



Disability Action and Inclusion Plan 2024 to 2026

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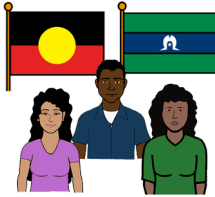
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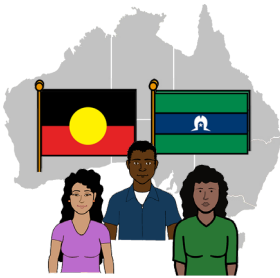


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We acknowledge the First Nations people



First Nations people are the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.



Acknowledge means we understand the importance of First Nations people's

- culture
- language
- history.



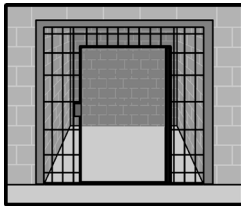
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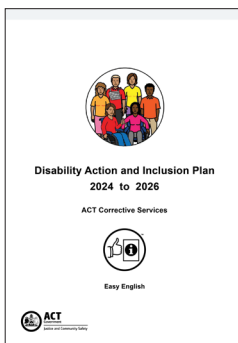
We are part of the government and help keep the community safe.



For example, we look after the prison and run programs for people who do crime.

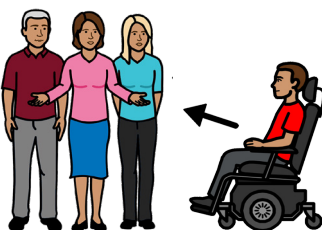


We work with people in prison and in the community.



This book is about our **Disability Action and Inclusion Plan**.

We call it **the plan**.



The plan says how we will have **inclusive** services for people with disability.

Inclusive means everyone is part of something.



There are 4 areas in the plan

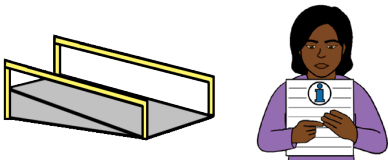
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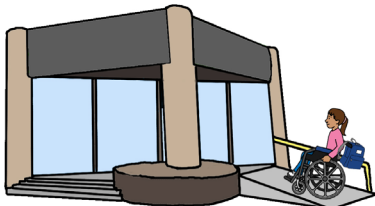
2. We will check to make sure our services support everyone.



3. We will make sure we know what support people need.



4. We will make our places and information more **accessible**.



Accessible means everyone can use it.

1 We will train our staff on how to give inclusive services



We will train our staff to be **confident** when they give services to people with disability.



Confident means our staff know what to say and do.



We will train our staff to give better support to **victims** with disability.



A victim is someone who is hurt by crime.

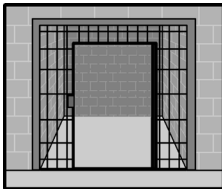
2 We will check to make sure our services support everyone



Many people with disability need support for other parts of their lives.



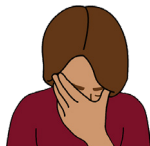
For example, a **prisoner** with disability may also need support for their mental health.



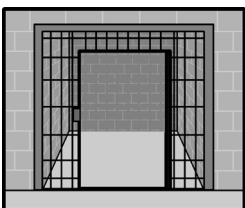
A prisoner is someone who is in prison.



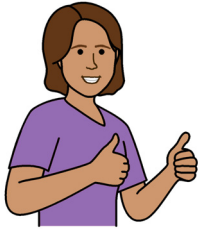
We will check if our spaces support people with disability if they are in **crisis**.



A crisis is when someone is having a bad time.



We will check if people who need to can use the accessible cells at the prison.



We will check we give the best care we can for prisoners with disability.

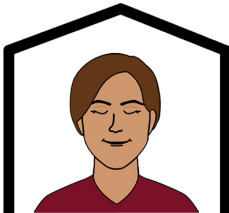


A prisoner with disability may need support like

- having a shower



- reading a book.



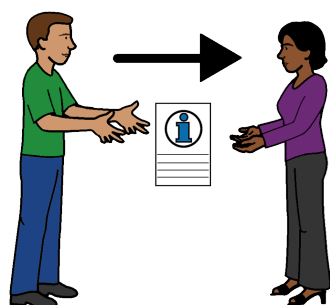
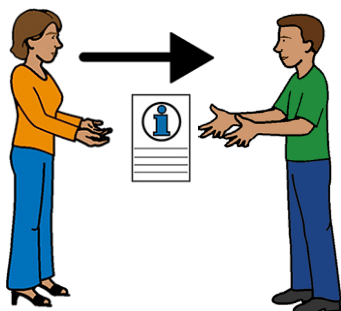
We will check if we should have a **quiet space**.

A quiet space is somewhere you can go to have a break.

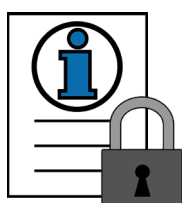
3 We will make sure we know what support people need

We will get more information about people with disability who do crime to

- know what services are right for them
- help them get the support they need.



We can share information with other services to make sure people get the right support.



We must make sure privacy and **dignity** are protected when we share information.

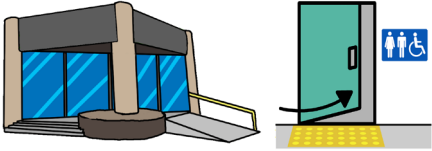


Dignity means respect.

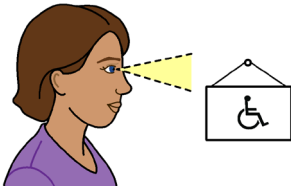


We will check what support prisoners with disability need when they leave prison.

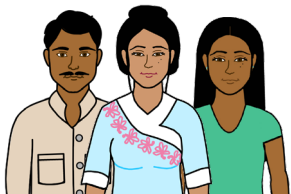
4 We will make our places and information more accessible



We will check if our buildings are accessible for everyone.



For example, we can make signs with larger words that are easier to read.

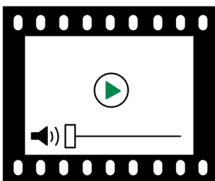


We will also make sure everyone can understand our information.



For example, we will explain more in

- Easy English



- videos.



We will check how we can use computers to better support people with disability.



We will make sure people know about the support we can give people with disability.

More information



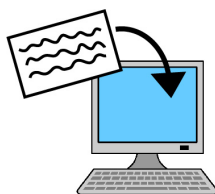
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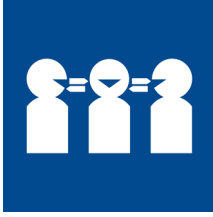
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