 433

Fax: (02) 4340 4678

Email: michelle.tilden@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/youth_services/youth-centres-1

Hours Open: Mon – Thur 3-6pm Friday 3-8pm. School Holidays 12pm - 4pm.

Young people 9 -12yo - Tuesdays 3.00 – 4.30 pm.

Service Description:

The Hill Youth Centre provides a safe and fun place for young people to participate in recreational activities, music, art, cooking, movie nights and other programs. Information, advocacy, referral, career guidance and homework help is also available. Structured programs and holiday activities for young people aged 12 - 18yrs. Ages outside 12-18 dependant of program. Advocacy for local community issues. The centre is a community facility available for hire.

REGIONAL YOUTH SUPPORT SERVICES INC

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford
Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4323 2374

Fax: (02) 4323 3796

Email: administration@ryss.com.au

Web: www.ryss.com.au www.youthartswarehouse.com.au www.ysite.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 9am – 6pm

Service Description:

Information, assessments & referrals to other agencies. RYSS is your point of access on the Central Coast for high quality services, resources & facilities specifically tailored to people aged 12 to 24 years of age.

THE HUB YOUTH ENTERTAINMENT VENUE

Gosford City Council Youth Services

North South Head Rd, Erina Fair, Erina

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4304 7104

Mobile: 0400 162 505

Fax: (02) 4365 6715

Email: steve.knee@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.thehuberina.com

Hours Open: See the Hub's ever-evolving program of events at www.thehuberina.com

Service Description:

The Hub aims to provide a variety of structured programs, entertainment, activities, information and referral services for local youth. Our programmed activities promote positive development for young people within the safe and supportive environment of our venue.

KINCUMBER YOUTH CENTRE

Gosford City Council Youth Services

2/20 Kincumber St, Kincumber

PO Box 21, Gosford, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4369 5633

Mobile: 0408 413 528

Fax: (02) 4369 2520

Email: jonathan.clarke@gosford.nsw.gov.au

Web: www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/community/youth_services/youth-centres-1

Hours Open: Mon – Wed 2:30 – 5:30, Fri 2:30 – 5:30, School Holidays 12pm – 4pm

Service Description:

Kincumber Youth Centre provides a safe and fun place for young people to participate in recreational activities, music, art, cooking, movie nights and other programs. Information, advocacy, referral, career guidance and homework help is also available. Structured programs and holiday activities for young people aged 12 - 18yrs. Advocacy for local community issues. The centre is a community facility available for hire, including a recording studio.



WYONG YOUTH SERVICES

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

Off Bannister Dr, Lake Haven

Phone: (02) 4393 9555

Mobile: 0403 129 920

Fax: (02) 4393 6951

Email: wyongyth@bigpond.net.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Hours Open: Tues- 8.30-4pm, Wed-8.30-6, Thurs-8.30-6, Frid-8.30-6, Sat 9.30-1pm

Service Description:

Support, information & referral for young people aged 12-18yrs needing assistance with accommodation, education, employment, health clinic, self esteem, legal support, Centre link, Advocacy etc.

Programs- Values & ethics, Bullying, Anger Management, Holiday Programs.

WEB YOUTH SERVICES

Peninsula Community Centre Inc

93 McMasters Rd, Woy Woy

Po Box 512, Woy Woy, NSW 2256

Phone: (02) 4342 3684

Mobile: 0414 511 841

Fax: (02) 4342 3914

Email: renee.moxon@paccs.com.au

Web: www.pccinc.com.au

Hours Open: Tuesday: 2.30pm-5pm, Wednesday: 2.30pm-6pm, Thursday: 2.30pm-6pm, Friday: 2.30pm-8pm

Service Description:

The WEB is a 'drop-in' service for young people 12 to 18 years of age (year 7 and above).

We can assist with support, advocacy, information, guidance and referral. It is a safe and friendly space where young people can also come to hang out and have fun. AOD Councillor also available Tue, Wed, Fri.

