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Young Women's Resource Centre

Housing Options for Young Women!



EMERGENCY AND CRISIS ACCOMMODATION

The following services provide emergency and crisis accommodation. This means you can stay from one night generally up to three months. The style of accommodation offered, cost and length of wait list will be different for each service listed below. Call the numbers below to find out more information.

Organisation name	Location	Phone number	Some criteria	Okay for children to stay
Anglican Women's Hostel	New Farm	3358 4444	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women only • Aged over 18 yrs 	No
Bahloo	Woollongabba	3391 2815	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young Indigenous women only • Aged 13 – 17 years 	No
Chamelon House	Redcliffe	3284 4085	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 17 years 	No
Glenhaven	Aspley	3350 3455	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pregnant women and women with children only • Aged 18 years & over 	Yes
Hannah's House	Woodend	3812 1395	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women only • Aged 13 – 17 years 	No
Integrated Family and Youth Service	Burpengary	3888 3955	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 21 years 	No
Ipswich Independent Youth Service	Ipswich	3812 1199	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 21 years 	No
Nathaniel House Youth Shelter	Mt Gravatt	3849 4038	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 17 years 	No
Orana Youth Shelter	Brendale	3261 3969	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 14 – 18 years 	No
Salvation Army Pindari Homeless Women's Service	Spring Hill	3832 6073	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women only • Aged 18 years & over 	No
Spiritus Youth Accommodation	Beenleigh	3807 5715	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 12 – 17 years 	No
Windsor Youth Shelter	Windsor	3357 7655	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 18 years 	No
DV Connect (Domestic Violence line)	24 hour emergency number	1800 811 811	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women escaping domestic or family violence 	Yes
Joyce Wilding Hostel	Eight Mile Plains	3841 0718	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single people or families • 18 years & over 	Yes
Jane Arnold Hostel	New Farm	3358 2694	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 18 years and up • Children up to 12 yrs 	Yes

SHORT TO MEDIUM TERM ACCOMMODATION

The following services provide short to medium term accommodation. This means you can stay from generally between three to six months. You will generally have to sign a lease and pay a bond and regular rent. Call the numbers below to find out more information.

Organisation name	Location	Phone number	Some criteria	Okay for children to stay
Bayside Adolescent Boarding Inc	Wynnum	3393 4176	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women, men and families • Aged 15 – 21 years 	Yes
Beenleigh Area Youth Service	Beenleigh	3287 1290	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 21 years 	Yes
Brisbane Youth Service	Valley	3252 3750	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 12 – 25 years 	Yes
Carina Youth Agency	Carina	3395 3044	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16-25 	Yes
Goodna Youth Service	Goodna	3818 1050	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 25 years 	Yes
Inala Youth and Family Support Service	Inala	3372 4435	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 25 years 	No
In-Sync	Cleveland/ Greenslopes	3286 8555	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16-25 	Yes
Kyabra Community Association	Sunnybank Hills	3373 9499	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16-25 	Yes
North-West Youth Accommodation Service	Enoggera	3855 5233	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 21 years 	Yes
Othilia's Young Women's Service	Stones Corner	3847 9633	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Young women only</i> • Aged 16 – 25 years 	Yes
Sandgate House	Sandgate	3269 9912	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 18 years 	No
St Mary's Support Service	Toowong	3870 1767	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Young women only</i> • Aged 15 – 25 years 	Yes
The Lodge Youth Support	Northgate	3266 2155	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 17 years 	No
Young Women's Program - Elorac Place	Carole Park	3271 3592	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Young pregnant or parenting women only</i> • Aged 16 – 25 years 	Yes
Youth Care	Strathpine	3881 2823	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 15 – 19 years 	Yes
Youth Housing Project	Windsor	3857 5999	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Young women & men • Aged 16 – 20 years 	Yes
Beenleigh Community Development Assoc.	Beenleigh	3287 2840	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any age • Must have children 	Yes
Booval Community Service	Booval	3816 1435	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any age • Must have children 	Yes
Clare Homes	Chermside	3624 2480	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any age • Must have children 	Yes
Gateway Community Group	Murarrie	3890 8122	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any age • Must have children 	Yes

