

### TODYUK CENTRE

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## Local Services Guide

For families with children aged 0-15 years in the Port Lincoln area

**Cherish - Quality - Team** 

### THIS GUIDE

The Tobruk Centre Local Service Guide aims to support families and their children to access the help they need through its comprehensive listing of services.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

Tobruk Centre acknowledges and respects Aboriginal people as the State's first people and recognises their traditional relationship with Country.

We acknowledge that the spiritual, social, cultural and economic practices of Aboriginal people come from their traditional lands and waters, and that the cultural and heritage beliefs, languages and laws are still of importance today.

Tobruk Centre acknowledges and respects the rights of the Child. Children have the right to: be treated fairly no matter what, have a say about decisions affecting them, live and grow up healthy, have people do what is best for them, know who they are and where they come from, believe what they want, privacy, find out information and express themselves, be safe no matter where they are, be cared for and have a home, education, play and cultural activities, help and protection if they need it.

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### **TOBRUK CENTRE**

The Tobruk Centre provides comprehensive Allied Health services for children on the Eyre Peninsula with disabilities and learning difficulties including Speech Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Developmental Educator, Social Worker, Youth Development Practitioner, Allied Health Assistant and Autism Spectrum Disorder Assessments

Private Health Insurance Rebates and Medicare Rebates can be claimed on the day. Registered with the National Disability Insurance Scheme until September 2022.

### TOBRUK CENTRE PROGRAMS FOR YOUNGER STUDENTS

**Games Group Junior**: Runs fortnightly, providing a safe space for students in years 4-6 to make friends and have fun with peers. Games, craft and a meal are offered each week to help build social connections and a sense of connectedness.

**Little Spoons - SOS (Food Therapy):** The Sequential Oral Sensory Approach to feeding assesses and treats children aged 2-12+years with mealtime difficulties that may be related to sensory, motor, posture, behaviour or learning. Students work in small groups to progress through a hierarchy of feeding development.

**Play Therapy Group**: An Occupational Therapist and a Speech Pathologist provide a safe and supportive therapeutic environment for children in junior primary years to learn to play with their peers. The group aims to support children to develop their communication, social, emotional regulation, problem solving and play skills in a fun and engaging play space.

**Secret Agent Society**: The Secret Agent Society (SAS) is a small group program that uses technology to help students aged 8-12 years crack the code of emotions and friendships. Junior Detectives graduate from SAS equipped with the skills to feel happier, calmer and braver while making new friends and keeping them.

**Social Thinking and Me**: Helps students aged 9-12 years transition into the more socially-complex and socially-demanding older grades and become stronger social problem solvers. It teaches them about hidden rules and expected behaviour, developing a deeper understanding of their emotions and how to influence the emotions of others, and to compare the size of their reaction to the size of the problem.

**SuperFlex Programme**: Introduces comic characters, Superflex and Rock Brain and the team of Unthinkables. These characters help students aged 8-11years develop further awareness of their own thinking and social behaviours and learn strategies to help them develop better self-regulate across a range of behaviours.

**WeThinkers Volume 1:** An engaging program designed to teach social concepts and skills in a peer group play setting. In volume 1 kids learn to be social explorers, to learn about their social selves, their thoughts and feelings and basic concepts in being around others and part of a group. Students are encouraged to think about the people around them to determine what action or response is best. It uses story books and activities in a fun and engaging way that is designed for children aged 4-7years.

**WeThinkers Volume 2**: An extension of Volume 1. Children learn to be flexible with their social thinking and problem solving. They are assisted to survey their surroundings, consider what they see in relation to the group, call on various strategies they have learned, and problem solve an approach or plan that will help them be a part of the group in a way that feels comfortable being together.

Mittens Café and Lego Group: These groups are offered periodically to support students to learn to work together in small groups. The groups run for a school term and suit students aged 7-10years. Through the weekly sessions, students learn to take on different roles in a group, to problem solve small social problems and to communicate with their peers. Students form friendships whilst learning to work as a member of a small group.

**Zones of Regulation**: is a curriculum designed to help students aged over 4 -18+ years to identify their feelings and emotional reactions and learn sensory and perspective taking strategies that encourage better self-regulation. A simple colour coded, four zones format encourages learning.

### TOBRUK CENTRE PROGRAMS FOR OLDER STUDENTS

**Connect:** A school-based weekly lunch time group for teenagers at Port Lincoln High School. The group will provide a safe, friendly environment for teens to communicate and interact with others and develop friendships, social skills and most importantly have fun. It supports students making the transition to High School.

**Games Group Senior**: Runs fortnightly on Friday nights providing a safe space for students to make friends and have fun with peers. Games, craft and a meal are offered each week to help build social connections and a sense of connectedness. Senior group suits students in Years 7-9. Students form solid friendships and skills to transition into existing community-based activities.

