

## Accessing Activ's People, Skills & Community Services

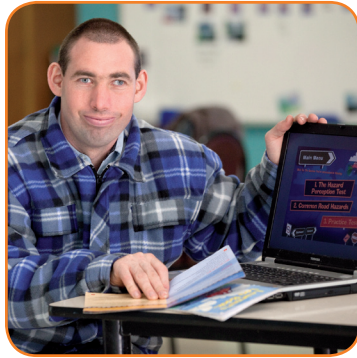
All staff are provided with ongoing competency training and are police cleared.

For referral contact Activ Service Liaison  
on 1800 622 351.

If you do not speak English you can communicate with us through a 24 hour telephone interpreter service by calling: **131 450** from within Australia.

For further information about Activ's People, Skills & Community contact your local service or visit our website: [www.activ.asn.au](http://www.activ.asn.au)

Your local  
Activ People, Skills & Community



# Activ People, Skills & Community

Activ provides support services  
including

**Alternatives to  
Employment**

and

**Post School Options**  
for people with disabilities.

# Activ

Activ is a community benefit organisation.

We provide a range of opportunities and choices for people with disabilities and their families to pursue a better life, living and working in the community to their fullest.

## People, Skills & Community

There is a whole world of exciting choices for people with disabilities at any one of Activ's People, Skills & Community (Alternatives to Employment / Post School Options) services throughout Western Australia.

Activ provides a range of activities that encourage participation in everyday life and opportunities to learn, contribute and have valued roles within the community. These include:

- Volunteering & Work Experience
- TAFE courses
- Independent skills development
- Exercise & Fitness
- Sport & Recreation
- Communication
- Friendships & Relationships
- Membership & Affiliation with community groups & clubs
- The Arts
- Computer Training

## We focus on four key outcomes:

- Social Participation
- Personal Independence
- Life Long Learning
- Enhanced Natural Support Networks

A person centred program is developed to engage the individual in a wide range of activities according to their own preferences, abilities and talents.

Alternatives to Employment services seek to ensure that individuals have opportunities to make decisions, connect, learn and belong within their community.

## Funding Options

**Eligibility criteria:** People with disabilities who have Alternatives to Employment / Post School Options funding from the Disability Services Commission.

**Alternatively:** A full 'pay for service' option may be negotiated for people with disabilities who do not meet funding criteria (dependent on vacancies).

Intensive Family Support funding can be used to purchase a 'pay for service' option (dependent on vacancies).

## To apply for funding, contact the Disability Services Commission:

Phone: ..... 9426 9273  
TTY: ..... 9426 9315  
Freecall: ..... 1800 998 214  
Email: ..... [psop@dsc.wa.gov.au](mailto:psop@dsc.wa.gov.au)

## Costs

A daily service fee applies (indexed to the Disability Support Pension). Access to some community activities may incur an additional cost (e.g. TAFE fees, memberships etc).

## Service Hours

As negotiated according to the needs of the person. Services are offered 48 weeks of the year (closed two weeks mid-year and two weeks over Christmas).

## Transport

Bus or other transport may be provided by Activ subject to availability and additional service charges. Modified vehicles are available. Activ provides travel options to clients when participating in the community and use of public transport is encouraged.