# National Disability Advocacy Framework review

Please use the questions below as a guide when developing your submission:

1. Do you believe the current Framework encompasses your vision of advocacy in the NDIS environment? If not, what changes are required?

Agree, provided it is independent.

Appreciate UN Convention on the Rights of People with a Disability is an excellent guide to use above and beyond legislation and funding agreements.

Client must participate, speak on behalf of not instead of and engaged in all resolution processes.

1. Are the [**principles**](#_Principles)of the Framework appropriate for guiding the delivery of advocacy for people with disability in a changing disability environment, including in the context of the NDIS? If not, what changes are required?

See 1. Above.

1. Are the[**outcomes**](#_Outcomes)of the Framework still relevant or should different ones be included? If so, what should be included?

See 1. Above.

1. Are the [**outputs**](#_Outputs)of the Framework still relevant or should different outputs be included?
2. Does the Framework identify what is needed in the current and future disability environment? If not, what changes are required?

It gives us a framework but needs to be a live document, eg dealing with geography such as the ARIA index.

How will advocacy be funded?

That clients won’t have to pay themselves.

1. Do you have any other comments, thoughts or ideas about the Framework?

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