**Have-a-go Youth Program:** An afterschool program aimed at getting young people with additional needs involved and engaged in community sporting and recreational activities. They will develop and practise social skills while learning skills specific to particular sports and activities. The program provides social and communication experiences to build confidence, wellbeing and connectedness to peers and the broader community. It helps youth fulfilling personal aspirations and goals.

**Launchpad**: Program aimed to support teenagers and young people as they transition through school. This program provides information, support and education to equip young people with the specific skills, resources and networks that they need to be confident in their teenage years.

**Our Way:** Separate female and male group programs aimed at increasing social competencies to help young people develop independent life skills to better manage at home, in the neighbourhood and in the wider community by developing organisational skills, practical living skills such as managing money, travel, clothing, cooking, shopping, around the house jobs, personal care and safety along with people skills.

**Thrive:** a flexible online wellbeing and life skills training program that provides young people with the tools and skills to increase in confidence, self-worth and motivation, helping them to build resilience and overcome adversity throughout their lives. It is a Personal Leadership Program that can potentially be used as a SACE Personal Learning Plan (PLP) subject.

### **OTHER PROGRAMS/SUPPORT SERVICES**

**Parent Connections Group:** Support Group for parents/carers of children with additional needs. It meets in various locations on Eyre Peninsula and aims to provide a friendly, supportive and non-judgemental safe space to share challenges and triumphs. It raises awareness and provides information on services and supports available.

**Seedling:** Information sessions provided for families who have had a child diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder, usually within the last 12 months. Runs once per term for a day and night session.

Mindful Awareness Parenting: In the 5 session MAP™ workshops you will learn: to notice what your child needs, to repair your relationships when things don't go as smoothly as you would like, ways to help you stay calm with your kids, to enjoy being a "Good Enough" Parent, ways to look after yourself even when you are busy looking after your family, to have fun and enjoy being a parent and lifelong relationship skills. Workshops are offered annually in Port Lincoln and at a regional site on Eyre Peninsula. Expressions of interest are always welcome.

**Parent Training** - Termly training in areas such as sleeping, play, and fussy eating. Topics vary according to requests.

### **CONTACT DETAILS**

Phone 8683 4488

Address 11 Tobruk Terrace, Port Lincoln

Email learn@tobrukcentre.com.au

Website www.tobrukcentre.com.au

### **ActivOT Occupational Therapy**

Phone 0427 220 028

Address 3 Barry Avenue, Port Lincoln

Website www.activot.com.au

Description Assessment and intervention services within the home for:

specialised equipment, scooter and mobility assessment and training, home modifications, rehabilitation programs, back care management, specialist seating and wheelchairs.

### **Country Health Connect - Community Health Services**

Phone 8683 2200

Address Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln Hospital

Description Providing a range of services including Physiotherapy, Speech

Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Social Work, Dietician,

Podiatry, visiting Paediatrics support and more.

### **Country & Outback Health**

Phone 8621 3800

Address 21 Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.cobh.com.au/

Description Provides mental health and general health programs across

rural South Australia. Also provides Support Coordination and

Plan Management for NDIS clients.

### **Crown Speech Pathology (Stephanie Hood)**

Phone 0403 772 567

Description Providing generalist speech pathology, working with people of

all ages and diagnosis.

### **EP Physio Plus**

Phone 8682 6665

Address 2/10 Washington Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.epphysioplus.com

Description Physiotherapy services including pain management, injury

management, exercise psychologist, strength coordination.

### **Eyre Sports Physio**

Phone 8682 2291

Address 52 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Physiotherapy service

Website www.mortlockclinic.com.au/eyre-sports-physio/

### **Lower Eyre Physiotherapy**

Phone 8682 5121

Address 26 Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Physiotherapy service

### My DE and me

Phone 0428 834 332

Address 32 Flinders Highway, Port Lincoln

Description Development Educator specialising in fostering the skills,

independence and quality of life of people with development

and/or acquired disabilities using a practical approach

focusing on identifying and working towards individuals goals in a collaborative manner. Support is provided to individuals,

their carers and support networks.

### **Novita**

Phone 1300 668 482

Address 2/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.novita.org.au

Description Offering physiotherapy, occupational therapy, psychology,

speech pathology and support coordination to the Port Lincoln

area.

### **Podiatry Care**

Phone 8683 4374

Address 27 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.podiatrycare.com.au/clinics/port-lincoln

Description Digital laser scan orthotics and can tailor a customised orthotic

prescription to suit your individual needs.

### **Tobruk Centre**

Phone 8683 4488

Address 11 Tobruk Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.tobrukcentre.com.au

Description Speech Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Developmental

Educator, Youth Development Practitioner, Social Worker,

Allied Health Assistant, ASD Assessment.

### Young pOTential

Phone 0400 031 523

Website www.youngpotential.com.au

Description Working with children and their families to overcome

difficulties in the areas of: retained primitive reflexes, fine and gross motor coordination, sensory processing, play, self-care,

learning, behaviour, attention, social skills and more.

