

Banned Drinker Register

Service Information Katherine

What does it mean to have a Banned Drinker Order (BDO)?

- **Can I drink alcohol?**
 - No. You cannot buy or drink alcohol or have any alcohol for the time you have a BDO.
- **Can other people give me alcohol?**
 - No. People who give alcohol to someone subject to a BDO may be charged with a criminal offence, fined and placed on the BDR for 12 months.
- **Can I change how long I have a BDO for?**
 - If you complete a therapeutic support program you may be eligible for a reduction of your BDO.

Getting Help:

- If you want to change the problems you are having with alcohol, you can get help.
- Some people need a safe place to stop drinking, this might be at a withdrawal place or a residential program.
- Some people need someone to talk to such as a counselling service.

Counselling and Support Services:

- **CatholicCare NT**
An alcohol and other drugs counselling service.
Phone: (08) 8971 0777
14 Giles Street, Katherine NT 0851
- **Katherine AOD Service**
Alcohol and other drugs assessment, counselling and support.
Phone: (08) 897 38403
First Floor Government Centre, First Street, Katherine NT 0850
- **Wurli-Wurlinjang Health Services**
Community controlled Aboriginal medical service.
Phone: (08) 8971 0044
25 Third Street, Katherine NT 0850

Withdrawal Services:

- **Katherine Hospital**
The Katherine Hospital can provide medical supervision and monitoring of inpatients withdrawing from alcohol and other drugs.
Phone: (08) 8973 9211
Katherine Gorge Road, Katherine, NT 0850

Rehabilitation Services:

- **Venndale Rehabilitation Service**
Residential alcohol and other drug rehabilitation centre.
Phone: (08) 8971 7199
Fox Road, Katherine, NT 0850

Resources:

- **SMART Recovery**
<https://smartrecoveryaustralia.com.au>
- **Alcoholics Anonymous**
1300 222 222
www.aa.org.au

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