

HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

 **JewishCare**
My Community. My Choice.



TOGETHER FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Jewish Care is about people.

Our mission is to support and enhance the wellbeing of the Jewish community of Victoria through the provision of quality support and care for individuals and families.

There are many ways you can get involved.

You can make a donation - helping people in our community to access the vital services they need to live meaningful and dignified lives.

You can volunteer - donating your time or talents to support our staff to deliver a broad range of activities, which build

self sufficiency and resilience for people living in our residential homes or living independently in the community.

You will find more information about these options in this brochure. Whichever way you choose to be involved, you can be assured that you are a vital link strengthening our community.

HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

To get involved, contact our Community Team on 1800 JEWISH (1800 539 474), email development@jewishcare.org.au or visit www.jewishcare.org.au



DONATE

Make a One-Off Donation

Make a donation any time or in response to one of our special appeals. You can donate either online, by phone or by mail. Every gift, large or small, makes a difference.

Star Club Monthly Giving Program

Become part of a passionate group committed to making a lasting difference to the lives of individuals and families in need in the Jewish community.

Monthly gifts ensure the sustainability of our work in the community. More importantly, every dollar you donate goes straight to our crucial programs eliminating administration costs.

Annual Appeal

Our Annual Appeal supports community service programs that receive little or no government funding. These programs include financial services, employment and training, housing assistance, disability services, mental health promotion, counselling, healthy ageing programs as well as cultural and spiritual services.

Gifts in Memory

Remember and honour a loved one by giving a gift in their memory to Jewish Care.

Tzedakah Boxes

Tzedakah boxes are a great way to set an example about the importance of giving for children and grandchildren. Ask us for a Jewish Care *tzedakah* box for your home, school or business.

SHARE A SIMCHA

Simcha Giving

Many people use the opportunity of a celebration such as a birthday or an anniversary to make a donation to Jewish Care in lieu of gifts. You will receive acknowledgement of your philanthropic support and everyone who makes a gift on the occasion of your *simcha* receives a special thank you and tax deductible receipt.

Simchas include birthdays, weddings, engagements, anniversaries, family functions and other special occasions.

B'nei Mitzvah Program

The B'nei Mitzvah Program is designed to connect a new generation of young Jewish people to the concept of *tzedakah* and philanthropy by requesting donations instead of gifts on their *Bar* or *Bat Mitzvah*. B'nei Mitzvah Program participants can have their donation matched dollar for dollar, thanks to the generosity of the Pratt Foundation. Be the difference. Fulfil the *mitzvah*.

VOLUNTEER

Come join our volunteer team and help make a tremendous difference to our community.

New volunteers are always needed to help support our vital work – all you need is a positive attitude. Volunteer roles might include visiting clients at residences or in their homes, assisting with social, recreational or special interest activities, mentoring, facilitating art, music therapy or yoga, undertaking administrative tasks or simply helping with transport arrangements.

Volunteers in fundraising committees run events to support our many vital programs. Other volunteers share invaluable skills and expertise, providing governance for programs and services.



Canvassers

Every year, Jewish Care relies on an amazing group of canvassers who make personal requests for donations for our Annual Appeal. We are always looking for people willing to canvass on our behalf. If you are interested in becoming a canvasser, we would love to hear from you.

Inspire and Influence

There's just one way to build a strong, vibrant community and that's together. We welcome ambassadors of all ages and spheres of influence to help us communicate to others the important work we do.

If you have a good social, family or professional network, please contact Jewish Care and ask us how you can inspire and influence others to support Jewish Care to strengthen and enhance the wellbeing of the Victorian Jewish community.

Telethon Volunteers

Telethons form a big part of our appeals. You can support our appeals by donating your time to a telethon session. One call can change lives.

To register as a volunteer, contact our Volunteer Resource Program team on 8519 5999 or email volunteers@jewishcare.org.au

MAJOR GIVING Individuals and Families

Program Partners

Passionate about a particular issue or program? Program Partners typically make a gift of more than \$5000 and may also commit to ongoing support for a program. In return you will be kept up-to-date with program outcomes, achievements and emerging issues and invited to special Program Partner events.

Capital Works

Major gifts are routinely sought to raise vital funds for capital works projects across all sites.

According to your capacity, gifts of varying amounts are made either as a single gift or pledged over several years. With capital works gifts, there are naming rights and other levels of acknowledgement.

Private Ancillary Fund (PAF)

If you or your family have established a Private Ancillary Fund (PAF) as the vehicle for your philanthropic giving, you may like to consider nominating Jewish Care as a specified annual beneficiary.



CORPORATE SUPPORT

Jewish Care is a trusted, community-focused organisation which has almost 100% brand recognition amongst Victoria's Jewish community.

With strong connections at all levels, Jewish Care is ideally positioned to provide partners and sponsors with the opportunity to leverage off our networks and reputation. In forging partnerships, we seek to align ourselves with organisations where there is synergy of purpose and values.

Partnerships

Jewish Care has three-year corporate partnerships offering category exclusivity for organisations wishing to access and leverage the Jewish Care brand. Partnership benefits include strategic positioning opportunities, brand differentiation, staff engagement opportunities and the positioning of your organisation as a trusted brand.



Sponsorship

Jewish Care offers a range of sponsorship options for organisations to promote their business to a highly vibrant, interconnected and influential community. Become an active supporter of one or more of our events, publications and activities by partnering with us.

Workplace Giving

Workplace giving provides the opportunity for employees to change lives in our community by making monthly donations from their pay to Jewish Care. Gifts are made from pre-tax income, which gives staff an immediate tax deduction without the need to collect receipts.

GIFTS IN WILLS

We are eternally grateful to the many people who have chosen to make a profound and lasting contribution by including a gift to Jewish Care in their will.

After providing for family and loved ones, benefactors to Jewish Care find that they can still contribute towards our community's future by including a charitable gift in their estate plans.

If you are considering a gift to Jewish Care or have already done so, we hope you will let us know so that you can receive the *nachas* and *kavod* you so richly deserve.

Circle of Care

Circle of Care celebrates our supporters by hosting luncheons and other social events throughout the year.

Individuals who advise they have included a gift to Jewish Care in their will are honoured as Gold Members of Circle of Care, helping to promote our work and values.





If you'd like more information or wish to discuss your needs, please contact us:

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Our Values

תּוֹנ **chesed** kindness
משפּחה **mishpacha** family
דֶרֶךְ אֶרֶץ **derech erez** respect
צדקה **tzedakah** charity



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