### **CHILDCARE**

### **Family Day Care**

Phone 8645 6590 (co-ordinator) or 1300 551 895

Address c/- DECD office, 3/7 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Family day care child care services in home based settings with

up to four children per setting. Also available for overnight and

weekend stays.

### **Kiddywinks Child Care Centre**

Phone 8683 1500

Address 17 Freeman Avenue, Port Lincoln

Description Child care centre

### Occasional Care-Kirton Point Children's Centre

Phone 8682 5969

Address 63 Stevenson Street, Port Lincoln

Description Occasional care placements, subject to availability.

### Port Lincoln Children's Centre

Phone 8683 3073

Address 80 St Andrews Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Child care and preschool.

### **Tiny TAFE Child Care Centre**

Phone 8688 3641

Address 2 London Street, Port Lincoln

Description Child care centre.

### **Toy Box Child Care Centre**

Phone 8682 6633

Address 46 New West Road, Port Lincoln

Description Child care centre.

### **VACATION CARE**

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Community Council**

Phone 8682 6677

Address 30 Ravendale Road, Port Lincoln

Description Vacation Care activities include art, craft, sport and day

excursions. 9:30am - 4:30pm Monday to Friday during school

holidays.

### **Port Lincoln Gymnastics Club**

Phone 8683 3055

Address 50 Coronation Place, Port Lincoln

Description A range of groups and programs available, including Vacation

Fun program for children aged 5 years and older.

### **OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE (OSHC)**

### **SHERPA Kids**

Phone 0407 927 303

Address Navigator College and Saint Joseph's School

Description After hours care provided for all school children (at SJS), and

vocational care at Navigator College.

### Port Lincoln Aboriginal Community Council—Gidja Club

Phone 8683 0155

Address 30 Ravendale Road, Port Lincoln

Description The Out of School Hours Program operates each night after

school. Children who have attended school that day are collected by bus and taken to Gidja Club where they are given a snack and can participate in organised activities. They are

then returned home by 6pm.

### **KINDERGARTENS**

### **Bishop Kindergarten**

Phone 8682 2412

Address 5 Willison Street, Port Lincoln

Description Kindy and playgroup available.

### **Kirton Point Kindergarten**

Phone 8682 5969

Address 63 Stevenson Street, Port Lincoln

Description Kindy and playgroup available. Includes the IPP- Inclusive

Preschool Program.

### **Park Terrace Kindergarten**

Phone 8683 3690

Address 5 Park Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Kindy and playgroup available.

### **Poonindie Kindergarten and Special Needs Playgroup**

Phone 8684 6074

Address Poonindie School grounds, Lincoln Highway Poonindie

Description Kindy and special needs playgroup.

### **Port Lincoln Children's Centre**

Phone 8683 3073

Address 80 St Andrews Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Preschool and kindy available, optional bus service for kindy.

### **GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS**

### **Kirton Point Primary School**

Phone 8682 1003

Address Matthew Place, Port Lincoln Website www.kirtonpps.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Reception to Year 7

### **Lincoln Gardens Primary School**

Phone 8682 6277

Address Barley Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.gardens.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Reception to Year 7

### **Poonindie Primary School**

Phone 8684 6067

Address Hirchausen Road, Poonindie
Website www.poonindieps.sa.edu.au

Description Education— Reception to Year 7

### **Port Lincoln High School**

Phone 8682 3677

Address Ruskin Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.plhs.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Year 8 to Year 12

### **Port Lincoln Junior Primary School**

Phone 8682 1226

Address Adelaide Place, Port Lincoln
Website www.lincolnjp.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Reception to Year 2

### **Port Lincoln Primary School**

Phone 8682 1544

Address Lincoln Place, Port Lincoln

Website www.plps.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Year 3 to Year 7

### **GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS**

### **Port Lincoln Special School**

Phone 8682 5319

Address Barley Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.plss.sa.edu.au

Description Education – students with intellectual disabilities, specialising

in Autism, Reception to Year 12.

### **PRIVATE SCHOOLS**

### St Joseph's School

Phone 8682 3655

Address 14 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.sjspl.catholic.edu.au

Description Education Foundation to Year 12, Catholic Education.

### **Navigator College**

Phone 8682 5099

Address 61 Windsor Avenue, Port Lincoln

Website www.navigator.sa.edu.au

Description Education—Reception to Year 12, Lutheran Education.

### **EDUCATION SUPPORTS**

### **Eyre District Education Office**

Phone 8682 3788

Website www.education.sa.gov.au

Description Guidance officer, speech pathologists, disabilities support, for

schools and pre-schools.

### **Learning Together At Home Program**

Phone 0437 736 556 / 8682 5969

Website www.sa.gov.au/topics/education-and-learning/disability-and-

special-needs/learning-together-at-home-program

Description A home visiting service that supports families with children 0-4

years to develop skills to help their children's learning and

development through play.

