

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT

Positive Behaviour Support (PBS) is a therapy based service aiming to increase the wellbeing and quality of life for people with disabilities experiencing Behaviours of Concern (BoC).

## **OUR PBS SERVICE**

We believe in a person first, best practice approach, working within the NDIS Positive Behaviour Support Capability Framework. We aim to deliver an essential service with meaningful results for clients of all ages with disabilities and BoC.

Our NDIS Specialist Behaviour Support Practitioners\* work closely with the individual with disability, their caregivers and support team (teachers, allied health professionals, support workers etc.) to provide collaborative and best practice strategies.

# WHERE IS THE SERVICE AVAILABLE?

Our practitioners work across the greater metropolitan Adelaide and Barossa Valley regions, supporting clients in a variety of environments including school, home, work and in the community.









# POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT CAN ASSIST WITH:

## Reducing Behaviour/s of Concern (BoC)

We aim to minimise the impact of BoC on home, education and community settings.

#### Education

We educate a client's support team on Positive Behaviour Support best practice approaches and interventions to ensure positive outcomes and consistency for the person.

### Support

We empower clients, caregivers and support teams to manage BoC as they arise and improve quality of life for individuals.

#### **Get in contact:**

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# **ELCIES**





Live your possibilities with Elcies! Elcies is your local allied health and disability service provider in South Australia. We provide South Australians of all ages with quality, evidence-based services such as Positive Behaviour Support, Functional Capacity Assessments, Psychology and Speech Pathology.

Elcies is a registered NDIS Provider\*. We provide supports and services to our clients built on trust, respect and equality, embracing diversity and valuing the experiences of everyone within our shared community.

We are proudly part of Lutheran Care, which was founded here in South Australia in 1969.

Our multi-disciplinary team of experienced practitioners have a diverse range of expertise areas, including developmental education, positive behaviour support, speech pathology, psychology, teaching, social work and counselling.



# **PBS AND THE NDIS**

Positive Behaviour Support is funded through the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS).

As per the NDIS Pricing Arrangements and Price Limits guide, PBS utilises the following NDIS funding lines:

- Capacity Building Improved Relationships
- Capacity Building Improved Daily Living Travel fees may apply.

\*Elcies is the sister service of Lutheran Community Care (Lutheran Care), a registered NDIS Behaviour Support Provider.

## WHAT DOES PBS INCLUDE?

At Elcies, we use an evidence based approach to tailor a service that best suits each of our clients. Our practitioners value their role in supporting individuals to reach their full potential.

### **Initial Assessment**

- Assess restrictive practices in place.
- Identify Behaviours of Concern.
- Discuss and develop client goals.

## **Functional Behaviour Assessment**

- In depth interview with individual, caregivers and support team.
- Observations of the individual.
- Data collection/analysis with informed hypothesis.

# Positive Behaviour Support (PBS) Plan

- Development/writing of Interim and Comprehensive PBS Plan documents.
- Caregiver/team meetings to review and monitor plan.

#### Intervention

- Ongoing 1:1 work with the client.
- Caregiver/support team coaching.
- Implementation of the PBS Plan.

## **Resource Development**

- Development of visual supports, schedules and social stories.
- Tailored resourcing for the client's unique needs.

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