

# FUNERAL APPLICATION FORM

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DOB:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_    **Mobile:** \_\_\_\_\_    **Home:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_    **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. **Language Group:**                       Nyiyapali                       Banyjima                       Innawonga

2. **Information of Deceased**

Name of deceased:
Your relationship to deceased:
Language Group of deceased:

Date of Funeral Service:
Location of Funeral Service:
Location of Burial:

3. **Have you received help or contributions for this request from anyone else?** *e.g. IBN, MIB, etc*

NO     YES, If yes, details: \_\_\_\_\_

4. **D.C.D Funding:**     NO     YES                      **Amount: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

5. **COSTS – You MUST Attach Quotes** *(These costs are to be paid first before all other requests)*

Burial Plot	\$
Transport for deceased	\$
Funeral Service Fee	\$
Other/s (please specify) Flowers, Clothing, Travel, Accommodation,	\$
Wake	\$
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>

**NOTE:**

- (1) Your application will be processed when it is fully complete with appropriate documentation/quotes attached. Food/Fuel vouchers can take up to 2 days, all other applications may take up to 7 days.
- (2) If you are unhappy with the decision you can appeal. GAC can assist you with this.
- (3) Payments are **ONLY** made directly to suppliers.
- (4) All applications will be assessed according to GAC Funding Guidelines to ensure a fair and just outcome.

**PLEASE CHECK THE FOLLOWING**

- I have **FULLY** completed this application.
- I have attached **ALL QUOTES** and/or **FULL COPIES OF BILL DETAILS** (front and back pages).  
**(Unless this information is received your application cannot be processed)**
- I have read and understand the attached Funeral Program Information Sheet

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_    **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please forward your fully completed application to the:

**Member Services Unit, Gumala Aboriginal Corporation, PO Box 61, TOM PRICE, WA 6751**

**PH: 1800 486 252 (1800 GUM ALA) / 08 9188 1845 / FAX: 08 9188 1846**

**EMAIL: [memberservices@gumala.com.au](mailto:memberservices@gumala.com.au)** - the SUBJECT HEADING must include the following:  
YOUR NAME, FUNERAL PROGRAM



# FUNERAL INFORMATION SHEET



The aim of the program is to provide assistance to the immediate family of a deceased Gumala Members with the cost of funerals, when faced with the passing of family members.

This program will assist in alleviating the financial burden of costs associated with funerals and will ensure that deceased Gumala Members and family are buried with dignity and respect in a culturally sensitive way and in accordance with the wishes of their family.

### The program is to be used for the following purposes:

The transport of the deceased, Undertaking, The purchase of a coffin, Burial, Headstone and a wake

After the above costs have been met, remaining funds can be used at the family's discretion for the following:

- Travel to and from the funeral for Gumala Members wishing to attend the funeral
- The purchase of flowers by the immediate family

Assistance in obtaining grief counseling can also be provided.

### Members are eligible for this program if they are:

- Clearly registered as a Member of Gumala Aboriginal Corporation at the time of their application.

### Applicants for this program must:

- Complete an Application Form (*Form 9.0*) specifying the purposes for which the program will be used (GAC can assist with this).
- Attach a full copy of bills and/or quotes.
- Submit a letter to support your application if it is outside the guidelines.

### Please Note:

- Applicants will be notified of the outcome of their application within **7 working days** of GAC receiving all required documentation.
- Retrospective payments for goods will not be made.
- Payments **cannot** be made to individuals – they can only be made to third party suppliers.
- Benefits are not transferrable to another person.

### ON YOUR APPLICATION FORM PLEASE CHECK THE BOXES AND SIGN

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