METROPOLITAN MIGRANT RESOURCE CENTRE INC.

The Metropolitan Migrant Resource Centre Inc (MMRC) is a not - for - profit community based organisation in Mirrabooka providing services across the Metropolitan area.

MMRC provides a range of services to assist refugees, humanitarian entrants and migrants to settle in WA.

Generalist Program - Settlement Services Activity (SSA)

The SSA Generalist program is funded by the Department of Social Services (DSS). MMRC delivers client centred services to eligible clients through case work, information sessions, support groups, advocacy and referrals to community and mainstream services.

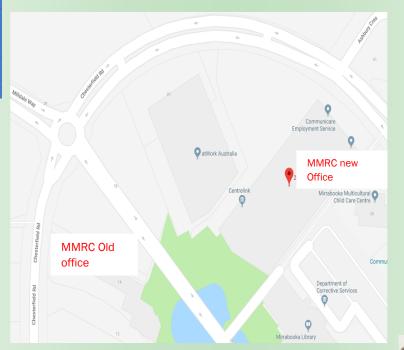
With special focus on an individual's needs, the SSA program delivers life skills workshops and information sessions on a wide range of topics and provides women's and seniors support groups (Butler and Girrawheen) in addition to basic computer literacy and Citizenship classes.

MMRC provides this service from our main office in Mirrabooka and has outreach services in Clarkson and Perth (Central North Metropolitan TAFE).

The SGP program aims to facilitate access to mainstream services and support participation and successful settlement in Australia for clients from refugee and humanitarian backgrounds who have lived in Australia for less than 5 years.

SSA - YOUTH

The SSA Youth provides services to young people aged 12-25 years from migrant and humanitarian backgrounds. The service assists all eligible SSA clients to integrate, participate in mainstream activities, contribute positively into society and reduce isolation. This is achieved through a range of **sports** and **arts** activities to engage, mentor and build leadership skills in the young people.



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Our Services



Metropolitan Migrant Resource Centre

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OUR SERVICES INCLUDE:

IMMIGRATION ADVICE AND APPLICATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME (IAAAS)

Migration Agent providing professional assistance to disadvantaged visa applicants to help with the completion and submission of visa applications, liaison with the Department of Immigration and Border Protection and advice on complex immigration matters.

MIGRATION FEE FOR SERVICE

This service provides affordable migration services to people wanting to bring their families to Australia. For more information please contact Reception on (08) 9345 5755 and ask for Annie Neleman.

SSA - MENTORING & EMPLOYMENT PATHWAYS

The MEP program aims to assist clients from refugee and humanitarian backgrounds who have been in Australia for five years or less to secure sustainable employment through mentoring and support. For more information please contact our mentoring and employment coordinator on (08) 93455755.







AFRICAN LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE PROGRAM

Providing community capacity building support and facilitating Leadership training to various African Communities.

MULTICULTURAL SUPPORT COMMUNITY SERVICES SECTOR

The project is funded by the Department for Communities to provide support, skills, advice and training to Service Providers working with CaLD communities. The aim of the project is to provide skills to service providers and increase their knowledge of cultural/religious needs and sensitivities of CaLD people with a focus on new and emerging communities. The service is free for selected not for profit organisations.



FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT (FaCS)

FaCS provides specialised outreach life skills and counselling support through face to face contact, information sessions, counselling as well as direct linkage and referral to mainstream support services. The program also provides a range of information sessions and workshops including parenting, relationships, legal, health and vocational pathways information.

CROSS CULTURAL TRAINING PROGRAM

MMRC assists organisations develop culturally appropriate programs and services. We offer general cultural advice and cross-cultural training. Our training is designed to provide your staff with and increased knowledge and awareness of the issues facing people from the new and emerging communities. We can show you simple skills that help bridge the cultural gaps that might exist. Our sessions are customised to suit the requirements of individual organisations.

THE FOLLOWING SERVICES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE:

- ♦ Bilingual interpreters
- ♦ Community Outreach
- ♦ Pro Bono Migration Advice

