

**Show compassion and counter government cruelty so those seeking our protection can survive.**

**With no housing and no financial support, people seeking our protection are left destitute and in desperate need of our care.**

I am gravely concerned for the welfare of those affected by the Australian Government's determination to cease support for people seeking asylum brought from the detention camps in Manus and Nauru. These people were brought to Australia because of extreme health concerns.

The Department of Immigration has already ceased financial assistance to 100 individuals (one a pregnant woman) and informed them they must vacate supported accommodation within three weeks.

The sector is expecting a similar announcement to be made removing safe housing and living expenses from a further 300 people in family groups, including 117 children and 37 babies.

I seek your support to provide the necessities for survival the government has refused our fellow humans as they seek our protection from persecution.

The House of Welcome team is responding to this shocking cruelty by stretching our capacity further to provide assistance to those involved.

We can already offer:

- Some additional housing
- Case work

We need you to help us provide:

- Financial assistance
- Empty liveable housing in Western Sydney
- Non - perishable food

If you are able to join us in our response please [click here to provide financial assistance](#)

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With much appreciation,

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