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A Place to call h ome

Finding somewhere to live and make home is important for your wellbeing. Having your own private space where you feel safe, comfortable, relaxed, and where you know you can stay for a length of time is fundamental for good mental health.

Before you begin searching for a new home, consider the following:

- x Am I looking for short term or long term accommodation? Do I need somewhere to live for a few weeks, a semester, or longer?
- x How much can I afford to pay in rent? Can I also afford food, electricity, internet, phone, transport costs and the things I like to do?
- x Do I want to live on-campus or off-campus?

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For further advice and support, please contact JCU Student Equity and Wellbeing.

Further information and support

JCU Accommodation Services www.jcu.edu.au/accommodation

Queensland Residential Tenancies Authority (RTA) www.rta.qld.gov.au/

Queensland State Wide Tenant Advice and Referral Service (QSTARS) qstars.org.au/

Queensland Government www.qld.gov.au/housing

Townsville Homelessness Service Hub Phone 4795 2980

Cairns Homelessness Service Hub Phone 4046 8050 https://www.anglicarenq.org.au/homelessness-services/cairns-homelessness-services-hub/

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