

*Fact Sheet*

# DIAL AN ANGEL

*Self-Funded Home Care*



## **What is it?**

Community Care TASMANIA's Dial an Angel is a statewide self-funded home care service available to everybody irrespective of circumstances.

Maybe you just need a one-off service, short or long-term assistance at home?

Do you need a cleaner, a gardener, help with the shopping or just someone to do odd jobs around the home? Accessing this service is easy. There are NO hoops to jump through.

These services can also be added on to any government funded service, as they are a 'user pays' service.

It is particularly suited to people who are either not eligible for a government subsidy or are waiting for government subsidised home care services to begin. You can purchase Dial an Angel services in the interim.

In some cases these services may be the best long term option as per this real-life example below:

Mr G of Launceston thought that residential care was his only option after two serious medical events. However, after being introduced to Dial an Angel, he was able to purchase exactly what he needed to ensure his safety and comfort at home.

He was eventually granted a Level 2 Home Care Package and now uses a combination of his package and Dial an Angel. He has the comfort and security of living at home and it is considerably cheaper than residential care. He even gets to keep his cat!

## **Service options**

Post Hospital Care, Personal Care, Shopping, Meal Preparation, Domestic Assistance, Garden Maintenance, Transport, Carer Support and Relief, In-Home Respite.

Additionally, Community Care TASMANIA can provide respite care, overnight care, palliative care or other emergency care at any time including weekends and public holidays.

We are also open to requests for new types of services. We will do our best to help you and provide you with a detailed quote for whatever services you may require.

Why not buy one of our Dial an Angel gift vouchers for a loved one or friend who needs some help around the house?

**For more info, visit [www.cct.org.au](http://www.cct.org.au) or call us on 1300 722 400**

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