



HUNTER PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICE

Our Hunter Psychosocial Support Service (HPSS) assists people who are significantly impacted by symptoms of mental ill-health and are not eligible for assistance through the National Disability Insurance Scheme to build skills and connect with services in their community.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Our HPSS Skills Facilitators will work with you one on one, in your home, the community or at a place you feel comfortable. Together, you will create a plan to achieve your goals and support your recovery journey.

HOW WILL HPSS HELP ME?

Our Skills Facilitators can help you identify and work towards your goals in the following key areas:

- Social skills and friendships
- Vocational skills and goals
- Educational and training goals
- Maintaining physical wellbeing
- Managing daily living needs
- Building life skills
- Family connections
- Financial management and budgeting
- Finding and maintaining a home
- Managing drug and alcohol addictions (including tobacco)

AM I ELIGIBLE?

HPSS is available to people with a severe mental illness who:

- Live or work in the Newcastle, Upper Hunter, and Port Stephens regions
- Have an associated level of reduced psychosocial functional capacity
- Are not eligible for assistance through the NDIS
- Are not currently receiving support through NPS - Extension or Continuity of Support (previously known as Partners in Recovery (PIR))
- Are not a client of Community Living Support (CLS) or Housing and Support Initiative (HASI)

HOW TO REFER

For more information about our Hunter Psychosocial Support Services, contact our intake team.

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