



LIVE N' LEARN

IMPACT CARE SOLUTIONS

SUPPORTING LGBTIQ HOMELESS YOUTH
BETWEEN 16 - 25 YEARS



LIVE N' LEARN provides students with subsidised accommodation for 18 months + six months of outreach support in exchange for a commitment to complete a qualification with a recognised training organisation (RTO).

SUPPORTS:

- Students will meet with a psychologist to identify and map out goals.
- Students will be allocated a caseworker for up to 4 hours per week to, support your studies & lease, track progress, problem-solve and liaise with the RTO Course Coordinator.

Upon the completion students will be assisted by their caseworker to:

1. Look for related employment
2. Job interview preparation and coaching
3. Assistance in looking for long-term accommodation
4. Move into your own home



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WHY?

Impact strongly advocates for the right for all people regardless of age, race, gender and sexuality, to have equal access and opportunities to housing, education, health and fulfilling social and familial relationships.

The issue we are actively targeting through LIVE n' LEARN is a reduction in homelessness through the provision of accommodation whilst completing formal qualifications.

Studies indicate the most common reasons LGBTIQ young people become homeless are: family rejection and physical, emotional or sexual abuse at home. A 2011 survey of over 6,400 transgender adults age 18 and older reported high percentages had been victims of physical or sexual assault (64%), lived in extreme poverty (61%), harassment or bullying in school (51%) and attempted suicide (41%).

Once homeless, life for LGBTIQ young people is even more dangerous than for their non-LGBTIQ counterparts. Fifty-eight per cent report having been sexually assaulted on the streets or in shelters, compared to 33% of non-LGBTIQ young people.

HELP US CHANGE THESE STATS

CURRENT VACANCIES

GOSFORD - Central Coast

- Apartment Living
- 2 Bedroom
- 2 Bathroom
- Living/Dining
- Close to public transport & CBD



Example Image



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