### **Carers SA**

Phone 8683 4477

Address 1/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.carers-sa.asn.au

Description Providing counselling, respite, education, training, and more.

### **CentaCare Catholic Family Services**

Phone 8683 0733

Address 32 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.ccsa.org.au

Description Working with individuals, families and communities to

counsel, support and educate. A range of programs are

available.

### **Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS)**

Phone 1300 222 647 (CAMHS Connect)

Address Port Lincoln Hospital, Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.wch.sa.gov.au/services/az/divisions/mentalhealthindex.html

Description CAMHS provides a range of therapeutic counselling services for

children and adolescents between birth and 18 years of age, and

their families (16 years for rural).

### **Christina Derbyshire (visiting Registered Psychologist)**

Phone 0402 466 735

Description Visits Port Lincoln and consults for one week each four weeks.

Offering online counselling sessions for children, adolescents and

adults throughout Eyre Peninsula in between visits.

### **Country & Outback Health**

Phone 8621 3800

Address 21 Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website http://cobh.com.au/

Description Provides mental health and general health programs across rural

South Australia. Also provides Support Coordination and

Plan Management for NDIS clients.

### **Crisis Care**

Phone 8688 3344 (local DCP) or 131 611 (after hours)

Website www.dcp.sa.gov.au

Description Telephone support service for when things go wrong and people

require emergency support.

### **EP Counselling and Art Therapy**

Phone 0427 013 747

Description Holistic therapy through art and individualised counselling

### **Eyre Mental Health Service (Local Health Network)**

Phone 8683 2083

Address West Wing Port Lincoln Health Services, Oxford Tce, Port Lincoln

Description Adult mental health service provide community mental health

services for people 16 years and over with moderate to severe

mental health illnesses.

### Headspace

Phone 8621 3880

Address 19 Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.headspace.org.au/headspace-centres/port-lincoln/

Description Provides free and confidential support to young people 12 to 25

years and their families/carers. Supports include mental health counselling, access to youth friendly GP services and access to

counselling for alcohol and other drug use.

### **Learning Keys (Clinical, Educational and Developmental Psychologist)**

Phone 8272 6916

Website www.learningkeys.com.au

Description Providing psychological and educational assessments for children

aged 6 to 16 years. Visiting Port Lincoln each school term.

### Novita

Phone 1300 668 482

Address 2/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.novita.org.au

Description Offering psychology services to the Port Lincoln area.

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Health Services**

Phone 8683 0162

Address 19A Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.plahs.org.au/

Description Providing quality, holistic primary health care services to the

Aboriginal community, and can include advocacy support and

counselling.

### **Positive Future Self**

Phone 0437 800 733

Address Unit 2/138 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Offering counselling and psychotherapy, hypnotherapy, neuro-

linguistic programming, neuro-feedback therapy and coaching

for both one-on-one and groups.

### **Relationships Australia**

Phone 1300 364 277

Website www.rasa.org.au

Description Not for profit, community based organisation focussing on

improving health and wellbeing. Services include counselling.

### **Uniting Country SA Family and Relationship Services (FaRS)**

Phone 0437 425 690

Address Shop 13 Harwill Court, Port Lincoln

Description Providing programs that enhance family relationships, provide

skills, education, information and support to families.

### **Victims Support Services**

Address 52 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.victimsa.org

Description Provides free and confidential help to adult victims of crime,

witnesses, their family.

### **West Coast Youth Services**

Phone 8683 0072

Address 1/7 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.wcycs.com.au

Description Supporting young people 12 to 25 years and their families on

the Lower Eyre Peninsula in the transition to adulthood and independence, providing a range of services to meet their needs.

### Yarredi

Phone 8683 0311

Address 13 Dutton Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.yarredi.org.au

Description Counselling support for young women experiencing domestic

violence, and for children who have witnessed violence, plus a

range of other programs.

### **ONLINE & PHONE SUPPORT SERVICES**

### **Parent Help Line**

Phone 1300 364 100

Website www.parenting.sa.gov.au/helpline

Description Counselling service for parents, and people working with

children aged from birth to 12 years, providing information

about health, behaviours and relationships.

### **Regional Access**

Phone 1300 032 186

Website www.saregionalaccess.org.au

Description Free professional telephone and online counselling 24 hours a

day, seven days a week for people 15 years and older living or

working in regional South Australia.

### **Smiling Minds (online)**

Website www.smilingmind.com.au

Description An app for daily mindfulness and meditation.

### **Crisis Care**

Phone 8688 3344 (local DCP) or 131 611 (after hours)

Website www.dcp.sa.gov.au

Description Telephone support service for when things go wrong and

people require emergency support.

