COVID19 Information Sheet – Northern Territory (NT)

Disclaimer: The information below should not be considered an exhaustive list and service delivery may change. Please contact organisations and services directly for the most up to date information and to enquire further about eligibility. Red Cross does not determine eligibility for the third party services listed.

Australian Government Updates

Economic support: On 21 July the government announced it is extending the JobKeeper payment for a further six months until 28 March 2021 and is targeting support to those employers who continue to be significantly impacted by the coronavirus.

For more information on JobKeeper and the government’s economic response to the coronavirus visit the Treasury webpage.

Emergency relief: Information on emergency relief assistance or support available for those affected by coronavirus can be found on the Department of Social Services (DSS) website.

The website also contains detailed information on Covid-19 economic support measures including economic support payments and special benefits payments.

A list of DSS funded emergency relief providers is below.

Health support: Find out how the government is monitoring and responding to the Covid-19 pandemic, how you can help stop the spread of the virus in Australia and what to do if you have symptoms.

The Department of Health website also reports the latest case numbers, official medical advice and information on treatment.

Ministerial updates: For the latest updates from Minister for the Department of Social Services, including JobSeeker, JobKeeper, and other information visit the website.

DSS emergency relief providers

Darwin

- The Salvation Army (08) 8945 1947
- The Gathering – Baptist Community Support Service (08) 8988 1177
  - Emergency Food Relief
- St Vincent De Paul Society (08) 8948 8100
- Somerville Community Services (08) 8920 4100
  - Housing support, financial counselling
- Northern Territory AIDS & Hepatitis Council (08) 8944 7777
- Multicultural Council of the NT (08) 8945 9122
- Mission Australia NT 1300 883 067
- Dawn House (08) 8945 1388
  - Women’s Support Service
- CatholicCare NT (08) 8944 2000
- Anglicare NT (08) 8985 0000
Alice Springs

- **WOSSCA** Women’s Support Service  (08) 8952 6075
- The Salvation Army  (08) 8951 0200
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- St Vincent De Paul Society  (08) 8948 8100
- **Somerville** Community Services  0439 645 582
  - Housing support, financial counselling
- Northern Territory AIDS & Hepatitis Council  (08) 8953 3172
- MCSCA - support for refugees and migrants  (08) 8952 8776
- Mission Australia NT  1300 883 067
- Lutheran Community Care  (08) 8269 9333
  - Counselling, financial support, housing support
- CatholicCare NT  (08) 8958 2400
- Anglicare NT  (08) 8985 0000

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