

There To Care AWARDS

*Celebrating excellence, respect,
compassion, and community.*



Brenda

Residential Care Worker
Whyalla Residential Care Home

2025 Third Quarter Award Recipient

The *There to Care Awards* honours Helping Hand Care Worker, Brenda, who demonstrates compassion in her daily work.

After years dedicated to raising children and working as a cook for a local footy club, Brenda finally focussed on pursuing a long-held passion that began in her teens – care work.

In doing so, she has found her true calling.

Brenda's dedication is inspiring, as she consistently finds purpose and values the connections she has made with residents and their families.

"Just making those little connections and conversation starters is lovely. One lady grew up in Spalding near Crystal Brook, and across the road there was a church. My granddaughter had her netball finals in the area, so I took photos for the lady of where she used to live as a walk down memory lane," she says.

"It's very rewarding work. I feel confident that I have made a difference in residents' lives. I have built relationships, not just with residents but family and other carers as well. I feel like I am making a difference."

Brenda was completely surprised by the award win, especially since she earned another award just the month before.

"I recently received the Star of the Month Award, so when I was told about the Quarterly Awards, I thought it was the same, but it wasn't. So, I was totally surprised. It was lovely to be recognised."

Thanks, Brenda, for being there to care.

There To Care Awards focus on celebrating our values of excellence, respect, compassion and community, helping us to celebrate the amazing work our people do every day.