

SOCIAL WORKER SUPPORT FOR JULIA CREEK COMMUNITY AND SURROUNDS WITH DROUGHT/FLOOD

The Julia Creek community including surrounding properties is experiencing very difficult times with the devastating flood following many years of drought. The impact on individuals, couples, families and businesses is massive.

There is a social worker available in Julia Creek during business hours and after hours by appointment. She is also happy to visit you at home or talk by phone.

Alice is available for a chat and can assist with the following:

- Supporting you with how best to care for yourself, family and others in the community;
- Prioritising the jobs to be done;
- Managing the stress/worry about loved ones;
- Coping with traumatic clean up post flood;
- Making telephone calls on your behalf that you don't have the energy to make;
- Access to emergency relief funds and material aid;
- Channelling for larger financial grants.

Alice is also happy to provide practical support:

- Looking after children for short periods whilst you do the shopping, attend appointments or have a break. Your children would be supervised by her at the library;
- Giving you a hand at home with washing/cooking or other tasks;

Please consider whether you or someone you know might benefit from speaking with Alice. She can be contacted directly on 0447 370070.