



# Job Quest: Employment Programs

**Choose a pre-employment program focused on empowering you to build your skills and confidence in a safe and supportive team environment.**

Gateways Support Services' Job Quest is a self-paced program, split into 10-12 week term blocks. The pre-employment program provides a balance of skill development activities and practical volunteer opportunities. The program aims to support you to identify your skills and interests, and then build your capacity in those areas.

Put your new skills into practice in various workplaces - including cafes, bakeries, nurseries and supermarkets - to help you make a decision about what you really want and need from a job.

The Job Quest team works with you to develop an Individualised Employment Pathway, outlining your goals and how you will move through the steps of the program to achieve them.

Job Quest includes skill development and volunteering days (2 days per week):

- **Skill Development Sessions** can include team work, money management, workplace norms and time management.
- **Volunteering Sessions** within various industries such as gardening, food services, and office work, each weekly.

Once you have achieved your employment goals, you will be supported to find an opportunity that suits you. This may include (but is not limited to) engaging an employment provider, ADE or finding an ongoing employment opportunity with a Gateways partner.

**Gateways is an NDIS and DHHS registered disability service provider, with quality accreditation.**

## You are eligible for Job Quest if you:

- Are over 18 years of age
- Can attend 2 days (12 hours) a week
- Are an NDIS Participant with Core, Capacity Building or Employment Funding (0102)
- Can sustain group participation
- Ability to get to (start and finish) at the PLACE, Thompsons Rd
- Can commit to the term
- Can self-administer medication (if applicable)
- Can self-monitor any medical conditions (if applicable)

**We can also provide a Job Quest quote for your next NDIS Plan Review. Just ask us!**

## Where

Job Quest is delivered between 9am – 3pm daily at Gateways Community PLACE, 12- 14 Thompson Rd, North Geelong. Part-time attendance is encouraged.

## How to register your expression of interest

Call the Job Quest team on 5221 2984 or email [kendra.bradbury@gateways.com.au](mailto:kendra.bradbury@gateways.com.au)