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## **Fees**

Resthaven Therapy Services are funded by the Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing.

There is a recommended fee structure which acts as a guide for the fees charged.

Fees may be negotiated where the recommended fee is beyond an individual's financial capacity.

## **Interpreter Services**

Use of an appropriately qualified, accredited interpreter can be arranged with the Translating and Interpreting Service of the Department of Immigration and Citizenship, telephone 131 450.

## **Resthaven Community Services**

### **Locations**

#### **Resthaven Northern Community Services**

16 Gillingham Road, Elizabeth SA 5112  
Telephone (08) 8252 6811  
northerncs@resthaven.asn.au

#### **Resthaven Marion Community Services**

43 Finniss Street, Marion SA 5043  
Telephone (08) 8296 4042  
marioncs@resthaven.asn.au

#### **Resthaven Paradise & Eastern Community Services**

61 Silkes Road, Paradise SA 5075  
Telephone (08) 8337 4371  
pecs@resthaven.asn.au

For more information about the range of services offered by Resthaven, visit:

**[www.resthaven.asn.au](http://www.resthaven.asn.au)**



Community Services

# **Social Worker**



**Phone 1300 13 66 33**



## Social Worker

There are times when life circumstances and situations can put people under pressure.

The aim of Resthaven's Social Worker is to assist older people in maintaining their independence by managing these situations with the right information and support.

The Social Worker links clients with services and resources in the community, and works with the client to enable them to be empowered in all aspects of the decisions and actions affecting their lives.

Help and advice is also available to work through the complexities of documentation and the processes required for access to aged care support, by making an individual appointment.

Confidentiality is assured.

A doctor's referral is not required.

## The Social Worker can assist with:

- Counselling (mediation for couples, loss/grief, financial problems)
- Crisis Intervention (advocacy, future planning)
- Referrals for an aged care assessment and information about options for covers
- Respite
- Liaising with other organisations and health professionals and cross referrals.

## About Resthaven

Resthaven Incorporated is an aged care community service of the Uniting Church in Australia, which has been providing outstanding care and support for older South Australians since 1935.



## Resthaven Therapy Services

Resthaven Therapy Services offer rehabilitation and support aimed at improving quality of life for older people.

Multi-disciplinary teams of health professionals provide treatment programs based on individual needs.

A referral is not required for therapy services.

When other needs are identified, such as continence, podiatry, speech therapy or aquatic physiotherapy, clients can be cross-referred.

Therapy Services are located at Resthaven Community Services at Marion, Paradise and Elizabeth.

Appointments can be made by telephoning the receptionist during business hours. Contact details are listed overleaf.