



What do facilities offer?

EEH facilities provide a home away from home where residents are supported to achieve their employment and education goals. Facilities offer affordable accommodation and a safe supported environment.

Support is provided to ensure residents meet work and training requirements, whilst also developing life skills to increase independence.

As each facility is different please contact individual service providers to find out more and arrange a tour of your chosen facility.

I don't know where I would have lived if it wasn't for the facility as I had no family in Broome. I learnt a lot at the EEH facility, people were helpful and I made heaps of friends.

Nathan, former Broome EEH resident

The Housing Authority has invested in a number of Employment and Education Housing facilities, with funding from the Australian Government under the National Partnership Agreement on Remote Indigenous Housing (NPARIH).

In addition to NPARIH funding, the South Hedland facility, Mirnutharntu Maya, has received funding from BHP Billiton, the State Government's Royalties for Regions Pilbara Cities Initiative administered by the Pilbara Development Commission and the Department of Training and Workforce Development.



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Employment and Education Housing

Safe, supported and affordable accommodation for Aboriginal people accessing training, apprenticeships and work opportunities

Where to find out more information

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What is the Employment and Education Housing (EEH) program?

The Employment and Education Housing (EEH) program provides affordable, supported accommodation for people accessing employment, education or training opportunities in regional centres.

This program is a non permanent housing option, with facilities acting as a stepping stone whilst residents get themselves established.

Preference is given to people of Western Australian Aboriginal descent.

The program aims to increase opportunities for Aboriginal people living in remote areas to successfully access training and employment in regional centres.



Where are facilities located?

EEH facilities are conveniently based in towns close to work and study opportunities.

The Housing Authority has EEH facilities located in the following towns:



These facilities are managed by service providers who have primary responsibility for the operation of the accommodation. Their role encompasses:

- Accommodation management
- Facilitation of residents and providing support services
- Providing and/or coordinating an ongoing support role as required.

What it costs

Rent is affordable and in line with the cost of living. Local service providers should be contacted for individual charges.

What are the benefits to employers?

- Improve the attendance rate of your employees at work and training by ensuring they have affordable, supported accommodation in town so they are able to attend work on time.
- Help your employees learn life skills for the future through support services offered at EEH facilities.
- Provide a social network with like minded individuals with similar life goals and attitudes.

“ Since our apprentices have moved into Mirnutharntu Maya we have really noticed a difference. They are more punctual with start times, more stable and have better focus on the job than previously. We would encourage other employers to take up on this opportunity. ”
Nicholas James, employer, HADEN

