

# FREE Counselling and Support

For those impacted  
by the bushfires  
in East Gippsland



**Free and confidential counselling is now available for individuals, families, emergency service workers and children and young people.**

If you're experiencing the following or other challenges as a result of the bushfires, our counsellors are here to support you. Access up to 10 counselling sessions, free of charge and without a GP referral. We also offer specialty supports for children and young people.

Services are available face-to-face (with COVID Safe measures) across East Gippsland, and via video and telephone appointments.

We encourage you to contact us for more information or to make an appointment.

Are you:

- Feeling stressed, worried, anxious or overwhelmed?
- Anxious about the bushfire season?
- Having trouble sleeping?
- Experiencing distress or bad memories that impact on your daily activities?
- Feeling a sense of panic, loss or anger?
- Experiencing relationship difficulties?
- Withdrawing from your usual activities?
- Feeling teary, numb or detached?

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