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**Hobart  
City  
Mission**  
Caring since 1852

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# DIY Dads



# About us

Hobart City Mission have been supporting the people of Southern Tasmania since 1852. We meet people where they are, when help is most needed. We support people with care, understanding and compassion. We empower people and look for new ways to help our community through innovative solutions.

## *Our vision*

Creating compassionate, resilient and connected local communities.

## *Our Mission*

Guided by Christian values, Hobart City Mission brings together people who give and people in need, through the provision of client focused, holistic and innovative services.

## *Our Values*



Honesty



Innovation



Respect



Passion



Teamwork

# What we do

DIY Dads provides a safe home and support for you and your children.

We can support you if you are at risk of homelessness, and need housing for you and your child/children.

The program supports your individual needs, so you and your child/children can grow together. You can work on your goals with the support of a caring community.

There are eight units in the DIY community, which are all for dads and their children.

# DIY Dads provides

- Stable housing for you and your child/children
- Supportive staff during business hours
- An unfurnished two-bedroom unit
- Support to achieve your goals such as getting a job or completing education
- Activities for yourself and your children
- A supportive community of other dads and their kids
- Support with parenting, life skills and budgeting
- Support to move into independent living
- Visiting hours to approved visitors

# FAQs

## What are the age limits?

We accept applications from fathers of any age, with children up to 18 years old.

## How long can I stay?

You can stay for up to 2 years.

## How much rent will I pay?


Approximately 30% of your total income. You may be eligible for rent assistance, if required.

## I have more than one child, am I still able to apply?


All units are two bedrooms, and can allow for more than one child. However, limits do apply. Please enquire for more information.

# How to apply

For more info or to apply to DIY Dads

 6215 4200

 [diydads@hobartcitymission.org.au](mailto:diydads@hobartcitymission.org.au)

 [www.hobartcitymission.org.au](http://www.hobartcitymission.org.au)

*Information provided is general advice, and can be different based on your circumstances identified through the approval process. All information is correct at time of printing and is subject to change.*

*"DIY Dads has changed my life. I have a job that I am proud of and my son is back at school. I'm loving life now!"*

—Tom\*, Resident at DIY Dads  
\*Name changed to protect privacy



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## Support us

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DIY Dads provides this service through generous donations from the community.

To help support the work of DIY Dads visit [www.hobartcitymission.org.au/donate-now](http://www.hobartcitymission.org.au/donate-now)

Thank you for helping local fathers and their children.

## Hobart Office

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