

NDIS Provider and Worker Registration Taskforce

The NDIS Provider and Worker Registration Taskforce has been established to provide advice on the design and implementation of the new graduated risk-proportionate regulatory model proposed in the <u>NDIS Review Final Report</u> in <u>consultation with the disability community.</u>

Specifically, the Taskforce will be providing advice on <u>Recommendation 17</u> which is to develop a risk-proportionate model of regulation of all providers and workers. The Taskforce will provide advice to the government on how a regulatory model of mandatory registration will work.

It is important to have your say and share your views with the Taskforce. The Taskforce needs to hear from people with disability and their families about how they arrange their supports and what might be the impact of increased regulation.

What should I tell the Taskforce?

1. Tel the taskforce about <u>your support arrangements</u>

- What does your support arrangement look like?
- How do you organise your support?
- How do you find workers?
- How are workers engaged (e.g. platform, ABN, direct employment, service provider)

2. Tell the taskforce about the <u>outcomes and benefits</u>

- What works well with this support arrangement? What could be improved?
- What are the benefits and outcomes you are achieving?

3. Tell the Taskforce about your <u>safeguarding strategies</u>

- What strategies do you use to help make your supports safe?
- Are there any checks you make, any training you provide, or any qualifications or skills you look for when you start with a new worker?
- Are there natural safeguards or freely given relationships to help keep you safe?
- Do you have strategies for when things go wrong?
- What documentation or records do you keep?



- How do you ensure you are receiving good quality supports?
- What do you do if supports are unsafe or not good quality?
- 4. Tell the Taskforce how increased regulations will impact on your supports?
 - What would be the impact of increased regulations?
 - Are there any benefits or concerns?
 - What do you think regulation could look like?
- 5. What advice do you give the Taskforce for developing a regulation model for supports?
- What sort of checks do you think providers and workers should have?
- Should there be qualifications for workers Why / why not?
- Which parts of the Model are most important to you?
- How do you think a Model of regulation can ensure the safety and autonomy of people with disability and foster community inclusion?
- What is the most important thing that you want the Taskforce to consider when developing their advice?

How do I send a submission or talk to the Taskforce?

- You can write your <u>Submission online</u>
- You can email your Submission to the taskforce <u>NDISRegistrationTaskforce@dss.gov.au</u>
- You can read and complete this interactive Easy Read document
- You can email the Taskforce and ask to meet with them or talk to them on the phone.