### **Beyond Blue**

Phone 1300 224 636

Website www.beyondblue.org.au

Description 24 hour counselling service for all ages and locations.

### **Black Dog Institute**

Phone Reception (02) 9382 4530

Website www.blackdoginstitute.org.au

Description Non emergency online service for mental health.

### **Kids Helpline**

Phone 1800 551 800

Website www.kidshelpline.com.au

Description Free online counselling service specifically for young people

aged 5-25 years.

### Life Line

Phone 131 114

Website www.lifeline.org.au

Description 24 hour counselling service for all Australians experiencing a

personal crisis.

### Dads in Distress (Parents beyond breakup)

Phone 1300 853 437

Website www.dadsindistress.asn.au

www.parentsbeyondbreakup.com

Description 24 hour counselling service for fathers who are separated

from partners and children.

### eHeadspace

Phone 1800 650 890

Website www.headspace.org.au/eheadspace/

Description Offers 1:1 and group counselling via phone or chat.

### **Rural and Remote Mental Health Triage**

Phone 13 14 65

Description Providing mental health services to people across rural and

remote SA.

### Griefline

Phone 1300 845 745

Website www.griefline.org.au/

Description Provides online supports for grief, loss, trauma, financial

hardship and major changes.

### **PHONE APPS**

Headspace

Website www.headspace.com

Description An app to improve the health and happiness of the world.

Happify

Website www.happify.com

Description Learn positive psychology and overcome negative thoughts

through brain training and activities.

Moodgym

Description Helps with depression and anxiety. Builds strategies for

emotional stress.

HelloMind

Description Provides 10 sessions at no cost for help with anxiety, stress

and sleeping.

What's Up?

Description Interactive games to cope with stress and anxiety.

MoodMission

Description Teaches coping techniques for low moods, stress and anxiety,

provides activities for mindfulness and wellness.

Tide

Description Helps to increase mindfulness, and improve focus,

concentration and productivity.

Calm

Description Helps to reduce anxiety, stress and worries, increase

mindfulness and introduce breathing exercises.

**Beyond Now** 

Description Created by Beyond Blue as a safety planning app for managing

thoughts and feelings of suicide.

**Pacifica** 

Description Provides tools for managing stress, anxiety and depression.

Also includes mindfulness meditation.

**Smiling Mind** 

Description Teaches mindfulness and meditation for managing symptoms

of depression and anxiety.

**Reach Out** 

Description Helps to reduce anxiety through breathing exercises, and

support through panic attacks.

### **ActivOT Occupational Therapy**

Phone 0427 220 028

Address 3 Barry Avenue, Port Lincoln

Website www.activot.com.au

Description Assessment and intervention services within the home for:

specialised equipment, scooter and mobility assessment and training, home modifications, rehabilitation programs, back care management, specialist seating and wheelchairs.

### **Country Health Connect - Community Health Services**

Phone 8683 2200

Address Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln Hospital

Description Providing a range of services including Physiotherapy, Speech

Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Social Work, Dietician,

Podiatry, visiting Paediatrics support and more.

### ISAAD - ABA services

Phone 0447 250 755 Website www.isaad.org

Description Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA) Intervention.

### Novita

Phone 1300 668 482

Address 2/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.novita.org.au/

Description Offering physiotherapy, occupational therapy, psychology,

speech pathology and support coordination to the Port Lincoln

area.

### **Social Steps**

Phone 0458 833 898

Description Offering a range of disability support services for children/

teenagers working one to one or in small groups with a focus on life and social skill development along with social and

community participation.

### **Tobruk Centre for Children's Development**

Phone 8683 4488

Address 11 Tobruk Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.tobrukcentre.com.au

Description Services including Speech Pathology, Occupational Therapy,

Developmental Educator support, Youth Development Practitioner, Social Work and Allied Health Assistant.

### Young pOTential

Phone 0400 031 523

Website www.youngpotential.com.au

Description Working with children and their families to overcome

difficulties in the areas of: retained primitive reflexes, fine and gross motor coordination, sensory processing, play, self-care,

learning, behaviour, attention, social skills and more.

### **Department of Child Protection**

Phone 8688 3344

Address 71 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.dcp.sa.gov.au

Description Child protection.

### **Housing SA**

Phone 131 299

Address 10 Hallett Place, Port Lincoln

Website www.dcsi.sa.gov.au/services/housing-sa

Description Provision of housing assistance to eligible families.

### **Medicare Local**

Phone 13 24 68

Address 8 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/subjects/medicare-

services

Description Making it easier for patients to navigate the Primary Health

Care System, liaise with health care professionals and

services.

### **Port Lincoln City Council**

Phone 8621 2300

Address 60 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.portlincoln.sa.gov.au/

Description Council services to the township of Port Lincoln.

### **Autism SA Visiting Assessment Team**

Phone 8379 6976

Description Visiting assessment team. A written referral is required.

