

SERVICE INFORMATION CHRISTMAS 2017

Service Name	Contact Details	Holiday period closure dates	Christmas Meal	Emergency Relief Available	Christmas Hamper	Activities during holiday period
Thrive Services	Katoomba: 4782 1555  Lithgow: 6351 4055  <a href="http://www.thriveservices.org.au">www.thriveservices.org.au</a>  f:thriveserviceslithgowbluemountains	22/12/17 – 2/1/18	No	ER vouchers, EAPA, Secondbite (fresh food), food parcels	Yes – clients can call or drop in and asked to be added to the list.	Various free school holiday activities and workshops at Lithgow and Katoomba. Bookings essential. Activities include craft, tie dying, gardening, cooking. See attached flyers.
Mid Mountains Neighbourhood Centre	4759 2592  <a href="http://www.mmnc.org.au">www.mmnc.org.au</a>  facebook.com/midmountains	22/12/17 - 19/1/18	No	Xmas hampers, Food Rescue food, hosting St Vinnies Emergency Relief (food vouchers)	Yes	Free Christmas cards and craft morning 20/12/17 all ages
Mountains Outreach Community Service	4758 6811  <a href="http://www.mocs.org.au">www.mocs.org.au</a>  Facebook: Mountains Outreach Community Service	22/12/17 - 8/1/2018	No	We provide Christmas hampers to Parenting Young families via partnership with Gateway	We provide Christmas hampers to Parenting Young families via partnership with Gateway	No
BANC	4787 7770	18 Dec- 19 Dec- 25 Dec to 1 Jan.	Kinship at Christmas does a lunch on the 25th Dec in Phillips Hall, Blackheath, from 10.30	Fresh Food on Wednesday, dry food on other days M - F	No	children/ family drumming workshop
Blue Mountains	4782 5133	22/12/2017 – 5/1/	No	No	No	No

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Women's Health and Resource Centre	facebook.com/bmwhrc/	2018				
St Vincent de Paul Family Assistance Centre.	4782 2041	No	No	Food vouchers and some emergency assistance	Yes	No
St Hilda's Anglican Church/Anglicare	68 Katoomba St Katoomba Ph: 47821608 <a href="http://www.sthildas.net">www.sthildas.net</a>	29/12/17 – 16/1/18	No	food, vouchers, rent assistance, bills	Yes	No
Gateway Family Services	47206500 1300316746 <a href="http://www.gatewayfamilyservices.org.au">www.gatewayfamilyservices.org.au</a>	27,28,29 Dec	No	see website	Yes	Yes
Earth Recovery Australia Food Rescue and Soul Kitchen	Mobile: 0416221963 <a href="http://www.earthrecoveryaustralia.org.au">www.earthrecoveryaustralia.org.au</a> Facebook: Mountains Soul Kitchen	Yes, only the public holidays. Soul Kitchen Sunday lunch will be on every week	No	Food Parcels will be available throughout Wed and Fri between 10 and 2 except for public holidays	No	Yes
Winmalee Neighbourhood Centre Inc.	0247544050 <a href="http://www.winmaleeneighbourhoodcentre.com.au">www.winmaleeneighbourhoodcentre.com.au</a>	15/12-8/1/2018	No	Food vouchers, food hampers, subsidised food program, free fresh food, NILS	Yes	Children's holiday program Wednesday 17th & 24th January 2018

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