

PARTNERSHIPS & REFERRALS

Working Together

We collaborate with local schools, police, health, and community organisations to create pathways for positive change.

Referrals

Welcome From:

- Families and carers
- Community and Church organisations
- Schools and youth agencies
- Justice and social service providers

Strong partnerships and referrals are vital to ensure at-risk youth receive timely, tailored support and access to the full range of services that help them succeed.



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CIYEP

Cairns Indigenous Youth Empowerment Programme

**EMPOWERING ABORIGINAL AND TORRES
STRAIT ISLANDER YOUTH TO THRIVE, LEAD,
AND BUILD BRIGHTER FUTURES.**





WHAT WE DO

The Cairns Indigenous Youth Empowerment Programme (CIYEP) supports Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander youth aged 12–25 to reconnect with culture, education, employment, and community life.

OUR GOAL

To reduce youth crime and anti-social behaviour while strengthening young people’s sense of belonging, leadership, and self-worth.

FOCUS AREA

- Mooroolool, Manoora, Manunda, and Southern Corridor communities
- Youth at risk of or already in contact with the justice system

HOW WE HELP

OUR APPROACH

Culturally appropriate and trauma-informed support through:

- ✓ Case Management: Individualised plans built around each young person’s goals
- ✓ Mentoring: Guidance and encouragement to make positive life choices
- ✓ Group Activities: Sport, recreation, and cultural events to build wellbeing
- ✓ Family & Community Connection: Strengthening relationships and cultural identity
- ✓ Education & Employment Support: Helping youth re-engage in school, training, or work

OUR IMPACT

Indigenous youth supported each year through intensive and holistic case management

Improved education, training, and employment outcomes

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Stronger connections to family, culture, and community

WHY IT MATTERS

CIYEP provides culturally grounded, holistic support that helps at-risk Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander youth reconnect with culture, education, and community, reducing offending and empowering them to thrive