Parents and professionals can make the referral. Phone

Autism SA to access forms and to discuss.

### **Child Development Unit**

Phone 8683 2200

Address Port Lincoln Hospital, Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Offer single and dual opinion assessments at no cost.

Supported by Speech Pathologists from Country Health

Connect and Tobruk Centre, and Paediatricians from Women's

and Children's Hospital. GP referral required.

### **Novita**

Phone 1300 668 482

Address 2/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.novita.org.au

Description Offer visiting psychologist to conduct single opinion.

### **Tobruk Centre for Children's Development**

Phone 8683 4488

Address 11 Tobruk Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.tobrukcentre.com.au

Description Offer single and dual opinion assessments with Speech

Pathologist and Psychologist.

### **VISITING PAEDIATRICIANS (GP referral required)**

### **Child Development Unit (CDU)**

### **Dr Andrew Tidemann & Dr Deidre White**

Phone 8683 2722 (CDU Co-ordinator)

Address Port Lincoln Health Services

### Port Augusta Regional Paediatric Unit

Phone 8668 7720

Address Port Augusta Health Services

### Centrelink

Phone 13 24 68

Address 8 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Description Delivering a range of payments and services for people at

times of major change. Families may be able to access

financial support including: Carer Allowance, Carer Payment,

Carer Adjustment Payment.

### **National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)**

Phone 1800 800 110

Website www.ndis.gov.au

Description To ensure people with a disability receive the support they

require. Funded by the Federal Government.

### Medicare Australia

Phone 132 011

Address 8 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Description Universal health care system that provides eligible Australians

with affordable health care. Assistance available for families to access therapy services, through a range of schemes including

the EPC and HCWA schemes.

### **CentaCare Catholic Family Services**

Phone 8683 0733

Address 32 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.ccsa.org.au

Description Working with individuals, families and communities to

counsel, support and educate. A range of programs are

available.

### **Salvation Army**

Phone 8682 6724

Address 41-45 Marine Avenue, Port Lincoln

Website www.salvationarmy.org.au/portlincoln/

Description Access short-term financial assistance in the form of food

parcels and vouchers. Music program for pre schoolers and

their parent/caregiver.

### **Uniting Country SA**

Phone 1300 067 777

Address 3-5 Eyre Street, Port Lincoln

Description Providing a range of financial aid programs to those in need.

### **Uniting Communities**

Phone 8682 3571

Address 41 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.unitingcommunities.org

Description Offering programs and support to the local community,

including short term emergency respite and other respite

programs.

### **Empowrd**

Phone 8683 4401

Address 10B Washington Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.empowrd.com.au

Description Independent National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)

registered service provider and Plan Management and

Support Coordination services.

### **Eyre Futures**

Phone 8682 4177

Address Unit 3/80 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.eyrefutures.com.au

Description Plan Management for NDIS. SLES (School leavers employment

service), DES (Disability employment services). Wheels in motion, assist learner drivers to complete 75 hours of

compulsory driving.

### **Country & Outback Health**

Phone 8621 3800

Address 21 Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.cobh.com.au

Description Provides mental health and general health programs across

rural South Australia. Also provides Support Coordination and

Plan Management for NDIS clients.

### Novita

Phone 1300 668 482

Address 2/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.novita.org.au

Description Offering physiotherapy, occupational therapy, psychology,

speech pathology and support coordination to the Port Lincoln

area.

### **Strive Disability Support Services**

Phone 0411 507 174

Address PO Box 2479, Port Lincoln

Website www.strivesupport.com.au

Description Provides Developmental Education, Social Work and Support

Coordination (for NDIS clients).

### **Advocacy for Disability Access and Inclusion Inc**

Phone 8340 4450

Website www.advocacyfordisability.org.au

Description Advocacy support for people with a disability and their family.

May travel to regional areas to provide face to face support.

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Health Services**

Phone 8683 0162

Address 19A Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.plahs.org.au/

Description Providing advocacy support and counselling.

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Community Council (PLACC)**

Phone 8682 6677

Address 30 Ravendale Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.placc.com

Description Liaises and communicates with local, state and federal

departments to support and provide programs and services to

meet the needs of the community.

### **Bloom**

Phone 8682 6966

Address Civic Centre, Shop 6/60 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Offering free hearing tests, thorough examinations and

diagnosis, with leading solutions to correct hearing.

### **Hearing Australia Port Lincoln**

Phone 8383 8800

Address 52 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Audiology, hearing Aids, hearing tests.

### **National Hearing Care Port Lincoln**

Phone (08) 7130 3760

Address 3-5 Eyre Street, Port Lincoln

Description Hearing Tests.

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Health Services**

Phone 8683 0162

Address 19A Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.plahs.org.au

Description Providing quality, holistic primary health care services to the

Aboriginal community including advocacy, support and

counselling.

### **Shine SA**

Phone 1300 883 793

Website www.shinesa.org.au

Description Providing sexual health services and information to the

community.

