

## What is a Neighbourhood Centre??

In general, Neighbourhood Centres carry out 5 main areas of work:

- service development & delivery
- community activities
- community information, education & advocacy
- individual support & direct assistance
- social research and planning

## Narrabri Neighbourhood Centre is...

- a part of our local community
- responsive to needs and gaps in services
- a generalist organisation that provides information and support to different groups in our community
- community development focused
- independent of government departments
- run by a community management board
- flexible in service delivery
- part of a network of similar organisations



## Contact

### Narrabri Neighbourhood Centre

(OE, NC, NHSS, NF&YS and WWTL)

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### Narrabri Women and Children's Refuge

NHSS

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### Narrabri Supported Playgroups & Namoi Toy Library

(NTL, PL)

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Narrabri District Community Aid Service Inc.

## Narrabri Neighbourhood Centre

### Mission:

Growing With Our  
Community

### Vision:

Working together to strengthen  
individuals, families and  
Communities



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## Operating Services from Narrabri Neighbourhood

**Narrabri Outreach Family Worker (OE)** based in Narrabri and provides services in the Narrabri Shire to families with children aged 0 –5 in Bellata, Edgeroi, Maules Creek, Baan Baa, Boggabri, surrounding farms and isolated families in these communities. OE staff are trained and can offer parenting programs, family support, advocacy, information and referral

**Community Development Worker (NC)** works in partnership with all the Narrabri services delivering a coordinated service provision within the Narrabri region. NC undertakes the Delivery of Events and consults with the Community connecting people with information and assisting with referrals.

**Namoi Toy Library (NTL)** offers a diverse range of toys for families within short term borrowing context . .  
Opening Hours are 9:00am—2:00pm on Thursdays.



### Narrabri Supported Playgroups (PL) Busy Little Hands at Play

Playgroups run:

Narrabri - every Thursday at the Namoi Toy Library Grounds

Bellata - 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of month at Bellata Tennis Club

**Namoi Family & Youth Support (NF&YS)** provides services to families in Wee Waa, Narrabri, Pilliga, Gwabegar and surrounding properties. NF&YS supports children, families, and youth. NF&YS offer 1:1 support, programs in practical skills and parenting development, case management support, advice, advocacy and referrals. NF&YS are committed to providing services specifically for people or communities who are isolated, socio/economically disadvantaged and/or Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families.

**Wee Waa Toy Library (WWTL)** is a travelling service that covers Wee Waa, Pilliga and Gwabegar. It is a service that supports childhood development by offering parents and carers a large variety of educational toys, puzzles and games on a regular basis that can be used or borrowed.



**Narrabri Homelessness Support Service (NHSS)** provides essential services to individuals and families at risk or experiencing homelessness. Staff are skilled in achieving and maintaining safe and stable housing within the Community for these persons. NHSS aims to provide assistance to clients through the provision of: intensive long term and short term support, interagency coordination and collaboration, case management and supported referrals. Clients undertake skill development in areas of budgeting, living skills and other key areas.

### Narrabri Family Crisis Centre: The Women & Children's Refuge

The Refuge offers short term emergency accommodation for women and children who are homeless as an outcome of domestic violence and/or other at risk factors. The Refuge also provides an outreach service to support clients in maintaining their current accommodation, reducing homelessness. The Women & Children's Refuge provides Domestic Violence programs and other educational programs such as budgeting to promote a safe return for clients in transitioning back to Independent Housing.

For emergency accommodation out of business hours please contact:  
**Link2home: 1800 152 152**