Organisation name	Location	Phone number	Some criteria	Okay for children to stay
Inala Family Accom & Support Service	Inala	3372 7188	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes
Ipswich Community Youth Service (ICYS)	Ipswich	3812 1050	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes
Kingston East Neighbourhood Group	Woodridge	3808 1684	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes
Sherwood Neighbourhood Centre-Housing Service	Sherwood	3379 8316	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes
Silky Oaks Children's Haven	Manly	3906 8888	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 16 & upwards Must have children 	Yes
Southside Community Care	Upper Mount Gravatt	3343 1441	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes
Zillmere Family Accom Program	Zillmere	3865 2880	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any age Must have children 	Yes

LONG TERM ACCOMMODATION

There are a range of services that offer long term accommodation. Call the numbers below to find out more information.

Department of Housing - Southside Office

Ph: 3405 5300
 Level 1 221 Logan Road, Buranda
 8:30 – 4:30pm Monday to Friday

Boarding House Programs

Boarding Houses range in size and location but are generally for **single** people (no children) and provide you with a private bedroom but shared bathroom and kitchen facilities.

- **Brisbane Housing Company** – Ph: 3307 3000 **Hours:** 8.30 - 5:00pm Mon to Fri
- **Better Housing Projects (BRIC)** – Ph: 3230 5555 **Hours:** 9:00 -1:00pm Mon to Fri
- **Brisbane Boarders** – Ph: 3036 4444 **Hours:** 9:00 – 5:00pm Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri
 9:00 – 1:00pm Wed

Community Rent Schemes

Community Rent Scheme (CRS) housing is transitional housing for people who are eligible for public housing and are on the Department of Housing waitlist. CRS housing is a cheaper option than renting in the private market as rent is usually 25% of your income. You have to be on the Department of Housing waitlist to join a CRS waitlist. Call the following numbers for more information.

- **BRIC Housing (Redback, Cabbage Tree & Better Housing Projects)**
– North and South side suburbs of Brisbane.
Ph: 3230 5555 **Hours:** 9:00 - 1:00pm Mon to Fri
- **MATCH** – Metropolitan Areas (North and South side)
Ph: 3891 6100
- **Inner Northern Community Housing (INCH)** - Inner Northern City Suburbs.
Ph: 1300 780 296 **Hours:** 9:00 - 4:30pm Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri & 9:00–12:30 Wed
- **Mangrove Housing** – Eastern suburbs, Bayside, Redlands suburbs.
Ph: 3893 3299 **Hours:** 9:00 - 4.30pm Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri & 9-12pm Tues
- **BreakThrough Housing** – Caboolture, Redcliffe and Kilcoy.
Ph: 5495 8690 **Hours:** 9:00 - 4:00pm Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri
- **Interlink Community Rent Scheme** – Beenleigh and Woodridge Areas
Ph: 3808 2206 **Hours:** 9.30 – 3.00pm

TENANCY SERVICES

Call the numbers below if you have questions about your accommodation or if you need some advice on your rights as a tenant.

- **Residential Tenancy Authority** – **Ph:** 1300 366 311 **Hours:** 9:00 – 5:00pm Mon to Fri
- **Tenants Union Qld** - **Ph:** 3257 1108 **Hours:** 9:00 – 5:00pm Mon to Fri
- **Tenancy Advice and Advocacy Service - Inner Southern Suburbs:**
Ph: 3844 9814 / **Hours:** 8-12pm Mon to Fri
- **Tenancy Advice and Advocacy Service - Outer Southern Suburbs:**
Ph: 3277 7583 / **Hours:** 9:00 – 5:00pm Mon-Fri