



News Release

Sharon Bird MP

Federal Member for Cunningham

104 training places for aged care in Wollongong

The Commonwealth Government is investing \$442,347.00 for 104 training places in the aged care sector in Wollongong, Federal Member for Cunningham, Sharon Bird, said today.

The Government is providing funding for 84 training places in Community Aged Care Workforce Development and 20 places in Better Skills for Better Care initiatives.

The training places funding will be provided to Registered Training Organisations (RTOs), which will work with existing aged care providers to train employed aged care workers.

“I am delighted with this Commonwealth Government investment for the training of aged care workers in Wollongong.

“We know there is a skills shortage in the aged care sector in the region.

“This investment will ensure that aged care workers continue to get the training they need to help in the care of older Australians in local nursing home facilities in our local community”, Ms Bird said.

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