

BANKSIA Palliative Care's counselling services — especially for children dealing with the loss of a loved one — have received a boost.

BPC client support services manager Linda Espie said a \$500 donation from Diamond Valley Lions Club was used to buy a doll's house and furniture.

"The use of a play size family house at Banksia will assist in the counselling room by helping clients of all ages to explore and express their experiences in illness, palliative care, loss, grief and bereavement," she said. "The house is fully furnished and includes pets, garden furniture and a broad composition of family and friendship which may contribute to each individual or families narrative."



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