



National Mental Health  
Consumer & Carer Forum

# Living with psychosocial disability on the NDIS – Listening Workshops

The National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) wants to learn more about the experiences of participants of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) living with psychosocial disability. The National Mental Health Consumer and Carer Forum (NMHCCF) is convening workshops on behalf of the NDIA to hear directly from participants how to improve access and planning within the NDIS.

Workshops will be held over three hours with a small number of participants. A reimbursement of \$50 an hour is available for people's time.



## Facilitated by

### Deb Hamilton

Deb Hamilton has been on the NDIS since 2014 as a participant living with a psychosocial disability. Over the years that followed, she has worked to improve the experience and the rights of people with a 'psychosocial' disability accessing the NDIS. She is an experienced researcher, facilitator and conference presenter.

### Lisa Sweeney

Lisa Sweeney works as the Lead, Psychosocial Disability at Mental Health Australia and the National Mental Health Consumer and Carer Forum. She also supports a family member who accesses the NDIS as a participant with psychosocial disability. She has a background in policy, health reform and public health.



### Please note

These workshops will be recorded and a de-identified transcription will be provided to the NDIA. Any information that links an individual to a specific comment will be removed during the transcribing process.

## Workshop times

[Click on your desired time below to be taken to the registration page](#)

Tuesday 16 August, 1:00pm – 4:00pm AEST

Wednesday 17 August, 9:00am – 12:00pm AEST

Thursday 18 August, 1:00pm – 4:00pm AEST

Friday 19 August, 9:00am – 12:00pm AEST

Monday 22 August, 12:00pm – 3:00pm AEST

Tuesday 23 August, 10:00am – 1:00pm AEST