



Supporting over 200 families and students a year

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Expanding the Mary Aikenhead Clinic services

Funding from the Bank allows the clinic to:

Operate **five days a week in Semester 2** and **three days a week in Semester 1**

Make available **more than 100 additional discounted neurodiverse assessments to families in need**, reducing current waitlist times and saving families (collectively) over \$150,000 a year

Be able to see **five times more complex cases**

Enable **another 12 Clinical Psychology students to complete their qualifications six-months faster**

Provide a five session **psychoeducation program for parents of children diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder**

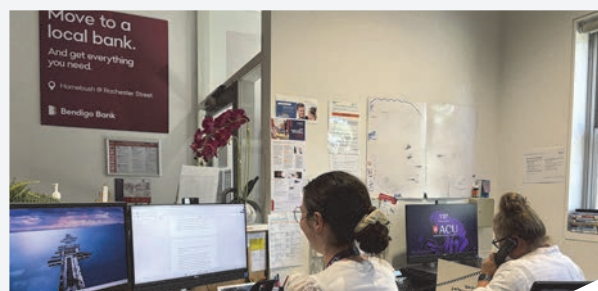


Above: the official kick-off of the extended services for the Mary Aikenhead Clinic; **Right:** Morgan and Ewa at the clinic

Minimising food insecurity challenges since July 2024

Given the challenges of unpaid student placements, the Community Bank board, staff and scholars, along with 45 ACU's Strathfield campus staff came together, to **pack and distribute over 250 Hampers (with produce sourced from local businesses)** with a recipe booklet made by ACU's Food Tech students and staff (**photo above**). These were then distributed to students in need.

In addition, the Community Bank funding allowed a **Food Pantry** to be set up to provide students support, on a periodical basis, until the start of the Commonwealth Prac Placement allowance.



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We're proud to be **one of the first metro Community Banks in NSW**, originally founded by the community when a gap in the market was identified.

With a mantra to **Grow with our Community**, since 2002, we have supported many community initiatives (**see list on the right**). In 2024, the Community Bank network collectively contributed over \$40 million for more than 8,000 community projects across Australia.

When you choose to bank with us, you know you will be helping families through the Mary Aikenhead Clinic, our Scholarships and other community engagements

Are you interested in being able to contribute to your local community? It's really simple, just come in for a chat with our friendly team and see if we can help you with your banking or lending needs.

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We have supported many local organisations since our founding in 2002, including, but not limited to:

Education:

Australian Catholic University Strathfield
Chalmers Road School
Concord West Public School
Homebush Boys High School
Homebush Public School
Homebush West Public School
Santa Sabina College
Strathfield Girls High School
Strathfield South Public School
St Anne's Catholic Primary School
Tamil Study Centre Homebush

Health:

Bethany Health / Holistic Centre
Concord Hospital's Sydney Cancer Survivorship Centre
Mary Aikenhead Clinic

Sports:

Strathfield Cricket Club
Strathfield Croquet Club
Strathfield Raiders Football Club

Others:

Community Bank Homebush Founders Scholarships
Breakfast Point Men's Shed
Local Seniors Clubs
Strathfield Council Community Events
Plus many more!



Above: supporting Council's Homebush Vibes Event



Above: the start of the collaboration between the Australian Catholic University and the Community Bank