



Wagga Family Support Gambling Help Counsellor is eager to work with anyone affected by gambling - either their own or someone else's - in developing tools to address concerns.

Auspiced by Wagga Wagga Family Support Services Inc.
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FAMILY SUPPORT GAMBLING HELP COUNSELLING

Open Monday to Friday
9am to 5pm and afterhours on
Thursdays to 8pm.

How to Access service:
Individuals may refer themselves or be referred by other services **by:**



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Phone: 0459 139 668



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gamblingcounsellor@
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Or drop in to our friendly office



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46 - 52 Baylis St
Wagga Wagga



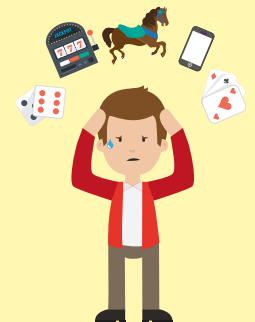
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**FREE, SUPPORTIVE,
NON- JUDGEMENTAL
AND CONFIDENTIAL
GAMBLING COUNSELLING**

Family Support Gambling Help Counselling Service's Mission Statement

- Provide a professional, supportive service to anyone affected by gambling, either their own or someone else's.
- Promote community awareness through education, presentations, workshops and attending community events
- Work with other service providers and gambling venues

Confidentiality

We respect our clients' right to privacy and confidentiality & all the services and venues we work with and will always maintain confidentiality to the full extent allowable by the law.

Have you ever:

- Had concerns or felt affected by your own or someone else's gambling and wanted to talk to someone who understands?
- Gambled for longer or with more \$ than you intended?
- Chased losses?
- Thought about cutting down or stopping gambling?
- Found yourself drawn back into a gambling activity although you were determined to stay away?
- Found gambling has become more than a social activity or fun?
- Wanted to support a loved one or friend who appears to be suffering as a result of gambling, but are not sure how?



**If you answered 'yes' to one or more
Of these questions or would just like to
have a chat about gambling, free
supportive help is available.**

Non-judgemental services provided in supportive, friendly environment free of charge:

To individuals affected by their own gambling:

- A safe place where you decide what you want to work on and do so at your own pace.
- Reasons that may be contributing to your gambling and work towards making and maintaining change by using a variety of approaches.
- Free Self Exclusion (voluntarily banning yourself from gaming venues) completed in the privacy of the counsellor's office - no need to attend individual venues.
- **In-service referral to a Financial Counsellor**

Those affected by someone else's gambling:

- A safe place to talk, 'get things off your chest' and develop an understanding of the individuals gambling and ideas on how to cope.

Other Service Providers and gambling venues:

- Service visits, referral partnerships, information, presentations on the affects of problem gambling and what our service offers.