### **South Australian Cochlear Implant Centre**

Phone 8379 4500

Address 52 Mortlock Clinic, Port Lincoln

Website www.sacic.com.au

Description Assessment form hearing implant technology. Visits Port

Lincoln four times a year.

### **Autism SA**

Phone 1300 288 476

Website www.autismsa.org.au

Description Infoline available from 9am to 4pm Monday to Friday.

### **Early Days**

Phone 8379 6976 (via Autism SA)

Website www.autismsa.org.au/early-days

Description Access to online learning, and where possible, face to face

learning through workshops. A range of topics are available.

### **Eyre Carers**

Phone 8683 4477

Address 1/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.carers-sa.asn.au/carer-support/port-lincoln

Description Support to people who are carers via information and a range

of programs.

### **One Heart**

Phone 8683 1929

Address 55 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Description Goods and service assistance to local welfare groups. Funding

support for community service organisations.

### **Port Lincoln Aboriginal Health Services**

Phone 8683 0162

Address 19A Oxford Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.plahs.org.au

Description Providing quality, holistic primary health care services to the

Aboriginal community including advocacy, support and

counselling.

### **Positive Partnerships**

Phone 1300 881 971

Website www.positivepartnerships.com.au

Description Information, fact sheets, tools, online learning, and resources

to support school aged students on the Autism Spectrum, and

their families.

### **Raising Children Network**

Website raisingchildren.net.au/

Description An online resource for parenting from infants through to

eens.

### **Uniting Care Wesley Adelaide**

Phone 8682 7900

Address Shop 3-5 Eyre Street, 13 Harwill Court, Port Lincoln

Website www.ucscsa.org.au

Description Provision of information and support across a broad variety of

areas, including disability.

### **Uniting Communities**

Phone 8682 3571

Address 41 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.unitingcommunities.org

Description Offering programs and support to the local community,

including short term emergency respite, and other respite

programs.

### **CARA**

Phone 8347 4588 (Adelaide Office)

Address Shop 10, Civic Centre, 60 Tasman Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.cara.org.au

Description Respite support for children 5-16 years who are registered

with Disability SA.

### **Eyre Carers**

Phone 8683 4477

Address 1/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.carers-sa.asn.au/carer-support/port-lincoln

Description Support to people who are carers via information and a range

of programs.

### **GoNADS**

Phone 0480 194 120

Website www.gonads.com.au

Description Specialising in the care and support of individuals living with a

disability.

### **HOMECARE +**

Phone 8683 3188

Address 25 Napoleon Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.homecareplus.asn

Description Provision of staff to assist families with respite care, and other

supports. Funding is required to access supports, this may

come from Disability SA, NDIS, etc.

### **Uniting Communities**

Phone 8682 3571

Address 41 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln Website www.unitingcommunities.org

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Description Offering programs and support to the local community, including short term emergency respite, and other respite

programs.

### **Siblings Australia**

Phone 8253 4937

Website www.siblingsaustralia.org.au

Description Support, information and resources for siblings.

### **Eyre Carers – Young Carers Program**

Phone 8683 4477

Address 1/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.carers-sa.asn.au/carer-support/eyre

Description Providing information, support and access to activities for

young people (aged 7-25) who provide significant care to a

parent or sibling with special needs or illness.

### **Uniting Communities-Young Carers Program**

Phone 8202 5111

Website www.unitingcommunities.org

Description Assistance to access funding for things such as tutoring,

respite, etc. Designed to assist a young person who may be caring for a parent or a sibling with special needs to have a

break from their role as carer.

### **Eyre Carers**

Phone 8683 4477

Address 1/18 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.carers-sa.asn.au/carer-support/eyre

Description Provision of information and support to carers.

### Kaleidoscope

Facebook www.facebook.com/kids.kaleidoscope

Description Parent/carer based support group, providing support and

information, meetings are held monthly.

### My Time

Phone 0417 774 993 (Colleen Lynch)

Address Unity Hill Church New West Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.mytime.net.au

Description Weekly meetings during school terms for parents to share

information and support each other.

### **West Coast Youth & Community Support**

Phone 8683 0072

Address 1/7 Mortlock Terrace, Port Lincoln

Website www.wcycs.com.au/

Description Youth Programs. Youth shelter and emergency

accommodation for people ages 15 to 17 experiencing

homelessness. Case management.

### Port Lincoln Gymnastics Club - Kindergym and Gymnastics Program

Phone 8683 3055

Address 50 Coronation Place, Port Lincoln

Description A range of programs available, including special needs gym.

### **Riding for the Disabled**

Phone 8682 4544

Address Ravendale Park Pony Club, Proper Bay Road, Port Lincoln

Website www.rdasa.org.au/

Description Horse riding (places are limited).

