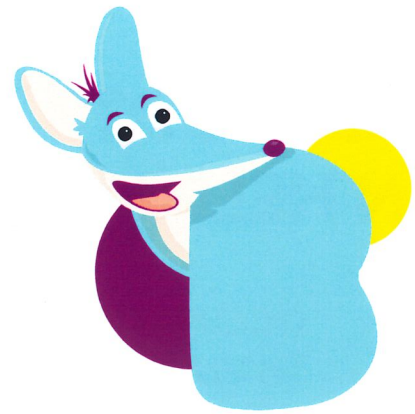


Meet Our **BANDICOOTS**



Bandicoots is Better Rehab's Early Childhood service, with a team of superstar professionals who are dedicated to helping infants and children get their best possible start in life!

We've named our service after the cute marsupial that can live in a variety of habitats, as we are here to help children thrive in any environment and achieve their chosen goals.

With Bandicoots, we provide support for children 6 years and younger, guided by the NDIS' Early Childhood Approach, which aims to promote children's development and wellbeing.

Our team can help with everything that is important to you and your child in a comfortable, safe and nurturing way.

Our team of Early Childhood professionals are clinicians from our four disciplines—Occupational Therapy, Speech Pathology, Physiotherapy and Positive Behaviour Support.

We also have Key Workers who will be your primary contact and who will ensure that all disciplines are working cohesively to support you.

They will partner with you as the parent, carer or guardian to set meaningful goals for your child's development, and support you in assisting them with achieving these goals. These goals may be related to home and school tasks, relationship and friendship building, or their participation in your local community!

OUR BANDICOOTS CAN HELP WITH:



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

- Everyday routines and increased independence with self-care skills including feeding, toileting and dressing
- Play skills
- Fine motor skills including cutting, handwriting and effective bilateral hand use
- Making friends
- Self-regulation skills (emotional regulation and sensory regulation)
- Sensory processing and increasing meaningful participation in all environments
- Access to the school curriculum
- Access to the home and school environment
- Participation in learning activities
- Participation in the community



SPEECH PATHOLOGY

- Helping children reach their communication and mealtime goals
- Establishing multiple ways to communicate
- Learning to use new words and sounds
- Understanding the world around them
- Using technology to support communication development
- Exploring new textures for fussy eaters
- Eating and drinking safely



PHYSIOTHERAPY

- Gross motor development
- Increasing mobility and physical health
- Increasing strength, coordination, and flexibility
- Pain management
- Breathing and chest support
- Assistance with 24-hour positioning
- Recreation and play, e.g. finding the right bike or equipment for your child
- Coaching on how to support your child's physical needs




POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT

- Managing or reducing behaviours of concern (e.g. verbal/physical aggression)
- Building meaningful relationships with others
- Building communication skills to express needs and wants
- Development of a behaviour support plan
- Coping with change and transitions
- Coaching on how to best support your child



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