

Understanding changes in disability support: **South & North Burnett** Conversations about the NDIS

The **National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)** starts in Queensland next year.

The NDIS will be a new way of supporting people with a disability across Australia.

People who currently receive disability support will need to move to the new scheme between July 2016 and June 2019. Other eligible people with a disability, who do not currently receive support, will also be able to access the scheme.

The NDIS provides an important impetus for people to think anew about what would make (or build upon) a good life for them or their family member, and the supports that will suit the person and help them enjoy a good life which is sustainable over time.

While this opportunity sounds promising, we know that navigating any new system can be confusing and daunting, so CRU is really pleased to have this opportunity to travel through the South and North Burnett to talk with people about the new NDIS scheme, what it will mean for people with a disability and what people can do to get ready for when the NDIS starts in Queensland.

What do you need to know about the NDIS?

Join us for a cuppa and a conversation...

Below are the dates we expect to be in various towns. If you would like to know about the NDIS and what might be possible for people with a disability and their families join us for a cuppa and a conversation (we are open to one to one or small group conversations). We will be in:

- Murgon on 13 July
- Kingaroy on 14 July
- Mundubbera on 15 July
- Yarraman on 16 July
- Nanango on 17 July



Book in now for a time to talk: phone 38442211 or email cru@cru.org.au (See over for more details)



Murgon

Monday 13 July

Conversations with people with a disability and families

11:30 – 4:00

Conversations with health, disability and community workers

4:00 – 5:00

Graham House Community Centre

Kingaroy

Tuesday 14 July

Taking Charge of Change Workshop
(for people with a disability and families)

9:30 – 4:00

South Burnett Enterprise Centre, 6 Cornish St

Please book online for the workshop at
<https://tcc-kingaroy.eventbrite.com.au/>
or call CRU on 3844 5300

Kingaroy

Tuesday 14 July

Conversations with health, disability and community workers

4:00 – 5:00

South Burnett Enterprise Centre, 6 Cornish St

What is the Community Resource Unit Inc. (CRU)?

CRU is a small organisation that believes people with a disability deserve access to the same life as everybody else. We have a 25 year track record of working throughout Queensland to help people with a disability live a good life. This year we have been funded to provide information and help people start to get ready for the National Disability Insurance Scheme.

Even if you cannot make it to a session, we would like to hear from you so give us a call.

How to book a time?

Contact CRU on 3844 2211 or
cru@cru.org.au

Or book through your Local Area Coordinator at Disability Services:

- Murgon – Jessica Sloane 4168 3811
- Kingaroy – Lesley Dennien 0427 968 971
- Mundubbera – Terry Wernicke 41653 932
- Nanango and Yarraman – John Stewart 4171 0345



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Mundubbera

Wednesday 15 July

Conversations with people with a disability and families

10:30 – 3:30

Conversations with health, disability and community workers

3:30 – 4:30

Community Development Association Hall

Yarraman

Thursday 16 July

Conversations with people with a disability and families

11:30 – 3:30

Conversations with health, disability and community workers

3:30 – 4:30

Yarraman Memorial Hall

Nanango

Friday 17 July

Conversations with people with a disability and families

9:00 – 12:00

Nanango RSL