### **Port Lincoln Leisure Centre**

Phone 8683 4949

Address 2 Jubilee Drive, Port Lincoln

Description Hydrotherapy program and heated pool. LEAD swimming

lessons.

### **Baptist Care**

Phone 8683 4464

Address 14 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.baptistcaresa.org.au

Description Tumbelin - a therapeutic Adventure based program for young

people (aged 13-18 years) living in the Eyre Region.

### **Paratheatre**

Phone 0428 111 201

Address Light House Church Hall, Dutton Street, Port Lincoln

Description For persons 16 and over, providing a place to learn or develop

love of music, arts and creative expression. Held every

Thursday of the school term between 4 and 6pm.

### **Immersion Therapy**

Phone 0417 932 466

Website www.determined2.com.au

Description Immersion Therapy™ is a service that was developed to offer

freedom of movement within the weightless environment of

underwater using SCUBA equipment.

### **Red Cross**

Phone 8683 0551

Address 20 Edinburgh Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.redcross.org.au

Description Share the dignity, sanitary products free of charge, dispenser

in store. Beach mating and wheelchair access to front beach in

Port Lincoln (seasonal, Monday, Wednesday, Friday).

### I H8 Cooking

Phone 0410 526 477

Website www.facebook.com/ih8cooking.portlincoln/

Description Nationally run program to help people by cooking food for

them with the ingredients they already own.

### **Quirky Owl**

Phone 0429 834 959

Address Shop 2, 2-4 King Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.facebook.com/quirkyowlstudioandgallery/

Description Offers art classes, unique, handmade jewellery, accessories,

homewares and artwork.

### **United We Made It**

Phone 0429 822 829

Address Shop 5-6 Harwill Court, 3 Eyre Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.facebook.com/unitedwemadeit

Description Create one-off pieces with an upcycling focus. Focused on

achieving NDIS goals through artistic interests.

### **Bedford**

Phone 8682 6011

Address 30 Coronation Place, Port Lincoln

Website www.bedfordgroup.com.au

Description Provide employment and day options for people with a

disability from 16 years of age.

### **Community Bridging Services**

Phone 8682 5939

Address 20 Napoleon Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.communitybridgingservices.org.au

Description Disability employment service provider.

### **Complete Personnel**

Phone 8682 1698

Address 3, 8 –12 Napolean Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.complete-personnel.com.au

Description Employment, recruitment and training service.

### **Job Access**

Phone 1800 464 800

Website www.jobaccess.gov.au/home

Description National hub for workplace employment information for

people with a disability, employers and service providers.

### **Job Active Website**

Website www.jobsearch.gov.au

Description Job active supports job seekers to find work.

### **JobnetH**

Phone 8682 5937

Address 20 Napolean Street, Port Lincoln

Description Disability employment service for students in their last year

of school onwards.

### **Wise Employment**

Phone 8621 2600

Address 80 Washington Street, Port Lincoln Website www.wiseemployment.com.au

Description Programs and services, in support of and complementary to

our free government-funded employment services.

### **Workskil Australia**

Phone (08) 7624 8200

Address Shop 9-11 Harwill Court 3-5 Eyre Street, Port Lincoln

Description Government funded employment services for people aged

between 14 to 65 years.

### **Aboriginal Family Support Services**

Phone 8683 1909

Address 21 Washington Street, Port Lincoln

Website www.afss.com.au

Description Providing support, assistance and advocacy to Aboriginal

children, youth and families, including working with Families SA around the placement of Aboriginal children in foster care.

### **Awaken Wellness**

Phone 0400 257 072

Website www.awakenwellness.com.au

Description Internationally recognised sleep consultant working with

families to support children aged newborn to 12 years and their families to gain healthy sleeping habits. Phone app

available on the Apple iTunes App Store.

### **Care Seekers**

Phone 1300 765 465

Website www.careseekers.com.au

Description Support workers for people with a disability.

### **Community House**

Phone 8683 4722

Address 14 Conrad Street, Port Lincoln

Description Providing a wide range of services to the local community

including computer classes, community meals, community

garden, etc.

### **Hire Up** (online service)

Website www.hireup.com.au/register

Description Online service platform for support workers and people with a

disability.

### **Port Lincoln Library**

Phone 8621 2345

Address 2 London Street, Port Lincoln

Website https://onecard.network/client/en\_AU/portlincoln/?dt=list

Description Access to books with onecard. School holiday fun. Story

telling for children.

### **Salvation Army**

Phone 8682 6724

Address 41-45 Marine Avenue, Port Lincoln

Website www.salvationarmy.org.au/portlincoln/

Description Mainly music program for pre schoolers and their parent/

caregiver. Access short-term financial assistance in the form of

food parcels and vouchers.

### St Vincent de Paul (Vinnie's)

Phone 8682 3962

Address 7 Hallet Place, Port Lincoln

Description Emergency Assistance to those in need with food, clothing and

household items.