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disability services

# regional individual and family support



Northcott Disability Services provides support to individuals with physical disabilities and their families living in the regional areas of North Coast, Orana/Far West/Central West, New England and the Riverina-Murray. By offering support in a holistic way, regional individual and family support workers help promote genuine inclusion in all aspects of the community.

## Services

- Individual and family support
- Home visits to families
- Advocacy for families and individuals
- Assistance for clients to access community services
- School visits
- Advice and assistance with acquisition of equipment
- Group programs for all ages such as support groups, parent weekends, sibling groups and personal development

**Contact** The Team Leader at the relevant regional office below

- Provision of information regarding recreational opportunities in the local area
- Introduction and access to respite services either run by Northcott or other organisations
- Spina bifida clinics are held bi-annually. Staff from Northcott's Computer Assistive Technology Service (CATS) and Northcott Equipment Services (NES) also bring their specialised services to rural areas throughout the year
- Resource library in each regional office.

## Eligibility

Individuals with physical disabilities and their families. Client ages range from infancy through to adulthood.

## Geographical area

North Coast, Orana/Far West/Central West, New England, Riverina-Murray.

## Funding

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