



Who we are

Samaritans offers life changing support and advocacy to those in need. A Newcastle Anglican social justice agency, Samaritans delivers more than 100 programs to thousands of individuals and families each year.

Elevate Youth and Families is a program that supports young people aged 0-17 years, and their families.

Elevate is an outreach service that works with people who live in the Central Coast suburbs of Bateau Bay, The Entrance, Long Jetty, Killarney Vale, Berkeley Vale and surrounding suburbs.

We provide casework for up to 12 weeks, facilitate group work with young people and offer parenting education.

Together we will recognise your strengths to help you and your family to achieve your goals.



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Elevate Youth and Families



Support for young people and families going through challenging times.



We focus on young people

Elevate Youth and Families has a priority focus on supporting young people in our local area.

We do this in a number of ways:

- Offer case work to young people for 12 weeks.
- Provide skills focused group work to young people in schools – targeting their social emotional wellbeing as well as other living skills.
- Get involved in youth focused events ensuring that young people know about our service and have the opportunity to connect with us.



Our services

Case management for youth, children and their families.

Information and advice on services and resources available to educate families on pre-existing supports and how to find them.

Engaging adolescents through school programs and groups.

Education and skills training.

Parenting support through groups and programs like 123 Magic and Emotion Coaching, Circle of Security, Shark Cage, Anxiety Coach, Engaging Adolescents and Black Box Parenting.

How do we support you to achieve your goals?

- We can visit you at a location where you feel most comfortable.
- Listen, be non-judgemental, encourage and support you to make informed decisions.
- Acknowledge your strengths and achievements.
- Provide advice and referrals for issues including family relationship breakdowns, drug and alcohol misuse, mental health, learning difficulties and challenging behaviours.
- Provide you with opportunities to develop further skills in budgeting, cooking, household routines, child development, behaviour management skills and more.
- Provide skills focus groups for young people in schools.
- Provide assistance with employment and career options.
- Provide parenting programs and/or link you to parenting programs delivered within your local area.