



 **The Bridge**

Who We Are

The Bridge is a not-for-profit organisation that offers various community and employment services to people with disabilities. We operate in multiple locations in the Southeast and Northern suburbs of Melbourne.

Our services are grouped into two main areas:

The Bridge Connects and **The Bridge Employment**.

You can access one or multiple services at the same time depending on what best supports your goals.



The Bridge Connects offers a range of community based services including individualised support and group activities that are tailored to your personal goals.



The Bridge Employment offers a range of employment services including job skills building, supported employment, and finding a job through Inclusive Employment Australia.

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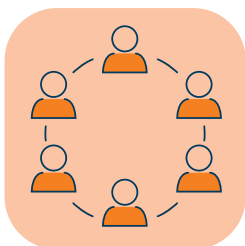




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Community Services



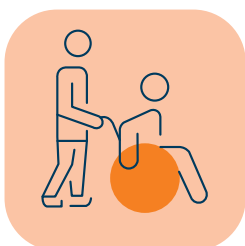
Day Programs

Structured community-based programs designed to provide engaging, goal-focused activities that support learning, life skills development and social connection.



Leisure and Recreation

Our Getaways program provides recreational leisure activities, as well as trips away and supported holidays in Victoria and interstate.



In Home and Community Support

Our Your Supports program provides one-to-one support both at home and out in the community.



Independent Living Homes

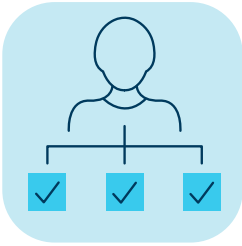
Supervision and/or assistance with everyday tasks, seven days a week, in one of our shared SDA or SIL homes.



Support Coordination

Support to help you understand your NDIS plan, connect and manage services and achieve your goals.

Employment Services



Job Skills Building

Our Your Job Now (YJN) program provides job skills training to get you ready for employment. This includes work experience, 1:1 weekly coaching sessions and group activities to help you find and keep a job.



Supported Employment

All abilities employment opportunities through our Social Enterprise offerings (warehousing, gardening & maintenance, cleaning and hospitality). Matching your skills with hands on paid employment with the support you need to build and grow your work skills and experience.



Open Employment

Through the Inclusive Employment Australia and Casey CALD Youth Employment programs, we help you find job opportunities in the open labour market.



Social Enterprise

As a certified Social Enterprise, The Bridge Employment partners with businesses to deliver quality commercial services while creating meaningful employment and driving positive community impact.

Service Locations



Meet Max & Kathy

Max has been part of The Bridge family for over 30 years. Max is a valued supported employee at The Bridge Works Social Enterprise, he also enjoys 1:1 support and recreational holidays that enrich his life beyond work.

“I love all the staff at The Bridge, they are nice people,” says Max.

Kathy is one of Max’s sisters and his primary carer. Kathy shares, “The Bridge has not only given him the ability to work like everyone else, but they’ve helped to ensure Max’s social life is fulfilled. The Bridge is special, it’s like a second family to us.”

Max’s story reflects our holistic approach to supporting people with disabilities. Our flexible, client-centred model allows individuals to choose supports that align with their goals, creating personalised pathways to independence and fulfillment.

Max’s journey is a testament to what’s possible. For those exploring disability support options, The Bridge offers the opportunity to build a future as vibrant and meaningful as his.



