

Newsletter Feb 2024

CSR: Our responsibility towards you



NDIS STORY HEADLINE

A decade of NDIS: Transformation for people with disability

Ten years ago, 1 July, four trial sites across Australia opened their doors and the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) started to deliver its work. There are now almost 600,000 NDIS participants who have reported increased freedom and control over their lives to go out in their community, to work, make friends and spend their time as they choose. Minister for the NDIS, the Hon. Bill Shorten, says being the Minister responsible for delivering this Scheme is one of the proudest moments of his career. "The introduction of NDIS has seen a fundamental shift in the way we support people with disability," Minister Shorten said. "The NDIS is a life-changing piece of economic and social policy, and it is our duty to make sure it's here for generations to come. "Today's anniversary is only possible because of the grassroots movement of the disability community and Every Australian Counts who galvanised thousands and called for the NDIS. Only a Labor Government was able to deliver change.

SUPPORT FOUNDATION STORY HEADLINE

Corporate Social Responsibility: Our responsibility towards you

The term Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) refers to practices and policies undertaken by corporations that are intended to have a positive influence on the society and the world. Support Foundation believes that as an organization supporting most vulnerable people in the society under the guidelines of National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA), we can do more to support people with disabilities, their family members/carers and other members of community supporting the most vulnerable. Hence, our team has decided to share a portion of our profit to engage in Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in several ways:

- 1. Supporting the vulnerable
- 2. Supporting the supporters
- 3. Supporting the community

For more detail, visit our website or contact our office.



WE REPRESENT

Quick	Qua	ality	Quantity
OUR SERVICES			
Domestic Assistance	-	House Cleaning	
	Handyman	Personal Co	are / Nursing Care
Gardening		Social and Community Participo	ation
	Group Activity		Respite Care / STA
Medium Term Accommodation		Supported Independent Living	
Innovative Communi	ity Participation	Allia	ed Health Support
Support Coordination		Companionship	
Specialist Suppo	ort Coordination		Plan Management
Day Outings / Excursions	₹ <mark>}</mark>	Medical Appointments	



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You can contact NDIS on 1800 800 110 or email to <u>enquiries@ndis.gov.au</u> anytime to find more about your NDIS plan
- CONFLICT OF INTEREST / CHOICE AND CONTROL:
 - We at Support Foundation may provide more than one support to NDIS participants under the same plan. There might exist a conflict of interest. We promote choice and control among our clients with conflict of interest and continuation of support. You can visit our website or contact us on 02 8386 1433 or visit NDIS website to get more options about the support and service providers you can choose to deliver similar services you are receiving from us. Some of the providers who deliver similar services you are receiving from Support Foundation are <u>Care Mode, Mymobileplanmanager</u>, <u>Adaptive choice, Rulan Psychologist, Anala, Concentricrehab, LYFIT</u> and many more. You can choose any of these provider to deliver the support you are receiving from SF.
- If you want to cancel or change the services you are receiving from us, you can call us and cancel the services in writing at any time. Services can be cancelled with less than 24 hours' notice.
- You can find copy of your service agreement by contacting us on 02 8386 1433 or alternatively find all relevant information in our participant welcome pack by logging in: https://www.supportfoundation.com.au/participantwelcome/ (Password: sf1234)
- It is your obligation to keep a signed service agreement from all external service providers and if you need any assistance or information, do not hesitate to contact your LAC, support coordinator or us.
- As a plan manager for your NDIS plan, once you approve a provider, we might claim the invoices generated by them regularly and pay them without further notifying you. If you want to withdraw consent for any provider, please contact us immediately.
- If you have approved a provider in the past and are not satisfied with the invoices they are generating currently, you can contact us to hold the invoices and request to review those invoices.
- If you need assistance from a disability advocate, you can refer to our service agreement/website or ndis.gov.au or dss.gov.au

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR):

SF team believes that all persons in our society are entitled to their basic human needs, most importantly healthcare, healthy food, clean & safe accommodation, and proper clothing. Support Foundation is committed on doing everything within its capacity to support the most vulnerable people (our clients) in society to access those basic human rights through our CSR commitments. Contact us if you are suffering to access your basic human needs and we might fund them from our CSR funds.

• FEEDBACK AND COMPLAINTS:

- We believe our staff are the best people to assist you. If you have any feedback about our support or any other aspect of service delivery, we encourage you to contact us.
- You can provide complaint or feedback by sending an email to manager@supportfoundation.com.au or call us on 02 8386 1433 or provide your feedback or complaints by going to <u>https://www.supportfoundation.com.au/feedback-complain/</u>
- You can contact NDIS commission on 1800 035 544 or email <u>contactcentre@ndiscommission.gov.au</u> Alternatively, you can find advocate for you at <u>www.dss.gov.au</u> or email <u>disabilityadvocacy@dss.gov.au</u>.