

NDIS Reform Advisory Committee Expression of Interest Form

Background

In May 2024, the Australian Government announced the establishment of the NDIS Reform Advisory Committee (the NDIS RAC) to monitor and advise on the implementation of reform to the NDIS. This includes:

- governments' responses to the Independent Review into the NDIS (NDIS Review)
- NDIS-related recommendations from the Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability (Disability Royal Commission).

We are seeking nominations for representatives from the disability community to join the NDIS RAC through an open Expression of Interest (EOI) process.

Nominees may choose to be considered as a representative for their state or territory (one per jurisdiction), or as one of three community members appointed by the Commonwealth. Nominees may choose to be considered for both opportunities. Successful candidates will be appointed to the NDIS RAC by the Commonwealth Minister for the NDIS, following consultation with the NDIS RAC Co-Chairs and states and territories. NDIS RAC members will be appointed in a private capacity, as representatives of any organisation.

Where nominees consent, applications made through this process may also be used to select people to participate in other relevant working groups, roundtables or focus groups.

For more information and to support your application, please read the <u>Background and Frequently</u> <u>Asked Questions</u>.

If you wish to submit a handwritten form, please:

- Download and print off a copy of the EOI form.
- Write your answers clearly in blue or black pen in the spaces provided.

Scan and email your completed form to <u>NDISRACenquiries@dss.gov.au</u> by 11:59pm on 24 March 2025.

If you wish to submit a <u>video application</u>, please email <u>NDISRACenquiries@dss.gov.au</u> for instructions on uploading your video.

About you

1. Salutation:	
□ Mr	
Mrs	
□ Ms	
□ Mx	
□ Dr	
Prof	
□ A/Prof	
□ None	
Other	
2. First name:	
3. Last name:	
4. Email address:	
5. Postcode:	
6. Gender identity:	
□ Male	
Female	
🗆 Non-binary	
Prefer not to say	
Other	
7. Age group:	

- □ 18-24
- □ 25-34
- □ 35-44
- □ 45-54
- □ 55-64

□ 65+

 \Box Prefer not to say



8. Do you identify as a person with a diverse background? Please select all relevant.

- $\hfill\square$ First Nations
- □ LGBTIQA+SB
- □ Culturally and linguistically diverse
- □ Remote, regional or rural locations
- Other

9. Please feel free to elaborate below (150 words)

10. Please select which position(s) on the NDIS RAC you would like to be considered for.

□ State or territory representative (please specify which state or territory: _____)

- □ Community member
- \Box Both

11. What kind of experience in the disability community and sector do you have? Please select all that apply.

I have experience as:

- \Box A person with disability
- \Box A carer for a person/s with disability
- □ Experience in the delivery of services for people with disability
- □ A representative of a disability organisation
- □ Experience in implementing social policy reforms
- □ Experience in disability (including the NDIS) matters

□Other ____

12. What kind of disabilities do you have experience with? This may be personal experience as a person with disability, or experience caring for or working with people with disability.

13. Describe any adjustments or access requirements that will help you participate fully in the NDIS Reform Advisory Committee.

For example, Auslan interpreting, automatic captions or a support worker/carer attending meetings with you.

Your experience and skills

This expression of interest form is for us to understand your experience, skills and interest relevant to the NDIS Reform Advisory Committee. The following questions seek to understand your unique experience and abilities. As a result, there are no right or wrong answers to these questions.

If you need more space, please use the additional pages at the end of this document.

14. Tell us about your experience and understanding of matters affecting Australia's disability community and sector, including recent disability reforms.

15. Tell us about your skills and experience in connecting with and representing the views of people with disability.



16. Tell us about your skills and experience in advising or working with government (as an individual or through an organisation).



17. Tell us your experience and understanding of matters affecting diverse communities.

This includes: First Nations people; people from culturally and linguistically diverse communities; women and girls; people who identify as LGBTIQA+SA; people who live in regional and rural areas; and people with complex needs.

18. Tell us about your experience and understanding of complex policy reform processes. This might include involvement in or influencing policy design, development or implementation.



19. If you want to highlight specific areas of expertise, personally or professionally, please write these in the box below.

This might include other areas or matters relating to people with disability, e.g. you might have experience in innovative community participation or designing programs suited to people with disability.

20. If you are not appointed as a member of the Committee, would you be interested in assisting with the NDIS Reform implementation in other ways (e.g. participating in focus groups, working groups or roundtable discussions)?

Yes 🗆

No 🗆

Thank you for your interest in the NDIS Review Reform Advisory Committee. We appreciate you taking the time to submit this form.

You will receive an email confirmation after your Expression of Interest is submitted. If you do not receive an email, please contact us at <u>NDISRACenquiries@dss.gov.au</u>.

Please use the following pages if you need more space to answer the questions. Please indicate which question your answers relate to.



