

PROJECT DETAILS

Project Name	Darwin: Pre and Post Release Supported Accommodation
Project Description	<p>The program is intended to provide transitional accommodation and reintegration support services to eligible male prisoners and offenders who are experiencing issues with housing and homelessness.</p> <p>There is a significant emphasis on case management and reintegration to provide skills for living in the community and to assist residents in establishing community connections and restoring family/community relationships that will support independent living.</p> <p>The program will also support residents to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Engage in and/or find meaningful and sustainable employment; and/or * Obtain various vocational skills through structured training; and * Build knowledge of the requirements of maintaining tenancy and employment.

The period within which project funding will be available, and period within which applications may be submitted is as follows:

Period	Opening Date	Closing Date
Project	1 January 2018	31 December 2019
Applications	7 November 2017	24 November 2017

The total amount of funding available for this project is as follows:

Financial Year	Cost Centre 1	Cost Centre 2	TOTAL
	79FGCG02D - Reform Programs - Pre/Post Release Support		(by Financial Year)
2017/2018	\$100,000.00		\$100,000.00
2018/2019	\$190,000.00		\$190,000.00
2019/2020	\$90,000.00		\$90,000.00
TOTAL (by CC)	\$380,000.00		\$380,000.00

This project has been created to assist the following group/s of people:

No	Target Group
1	
2	Male Offenders >18

This project has been created to address the following issue/s:

No	Target Issue
1	Homelessness / unsuitable housing
2	Employment
3	Reintegration Services

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

This project requires the delivery of the following type, setting, and quantity of Funded Service - Funded Outputs.

No	Funded Service - Funded Output	Setting for Output	Units Required
1	2.2.1 CB&AP - Pre and Post-Release Supported Accommodation [Clients]	Offsite - ESP	6
2	2.2.2 CB&AP - Induction and release support plan [Clients]	Offsite - ESP	12
3	2.2.3 CB&AP - Life skills activities / programs & referrals [episodes per week per client]	Offsite - ESP	5
4	2.2.4 CB&AP - Case Management [Occasions per week per client]	Offsite - ESP	5
5	2.2.5 CB&AP - Employment / training exit reports [Clients]	Offsite - ESP	12

This project requires the satisfaction of the following outcome/s for grant beneficiaries:

1. Provide transitional housing to pre and post release prisoners experiencing issues with housing or homelessness.
2. Raise awareness of the service and its roles with stakeholders in the criminal justice system.
3. Provide eligibility assessment, work with the prisoner for up to 3 months prior to release to develop individual release support plans and induction into the house.
4. Establish a waiting list to maintain participant levels in the program.
5. Develop a case management plan for each resident ensuring any special needs are included such as: their healthy lifestyle choices, protection of victims, supervision and specific testing requirements (drug/alcohol), permission required to leave the premises, support to stop smoking, fines recovery plans, electronic monitoring.
6. Provide life skills activities and programs that supports a holistic focus on basic skills development for successful and sustainable return to independent living in the community.
7. Assist participants to engage in or find meaningful employment and/or obtain various vocational skills through structured training.
8. Assist participants to re-establish or restore community/family support networks.
9. Provide aftercare support once residents leave and provide NTCS staff with an exit report detailing support that is in place.

ELIGIBILITY DETAILS

The type/s of ESPs eligible to apply for Project funding are as follows:

No	Eligible ESP Types
1	All

ESPs will need to supply the following Checklist Documents with their application:

No	Checklist Document	Explanatory Details
1	Certificate of Insurances	Public Liability, Third Party, Employee, House and Contents
2	Handbook for Residents	Details of house rules, sanctions for breaching and induction processes.
3	Case Management Model	What model of case management will be applied, how will information be shared with Community Corrections staff. Templates of case management plan & exit plan.
4	Implementation Plan	How will the service be implemented and promoted, clearly identify the responsibilities and expectations of the organisation of the provider and NTCS as the funder.
5	Draft Staffing Structure and Job Descriptions	What will be the staffing structure and who will it report to in the organisation. Clearly identify if positions are funded by this funding or from other sources.
6	Risk Management Plan	What are the risks of the program and how will they be managed.



GRANT FUNDING PROGRAM

Statement of Requirements

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