- Youth Health Clinic available Friday 3.30pm – 8pm
- Wesley Mission- Get it Together Program available Thursday 2.30pm – 5.30pm

WYOMING YOUTH CENTRE

Regional Youth Support Services

Warrawilla Rd, Wyoming

Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4325 0661

Mobile: 0400 407 207

Fax: (02) 4325 0662

Email: wymoming@ryss.com.au

Web: www.ryss.com.au

Hours Open: Tuesday-Friday: 3pm – 6pm

Service Description:

Provides a Youth Group Program, information & referral services, focussing on 12 to 18 years of age

PARKSIDE

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Parkside is Multi Service Youth Service Centre, initiated by Regional Youth Support Services Inc and Employment Training (ET Australia). At present, Parkside houses 5 independent Youth Services. Regional Youth Support Services Information, assessments & referrals to other agencies. RYSS is your point of access on the Central Coast for high quality services, resources & facilities specifically tailored to people aged 12 to 24 years of age.

Youth Arts Warehouse A contemporary leading-edge facility in the heart of Gosford. The Youth Arts Warehouse provides professional art programming which creates artistic, cultural and professional development opportunities for young people (12 – 25) and emerging artists on the central coast



LINKS YOUTH SERVICE

San Remo Neighbourhood Centre

Brava Ave, San Remo (Opposite Northlakes High)

28 Brava Ave, San Remo, NSW 2262

Phone: (02) 4390 7888

Fax: (02) 4399 2398

Email: links@sanremo.org.au or jillian@sanremo.org.au

Hours Open:

Youth Cabin – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Youth Centres – San Remo, Gwandalan and Blue Haven

Hours – flexible delivery

Service Description:

Provide Information, Support and Referral in the Youth Cabin. Youth centres at San Remo, Blue Haven and Gwandalan. Community projects in the Northern Wyong shire

Gen Q program social, support group for questioning and same sex attracted young people

LINKS Youth Service aims to provide a fun and safe non threatening environment for young people aged 11 - 18 years to make social connections, participate in sport and recreational activities, and cater to the changing needs and demands of young people in the north of the Wyong Shire from Wadalba to Summerland Point within an assets based community development framework. LINKS Youth Services aims to provide best practice youth service provision to all young people inclusive of young people who are Aboriginal and Torres Straight Islander, Culturally and Linguistically Diverse, and Disabled or otherwise marginalised.

EARLY INTERVENTION AND ACTIVITIES CENTRAL COAST

Samaritans Foundation

10-12 Debra Anne Dr, Bateau Bay NSW 2261

Po Box 564, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4332 1141

Fax: (02) 4333 6044

Mobile: 0409 950 022

Email: eiacc@samaritans.org.au

Web: www.samaritans.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday (Hours vary)

Service Description:

Programs for young people within the KBT area aged between 10-18. These include drop-in programs, structured and unstructured group activities, one-on-one mentoring and case planning, information, support, referral and advocacy

OASIS YOUTH CENTRE

Salvation Army

Cnr Hely and Anzac Sts, Wyong

Po Box 57 Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4353 9799

Fax: (02) 4353 9550

Email: stuart.grice@aue.salvationarmy.org

Hour Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Support, information and recreational activities for 12-24 years including: Case management, AOD support, Court support, Anger management, Training (accredited and non-accredited), Sport and Rec centre (climbing wall, sports court, skatepark, games tables, computer games and more), Thoughtful Food & Clothing (second hand store), Regen and Genr8 (female and male school based programs), Work experience and School Holiday programs.

UMINA PCYC

101 Osborne Avenue Umina Beach, NSW 2257

Phone: (02) 4344 7851

Fax: (02) 4344 7852

Email: uminabeach@pcycnsw.org.au

Web: www.pcycnsw.org.au/umina

Hours Open: Monday to Friday 3:30pm – 7:00pm

Service Description:

PCYC is a statewide partnership between young people, the community and the NSW Police Service working to assist young people to develop the qualities to be responsible citizens and leaders and to avoid becoming offenders or victims of crime.

