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AAC creating new relationships through corporate social responsibility

In March 2014, the enterprise arm of the Ashburton Aboriginal Corporation has recently created a three-way collaboration with ISS Facility Services and Derbarl Yerrigan Health Services (DYHS) in Perth.

The purpose of this initiative is to pass on some of the redundant linen from ISS sites to DYHS for distribution among their homeless and needy clients in the metro area.



Two pallets of this linen have also already been sent to Tom Price for similar purposes there.

The remaining vast majority of the redundant linen will be turned into industrial rags and sold through the AAC's newest enterprise, Ashburton Distribution & Logistics. The pilot for this venture is currently being "test driven" at the Wangara warehouse, and sales have already been made to Brierty Limited with other organisations requesting samples of the product for their future use.

It is the intention of the AAC that once proven to be a safe and viable proposition, the processing of the rags will be undertaken in various locations in the Pilbara. This will enable the RJCP arms of the AAC to provide work experience and work skills training for their clients in the regional centres where we have offices.

Left to Right: Gloria Askander (DHYS), Jim Morrison (DHYS), Sara Cunningham (ISS Supply), Dale St George (ISS Resources), Phil Carey (AAC), Charlie Tucker (AAC), Jonathon Thorne (DHYS), Gayden Carey (AAC), Stan Masters (DYHS)