

# Support for people with disability

If you have been instructed to self-isolate as a result of coronavirus (COVID-19) and need assistance with accommodation, food or other essential items, you can call the

**Disaster Response Hotline on 1800 032 965.**

**An essential shopping and delivery service, called [Cahoots Connects](#), is also available.**

This is a free shopping and delivery service – all you pay for is your goods.

**Am I eligible? Cahoots Connects are there to help people who are:**

- over the age of 65
- living with a disability
- experiencing mental health concerns
- immunocompromised (have low immunity)
- feeling unsafe or too anxious to complete your shopping
- of an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background
- of Culturally and Linguistically Diverse background
- a carer for any of the above.

Phone **1300 103 880** or enquire online at <https://www.cahoots.org.au/cahootsconnects/>

Discuss your needs with call centre staff who will determine how to help you. This service is accessible so you may book an AUSLAN interpreter if required.

Volunteers are trained in and use strict infection control procedures and use personal protective equipment (PPE).

Orders for shopping for essentials and supplies can be made by:

- telephone
- on-line store.

Goods can be delivered to your door or to a secure place. If you require help to unpack shopping, volunteers will put away shopping if it is safe to do so, wearing PPE.

Cahoots Connects is endorsed by the WA Department of Communities and the Minister, Stephen Dawson.

Reference

Department of the Premier and Cabinet [COVID-19 coronavirus: Health and wellbeing \(2020\)](#).