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Other useful contacts

Aged Care Quality & Safety Commission
Ph: 1800 951 822

Aged Rights Advocacy Service (ARAS)
Ph: (08) 8232 5377

Carers SA Australia *Ph: 1800 422 737*

Catalyst Foundation *Ph: (08) 8168 8776*

Commonwealth Respite and Carelink Centre *Ph: 1800 052 222*

Dementia Australia *Ph: 1800 100 500*

Disability Rights Advocacy Service Inc.
Ph: (08) 8351 9500

My Aged Care *Ph: 1800 200 422*

SA Elder Abuse Prevention Phone Line:

Ph: 1800 372 310

Translating & Interpreting Service

Ph: 131 459

For further information contact the In Home Support & Social Support-Ind Coordinators Community Care Services

**262 Franklin Street
Adelaide SA 5000
T: (08) 7088 0500
F: (08) 7088 0514**

www.gocsacommunitycare.com.au

*We encourage your feedback and
welcome your comments to improve
our services.*

*To make a compliment, suggestion
or complaint please contact us on
the above details.*

*If you have a concern you can also
contact the:*

**Aged Care Quality & Safety
Commission**

Ph: 1800 951 822

www.agedcarequality.gov.au



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IN-HOME SUPPORT & SOCIAL SUPPORT-INDIVIDUAL



*"Promoting independence
through health and wellbeing."*

What is In Home Support?

In-Home Support Services Program is designed to improve or maintain people's capacity to manage everyday activities in a safe, secure and healthy home environment.

The focus of the care plan is around regaining skills.

The program includes:

- Domestic Assistance (i.e. vacuuming, mopping, bathroom cleaning)
- Annual Spring Cleaning (i.e. high dusting and window clean) - up to four (4) hours per calendar year
- Home and Garden maintenance (see next page)

Social Support - Individual

The aim of the **Social Support - Individual Service** is to link eligible consumers to support services, such as assistance with shopping and bill-paying outings, friendly visiting and transport to medical or other appointments.

Social Support-Individual Services are provided by a companion (paid worker or volunteer)

Home and Garden Maintenance

The service provides assistance and advice to help people maintain a safe, habitable and healthy home environment

The services provided include repairs and modifications to assist people to manage their disabling condition to move safely around their home.

Scope:

- Minor safety repairs
- Minor handyman work
- Electrical such as changing light bulbs
- Changing smoke alarm batteries
- Installation of smoke detectors
- Garden tidy-up, weeding, pruning, rubbish removal, dumping. *Fees apply for the rubbish to be removed (one load per annum)*
- Maintenance of the home and garden to ensure there are no health or safety risks

There is a maximum of five (5) hours per calendar year. All materials to be paid by the customer.

Cost

The Coordinator will discuss the cost of the service after the acceptance of the referral from My Aged Care. No one will be denied a service simply on the grounds of incapacity to pay.

Eligibility

To access this support, you will first need to register with My Aged Care, phone **1800 200 422** (you can request an interpreter if you require one) or visit the My Aged Care their website **www.myagedcare.gov.au** or give us consent to register on your behalf. They may also need to do a home assessment.

My Aged Care can help you decide what level of support you need and refer you to an agency of your choice.

You can request to access the Greek Orthodox Community Care Services by letting My Aged Care know.

My Aged Care will give you a reference number which you can provide us to commence your service.