BATEAU BAY PCYC

The Entrance Rd, Bateau Bay NSW 2261

Phone: (02) 4332 7000

Fax: (02) 4332 1071

Email: bateaubay@pcycnsw.org.au

Web: www.pcycnsw.org.au/bateaubay

Hours Open: Various – See site for details

Service Description:

PCYC is a statewide partnership between young people, the community and the NSW Police Service working to assist young people to develop the qualities to be responsible citizens and leaders and to avoid becoming offenders or victims of crime.



GETTING IT TOGETHER PROGRAM

Wesley Mission

38 Gilda Ave, Narara

Also Co-located at: The Web Youth Service, Woy Woy, Headspace Gosford and San Remo Neighbourhood Centre

Phone: (02) 4328 1053

Mobile: 0427 403601

Fax: (02) 4328 4798

Email: gits@wesleymission.org.au or sue.higgins@wesleymission.org.au

Web: www.vinnies.org.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Service Description:

Outreach service for young people 12-18 with drug and alcohol issues. Holistic program dealing with the underlying issues that are impacting a young person's life and their Drug & Alcohol use, through case management, referrals, and brokerage assistance.

THE AFTERCARE RESOURCE CENTRE

Relationships Australia

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St, Gosford NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4322 3659

Mobile: 0423 029 961

Fax: (02) 4322 3659

Email: arc@ransw.org.au

Web: www.nsw.relationships.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8am – 4pm

Service Description:

The ARC provides support, information and resources to assist young people who have left or are about to leave out-of-home care. The support may be for housing, education, budgeting, parenting, or referral to other appropriate agencies as required. We can also help you to access our ward file and provide support you while you read it.



YOUTH CONNECTIONS PROGRAMME

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah
PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: lyn@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

Support and assist young people (11-19 yrs) who have left school, or are thinking of leaving school, before completing Year 12 or a Certificate II level qualification to get back on track. We support their transition through school and from school to employment and further training through flexible and individual case management, youth outreach activities and alternate schooling options.

HAND BRAKE TURN

Concern Australia

10 Dignity Cres, West Gosford



Phone: (02) 4323 6309

Fax: (02) 4323 6389

Email: hbt.cc@concernaustralia.org.au

Web: www.concernaustralia.org.au/handbraketurn

Hours Open: Mon - Fri: 9am – 3pm

Service Description:

Accredited and Registered Training program in Certificate I Automotive, (Certificate II from 2011), for young people from age 15 yrs; providing 'hands-on' training in Motor Mechanics, Spray Painting, Panel Beating, OH&S, and car detailing. In addition to automotive training, HBT seeks to develop self-confidence, self-worth and enhance interpersonal and literacy skills, interview and job management training and motivation, communication skills and goal setting.

YOUNG PARENTS SUPPORT PROGRAM

Central Coast Family Support Service

21, Old Mt Penang Rd, Kariong

PO Box 7125, Kariong, NSW, 2250



Phone: (02) 4340 1585

Fax: (02) 4340 4772

Email: ccfss@ozemail.com.au or amberccfss@ozemail.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm

Service Description:

The young parent support program provides home visiting and group based activities for pregnant and parenting young people aged 13 to 21 years. This service supports young people in a variety of settings with the aim to assisting the transition to parenthood.

REGIONAL YOUTH SUPPORT SERVICES INC

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford

Po Box 1300, Gosford, NSW 2250



Phone: (02) 4323 2374

Fax: (02) 4323 3796

Email: administration@ryss.com.au

Web: www.ryss.com.au www.youthartswarehouse.com.au www.ysite.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 9am – 6pm

Service Description:

Information, assessments & referrals to other agencies. RYSS is your point of access on the Central Coast for high quality services, resources & facilities specifically tailored to people aged 12 to 24 years of age.



