



Intensive Family Preservation

Intereach Intensive Family Preservation aims to support families to reduce the likelihood of children and young people entering or remaining in the child protection and out-of-home care systems. Put simply, we want to help you keep your children in your care.

How can the program help?

Intereach IFP aims to provide you and your family with the support and skills needed for you to keep your family together.

How does it work?

Over 6 to 12 months, we work with you using evidence-based models that recognise that you and your family relationships are important and will help you make change. Together we look at what you are doing well and where you want to be. We support through case management, parenting and life skills programs, advocacy, referrals and support.

What we expect from our families is to be open and honest, a desire to roll your sleeves up and work to keep your family together and a commitment to keep going even when things get tough. We know that being a parent is hard. We know that you love your children and want the best for them, and we know that there are barriers which can get in the way. We want to support you in overcoming these barriers so that you can keep your children safe and give them the best future that you can.

Where is it available?

Intereach and Mission Australia both offer IFP in Albury. Families are referred to the program by the Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ) only.

Where do I start?

We are excited about the opportunity to work with you for a better future for you and your family. Keep in contact with your DCJ caseworker and ask them questions you have.

Is there a cost?

There is no cost to access this program.

Contact Us

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Please note: IFP is not a crisis service. If you have immediate concerns for your own or someone else's safety please contact Lifeline Ph: 13 11 14, Kids Helpline Ph: 1800 55 1800, emergency services Ph: 000, or NSW Mental Health line Ph: 1800011511

Need assistance to talk to us?

If you are deaf, or have a hearing impairment or speech impairment, contact us through the National Relay Service:

TTY users

Phone 133 677 then ask for 1300 488 226

Voice Relay

Phone 1300 555 727 then ask for 1300 488 226

SMS relay users

SMS 0423 677 767

Need an interpreter?

Phone 131 450 then ask for 1300 488 226