# BRAINCHILD FOUNDATION

We are a charitable organisation established in 2010 with the aim of supporting young people who are affected by brain or spinal cord tumours and their families.



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## BETTER TOMORROWS PROGRAM

Funding free educational and/or therapist support for young people up to the age of 24, following treatment for brain or spinal cord tumours.

Eligible families are allocated a financial support package. Families may utilise their package to access the necessary support required by their child.

# A PERSONALISED APPROACH TO YOUR NEEDS

The Better Tomorrows program seeks to provide personalised assistance by connecting young people affected by brain or spinal cord tumours to services such as:

- 1. Tuition support
- 2. Speech therapy
- 3. Occupational therapy
- 4. Physiotherapy
- 5. Psychological counselling

The program will strive to link recipients to ongoing support following hospital rehabilitation, GP and government assistance currently available to them.

### **HOW DO I APPLY?**

Referrals may be made to the Brainchild Foundation's Better Tomorrows Program by parents, teachers and health care providers of eligible young people.

Referrals must confirm diagnosis of a brain or spinal cord tumour, treatment received and that the person being referred is aged between 0-24 years.

Parents and carers are also encouraged to enquire about the program. Referrals and enquires can be made either:

Via email to: education@brainchild.org.au

Or in writing to: The Brainchild Foundation PO. Box 756, The Gap 4061

Parents and carers will then be required to complete an application form and provide any relevant reports from a neuropsychologist, physiotherapist, speech pathologist or occupational therapist.

