

They meet regularly to:

**Expectations of Taskforce members**

Taskforce members are valued for contributing different skills, experience and perspectives to the taskforce.

**Local Jobs and Skills Taskforces**

The Local Jobs and Skills Taskforce works together to develop local workforce solutions to help people get a job and meet employer needs.

Find out about Local Jobs and Skills Taskforces and the role they play in the Local Jobs Program in your region.

**Local Jobs**

The Local Jobs Program brings together community members to connect people to training, jobs and support services, and to support employers with their workforce needs.

If you are a community group or individual with ideas for skills and employment solutions or your business has workforce needs, the Local Jobs Program can work with you to develop solutions for your region.

**Local Jobs and Skills Taskforces**

Taskforces develop solutions to help more Australians connect with quality job opportunities, improve their skills, and assist employers to meet their workforce and skills needs.

**About Taskforce members**

If you are passionate about your local region and can make a difference, we would love to hear from you.

Taskforces are:

Local people from community organisations, employer or industry groups, education and training providers, employment service providers, and government representatives.

Assist the Job Coordinator to maintain a Local Jobs Plan.

Each region has a volunteer taskforce, with the Job Coordinator as Chair.

The program is delivered in 51 [Employment](https://www.dewr.gov.au/local-jobs/job-coordinators-and-employment-regions) Regions

across Australia.

You can:

Each taskforce:

Collaborate with the Job Coordinator and stakeholders to find solutions to local priorities.

Dedicated to finding solutions for people looking for work and employers with workforce needs.

Has up to 10 members to remain agile and action oriented.

1.

Get support from a locally based Job [Coordinator](https://www.dewr.gov.au/local-jobs/job-coordinators-and-employment-regions)

Supports a shared understanding of their region and develops priorities for a Local Jobs Plan.

2.

Get involved in local initiatives

Take an active role in leading local conversations and solutions.

Proactive in delivering impactful local solutions.

3.

Connect with the Local Jobs and Skills Taskforce.

Advise how the Local Jobs Program and other funding can support initiatives in the region.

Has local stakeholders that represent the community and support action on the priorities.

Willing to share information, their knowledge and collaborate as a team to benefit their region.

Has a central role in connecting, coordinating and leveraging existing programs and initiatives.

Is a local resource to ensure collaboration is maximised to deliver solutions.

**Want to know more?**

To find out more about your local taskforce and how you can contribute, or if you have ideas that can help people get a job or meet employer needs in your region, get in touch with your local Job Coordinator.

For more information, including who your local Job Coordinator is and their contact details, visit

[dewr.gov.au/local-jobs](https://www.dewr.gov.au/local-jobs)