General health

Health Direct free call 1800 022 222 24 hour health advice

Free health advice you can count on, talk to a registered nurse.

Information services

Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development1300 374 731

Rural Business Development Unit

free call 1800 198 231

The RBDC has support schemes including farm debt mediation and business management training.

Department of Agriculture and Water Resources

Drought & Rural assistance

free call 1800 900 090

Regional Investment Corporation

Loans for farm investment, preparation for drought or affected by drought and water infrastructure.

free call 1800 875 675

Australian Taxation Office Emergency Support Info Line free call 1800 806 218

Farm household allowance, concessional loan schemes, farm management deposits, tax measures, managing farm risk program.

Wheatbelt Commonwealth Carer Respite Service free call 1800 052 222

Support for caring relationships, information, respite care and support for carers and the people they care for.

Department of Communities

free call 1800 176 888

Provides a range of child safety & family support services to WA individuals, children and their families.

WA Elder Abuse Helpline 1300 724 679

Cancer Council of WA 131 120 Information & Support Line

Disability Services Commission

General enquiries free call 1800 998 214
TTY 9426 9315

Women's Information Service

free call 1800 199 174

The service provides information & referrals about issues such as health, finances, legal matters, counselling and domestic violence.

Regional Men's Health Initiative 9690 2277 Education and support for rural and regional WA.

Small Business Development Corporation

131 249

National Drought Map

https://map.drought.gov.au

FarmHub https://farmhub.org.au

Your doctor

Local hospital

Emergencies

Police, Fire, Ambulance	000
	TTY106
Police assistance	131 444
State Emergency Service	132 500
Poisons Information Centre	131 126

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Western Australia's Rural health, financial & information support directory



Contact numbers for support & assistance

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24 hour support

Dept of Communities Child Protection & Family Support Division -

Crisis Care free call 1800 199 008

Men's Domestic

Violence Helpline free call 1800 000 599

Non-judament phone line for men.

Women's Domestic

Violence Helpline free call 1800 007 339

Support and counselling for women experiencing domestic violence

Lifeline 131 114

Provides access to crisis support, suicide prevention & mental health support services.

Bevond Blue 1300 224 636

Mensline Australia 1300 789 978

Offers information, support and referral.

free call 1800 551 800 **Kids Helpline**

(Ages 5-25)

Samaritans Crisis 135 247

National Sexual Assault, Family & Domestic free call 1800 737 732 Violence

Suicide Callback Service 1300 659 467

Mental Health Emergency

Response Line 1300 555 788

Alcohol & Drug Support Line

9442 5000 / 1800 198 024

Parent & Family Drug Support Line

9442 5050 / 1800 653 203

NOTE: Some numbers will have options to select from when first dialed. Delays may be experienced at times, when waiting for your call to be answered. There may be times where you're redirected to message bank if the line is in use, the operator will return your call as soon as possible. Remember to leave your name and contact number.

Counselling & support

Family counsellors - rural

Confidential counselling and personal support.

9063 2037 **Central Aggare**

Corrain, Wickepin, Pingelly, Kulin, Brookton. Quairading, Narembeen, Kondinin, Bruce Rock & Hvden

Southern Aggare 9827 1552

• Noongar counselling: Darkan, Arthur River, Wagin, Dumbleyung, Lake Grace, Nyabing, Pingrup 0427 192 155

• Noongar counselling: Broomehill, Woodanilling, Gnowangerup, Ongerup, Jerramungup

0427 241 381

• Katanning, Kojonup, Wagin, Tambellup

0427 441 459

Wheatbelt Agcare Nungarin 9046 5091 & Districts 0488 465 081

Family Relationship

AdviceLine free call 1800 050 321

CentreCare 9325 6644

Ngala Parenting Line free call 1800 111 546

Northern Districts Support Counselling

9971 1030

Relationships Australia (WA) 1300 364 277

Women's Health & Family Services

free call 1800 998 399 free support and counselling

Carers WA 1300 227 377

9842 2797 **Amity Health**

Mental health counselling - Wheatbelt & Great Southern Referral from GP or allied health required

Ancillary services

Avon Youth Services 9622 2612 (Areas from Northam, Merredin, Moora to Narrogin)

Community Drug Service Team

Great Southern	9892 2100
MidWest / Murchison	9956 2424
Narrogin	9881 1999
Northam & Moora	9621 1055
South West	9721 9256
Merredin	9081 3396
Goldfields	1300 664 137

Community Mental Health Services

Albany	9892 2440
Esperance	9071 0444
Kalgoorlie	9088 6200
Geraldton	9956 2424
Narrogin	9881 0700
Wheatbelt	9621 0999

9622 2828

Rural Link free call 1800 552 002

Share & Care Community Services Northam

Emergency relief, family assistance, financial counselling, home support service, women's refuge.

Available to the people of the Coastal, Wheatbelt and Upper Great Southern regions.

Financial support services

Department of Human Services -

Centrelink 132 468

Farmer Assistance Hotline - Income support programs for farmers & rural small businesses 132 316

ATO Debt Information Line 131 142

Rural Financial Counselling

Services of WA free call 1800 612 004

National Debt Helpline free call 1800 007 007