

Is this Program for YOU?

- Participants must be Aboriginal
- Participants must be living in the program's geographical area
- Participants must have a good work or training history
- Participants with school-aged children must ensure they attend school regularly
- Participants must commit to lease and tenancy agreements
- Participants must commit to meeting with support workers and money mentors

What participants will get out of the Program:

- A secure, affordable home for you and your family
- Support and assistance to develop life management skills
- Links to further community support networks such as health, education, and employment agencies
- Money mentors to help participants transition into home ownership and build personal wealth

TRANSITIONAL HOUSING



To find out more about the
Transitional Housing Program visit:
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About the Program

The Transitional Housing Program provides stable, affordable housing to Aboriginal people who are engaged in employment or training, and who ensure their children attend school regularly.

Participants must commit to the program and engage with support services to develop independence and personal wealth. The program will also assist with referrals to community support networks such as health, education, and employment agencies. The ultimate goal of the program is for participants to move into private rental or purchase their own home.



A range of housing types are available to meet the needs of singles, couples and family groups. Before joining the program, many participants of the Transitional Housing Program did not think that purchasing their own home was possible.

Locations



Transitional Housing – Halls Creek

A partnership between the Housing Authority, the Kimberley Development Commission and the Halls Creek Aboriginal Housing Group will provide a further 15 transitional houses in Hall Creek. Eight houses are currently leased and seven more will be available by late 2015.



Transitional Housing – Kununurra

The Transitional Housing Program started in September 2012 and offers 40 transitional houses in Kununurra.

The Housing Authority partners with the community housing provider and a support services provider to deliver the program. The community housing provider manages the properties and the support services provider delivers the support services.

West Kimberley Transitional Housing – Broome and Derby

The Housing Authority and the Kimberley Development Commission will deliver a minimum of 40 transitional houses in Broome and 20 in Derby. Houses will be available from late 2015.