YOUTH SERVICES

Youth Connections

Unit 6/1 Reliance Dr, Tuggerah Business Park, Tuggerah
PO Box 3557 Tuggerah, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4350 2600

Fax: (02) 4350 2601

Email: maggie@youthconnections.com.au

Web: www.youthconnections.com.au

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Youth Connections' strategic goal is about "providing employment, education, training and recreational opportunities for young people to help them realise their full potential."

We touch the lives of over 6000 young people annually; work with a database of 1200 local employers to place youth in work placement for their HSC or entry level positions; operate from every high schools and TAFE campus on the Central Coast; have a commitment to work with our most vulnerable and disenfranchised youth, Aboriginal and disability and have developed programs, services and resources to ensure these young people are not left behind.

NORTH WYONG SHIRE YOUTH ARTS SERVICE

Wyong Neighbourhood Centre

Old Primary School, Cnr RankinCt and Alison Rd, Wyong
PO Box 411 Wyong, NSW 2259



Phone: (02) 4353 1750

Fax: (02) 4352 1209

Mobile: 0488 129 222

Email: madalyn@wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au

Web: www.wyongneighbourhoodcentre.org.au and
www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=376856397148

Hours Open: Monday – Thursday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Service Description:

NWSYAS implements, facilitates and advocates skills and professional based contemporary arts and culture projects, events, workshops and opportunities for young people (12-18yrs) living throughout Wyong Shire and the regions young emerging artists (18-25yrs), through employment, training and mentoring opportunities.



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

ABORIGINAL YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: ccyhs@nscchahs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Aboriginal Youth Health Worker: provides young Aboriginal people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to access young Aboriginal people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to young Aboriginal people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about the Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, ChIPS, Counselling, Drug and Alcohol Services, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic, Youth Health Outreach Worker, and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

OUTREACH TEAM

Samaritans

Po Box 564, Wyong, NSW 2259

Phone: (02) 4351 1922 or Freecall 1800 037 786

Fax: (02) 4353 5337

Email: steppingstones@samaritans.org.au

Web: www.samaritans.org.au

Hours Open: Seven days per week, 24hrs per day.

Service Description:

Crisis Accommodation for young people between the ages of 12 and 17 for up to 3 months.



NORTHERN SYDNEY
CENTRAL COAST
NSW HEALTH

YOUTH HEALTH WORKER

NSCCAHS

Ground Floor, Wyong Central Community Health Centre, 38a Pacific Hwy, Wyong
PO Box 361, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4356 9333

Fax: (02) 4356 9350

Email: cyhs@nscchs.health.nsw.gov.au

Web: <http://www.nayh.org.au/youth-health-services/northern-sydney-central-coast.html>

Hours Open: Monday – Friday 8:30am – 5:00pm, except public holidays

Service Description:

Youth Health Outreach Worker: provides homeless and at-risk young people with health information, resources and skills for minimising health risks. Implements strategies to improve access to health services for homeless and at-risk young people in Gosford and Wyong LGAs. Advocates for development of appropriate youth services, and develop and implement health promotion and educational campaigns appropriate to homeless and at-risk young people. Contact the Worker on Duty at Youth Health or the Youth Health Outreach Worker, Monday to Friday, ph 4356 9333.

For other information about Youth Health Service, see also Accommodation, Aboriginal Youth Health Worker, Drug and Alcohol Services, ChIPS, Counselling, Health Services, Youth GP Clinics, Youth Health Clinic and Worker on Duty. Ph 4356 9333

PARKSIDE

Parkside Building, 123 Donnison St Gosford
Po Box 1296, Gosford, NSW 2250

Phone: (02) 4323 1060

Fax: (02) 4323 7453

Email: parkside@parksideyouth.com.au

Hours Open: Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 5:00pm

Service Description:

Parkside is Multi Service Youth Service Centre, initiated by Regional Youth Support Services Inc and Employment Training (ET Australia). At present, Parkside houses 5 independent Youth Services.

ARC, Post School Options, ET Australia, The Smith Family, Regional Youth Support Services, Youth Arts Warehouse and BWAC The New Apprenticeship Centre.

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