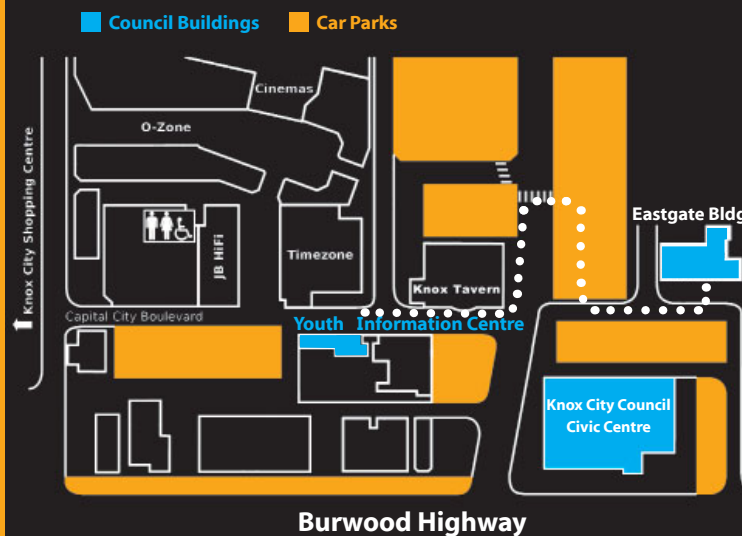


# knox youth services

## The YIC - Youth Information Centre

The YIC is located at Knox Ozone and provides information, advice, individual assistance and referral to young people and their families and those who work with young people.

Knox Youth Services staff and outreach workers from other services are available to provide assistance for a variety of reasons including: accommodation; drug and alcohol issues; family conflict; and relationships. A Youth Health Service is currently being established at this location.



### The YIC - Youth Information Centre


Open: Monday - Thursday 1 - 5pm  
 t 9298 8469 f 9800 3308  
 Location: Ground Level, Capital City Boulevard,  
 Knox O-Zone, Wantirna South 3152

### Knox Youth Services

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 511 Burwood Highway, Wantirna South 3152

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 e [youth@knox.vic.gov.au](mailto:youth@knox.vic.gov.au)



**Knox Youth Services** provides information, referral, support and programs for young people aged 10-25 who are living, working, recreating or studying in the City of Knox.

**For more information on any of the services listed, please call 9298 8000 or email [youth@knox.vic.gov.au](mailto:youth@knox.vic.gov.au)**

## Programs and Services for Young People

### Community Programs

Personal development programs/ skills workshops run throughout the Knox Community

### Community Projects

Short term initiatives that address local youth issues

### Counselling

Short-medium term individual counselling for young people 10-25 years, and parent support work

### Individual Support

Information, advice and referral for young people aged 10-25 years

### Same-sex attracted and Transgender young people

Individual support for young people aged 12-25 years and social support programs for 14-18 years

### Schools Programs

Personal development programs e.g. Core of Life and Safe Parties

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### Young Leaders

A weeklong training program for Year 10 students

### Young Parent's groups

Weekly social groups for parents under 25 years

### Youth Council

An Advisory Committee of young people 12-25 years who provide advice to Council

### Youth e-Newsletter

Regular e-Newsletter with information on what's on for young people in Knox

### Youth Festival and Events group

A working group of young people assisting and supporting Youth Services in providing youth-focused activities for festivals and events in Knox

## Programs and Services for Families, Parents and Carers

### Information and Referral

Information, advice and referral for parents and carers of young people aged 10-25 years

### Parent Information Sessions

A range of free educative and informative Parent Seminars that are responsive to contemporary issues

### Knox Schools Expo

'Choosing a Secondary School for your child'- an annual event including Knox's Secondary Schools

## Schools, Agencies and others advocating for Young People

### Community Programs

Personal development programs/ skills workshops run throughout the Knox Community

### Information and Referral

Information, advice and referral for those working on behalf of young people aged 10-25 years

### Knox Primary Wellbeing Network (KPWN)

A network for Primary school staff in Knox who perform a wellbeing role

### Knox Secondary Wellbeing Network (KSWN)

A network for Secondary school staff in Knox who perform a wellbeing role

### Knox Youth Charter

Guiding principles supporting Council's commitment to actively engage and value young people

### Knox Youth Service Providers Network (YSPN)

A network for workers that provide services to young people in Knox

### Partnerships and Projects

Collaborations to respond to issues or meet the needs of young people

### School Focused Youth Service (SFYS)

SFYS facilitates links between schools and agencies servicing at risk young people aged 10-18 years