

Central Coast Aged Care Response Team update

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RACF support

Central Coast Local Health District services to support the care needs of residents within Residential Aged Care Facilities include:

- Aged Care Response Team
- Dementia and Behavioural Support Services
- Palliative Aged Care Service
- Acute Post-Acute Care (APAC)
- Community Allied Health
- Older Persons Mental Health
- Behavioural Assessment Intervention Service
- Specialist Medical support from Geriatricians and Palliative Care Staff Specialists



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Referrals

Community Health Access and Intake (CHAI)

Phone: 1300 725 565

Hours of operation

8am – 8.30pm, 7 days a week.



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Aged Care Response Team

- Available 7 days/week from 8am – 7.30pm.
- As part of the health care team, care elements include:
 - Comprehensive assessment
 - Clinical nursing consultation
 - Provision of care and coordination
 - Initiation of diagnostic interventions (Nurse Practitioner led in consultation with Medical Officer)
 - Care planning
 - Education and support



COVID-19

- The District has trained some nursing staff to be able to respond to COVID-19 screening and swabbing education, training and support requests from RACF's.
- Contact CHAI on **1300 725 565** if your RACF requires support with COVID-19 swabbing education.



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