

A boy in the playground tunnel: support where life happens.

The Centered Space

Support Coordinators and referrers

A provider where every clinician is a trained key worker.

Plan-managed and self-managed plans. Key worker support for children aged 0 to 9: one point of contact who holds the whole picture and coordinates the team. Our team has room for new families now.

Who is this for?

Children aged 0 to 9 and their families
Plan-managed or self-managed. We are not NDIS-registered, so we cannot bill agency-managed plans.

Families managing too many relationships
One trusted person holds the plan and coordinates the team, so the family is not managing every therapist separately.

Adults
We steady the supports around an adult in a different way, same philosophy.

What does the Key Worker Model mean here?

One trusted point of contact

A coordinated, transdisciplinary team

Capacity building, not dependence

Support in everyday life

Plain-language help with the NDIS

Trained, not self-titled

Where and how do sessions happen?

Where life happens
Home, childcare, school, the park, the community. Gold Coast, Brisbane and Northern NSW in person. Online anywhere in Australia.

The ecosystem comes before the therapy
We steady the whole system around a family first, then build goals in the family's own words.

Is there room now?

Our team has room for new families now. Every clinician here is a trained key worker, with the whole team behind them. No sign-by date: the family chooses, in their own time.

The referral path

1. You refer on the page below, or email Liz. Tell us the child's name and age, how the plan is managed, what is happening, and who else is involved.
2. Liz, our NDIS specialist, calls or emails you within one business day.
3. A free conversation with the family: their worries, what they want, and whether we are the right fit. If not, we point you to someone more aligned.
4. We map the whole picture, coordinate the team, sort the supports, and build functional goals with the family.
5. Support in everyday life, and review. You are included in every communication.

Thriving Kids, honestly

As at October 2026, Thriving Kids has not reached Queensland families yet, there is no program to apply to, and nothing about NDIS access has changed. Changes to NDIS access for young children are not expected before January 2028. We are not a Thriving Kids provider and will not claim a status we do not have. NDIS education is free.

What does it cost and who pays? NDIS funding may cover therapy supports, including key worker support, where they align with the participant's goals and approved plan. Not all NDIS plans include these supports. **Plan-managed and self-managed plans.** We are not NDIS-registered. $193.99 an hour, the NDIS price limit for therapy supports, as at October 2026. Quoted per person based on goals and complexity, confirmed in writing before any work begins.

Refer a participant: Liz, our NDIS specialist

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