### Dementia support

Helpful ways to look after yourself









#### Have a yarn with your Doctor or Aboriginal Health worker

Consider having a family member or carer accompany you to the appointment. They may provide additional information about your needs, preferences, and symptoms.



#### Call the National Dementia Helpline

Call 1800 100 500

Free helpline, available 24/7.
No issue too big, no question too small.

Learn more about what dementia is, what might come next in your journey and connect with supports.



# Have a yarn with your local Aboriginal Medical Service

South Coast AMS (02) 4448 0200

Waminda (02) 4421 7400

Katungul AMS (02) 4488 4050

Illawarra AMS (02) 4229 9495



### Access free government, social and community support

You may be eligible to apply for support.

My Aged Care 1800 200 422

Services Australia 132 717

> NDIS 1800 800 110



# Read the Dementia Australia guide and complete the checklist

Read or listen to the Dementia Guide here and complete the checklist here.

#### Call other helplines

<u>Dementia Support</u>
<u>Australia</u>
1800 699 799



#### Learn more

A full list of resources, programs, and support for people living with dementia can be found by scanning the QR code or at coordinare.org.au/dementiasupport

