

**I can see myself
making a difference.**

**The National
Disability Insurance
Scheme is coming
to the Western
Adelaide region.**



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South Australia



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**Your guide to local
jobs and skills.**

The National Disability Insurance Scheme is coming.



The **National Disability Insurance Scheme** (NDIS) is a new way of delivering services and support for people with permanent and significant disability in Australia. With the NDIS, people with disability can choose supports and services to meet their individual needs so that they can live the life they choose.

Services for people with disability will increasingly be provided by non-government organisations, and are likely to cover a wider range than they have in the past. The sorts of services which will be provided include support for daily care and transport, recreational and social activities, and support for education and work.

When will the NDIS begin?

The Western Adelaide region consists of the following local council areas:

- Charles Sturt
- Port Adelaide Enfield (West)
- West Torrens

The NDIS will begin to roll out for people aged 18 to 64 in Western Adelaide from 1 April 2018. The workforce is estimated to grow from 750 - 900 full time workers to 1,350 - 1,700.

What does this mean for South Australian job seekers?

The workforce in the South Australian disability sector is expanding to support new services which will be available under the NDIS. Up to 6,000 jobs will be created across the state over the next few years.

There will be a wide range of jobs in the sector - from disability support workers to IT workers, physiotherapists, drivers, supervisors, managers and more.

What services are available for job seekers?

You can find more information
and assistance to access
jobs and training through
these initiatives:



The Skills and Employment Infoline

The Skills and Employment Infoline can help you find the information you need on careers, jobs and training in the disability sector.

Call 1800 506 266

9:00am to 5:00pm, Monday to Friday.

Disability Workforce Hubs in Northern Adelaide and Southern Adelaide

To meet the demand for NDIS services, the South Australian Government is funding Disability Workforce Hubs in Northern and Southern Adelaide, which together service the Western Adelaide region.

The Disability Workforce Hub connects job seekers in the metropolitan area with local employers, training providers and employment agencies to help fill local job opportunities in the growing disability sector.

For more information call the Disability Workforce Hub in Northern Adelaide on 1800 619 933 or the Disability Workforce Hub in Southern Adelaide on 08 7231 5067 or visit www.mysupportmychoice.sa.gov.au/working-in-the-disability-sector/jobs-and-skills.

Career Services

If you're looking for work, thinking about getting back into work, want to work more hours, or want to change career to work in the disability sector, Career Services have experienced people who can help. They will provide one-on-one support to help you connect with learning, training and work opportunities.

To find out more call the Skills and Employment Infoline on 1800 506 266 or visit www.skills.sa.gov.au/careeradvice.

Carecareers

Carecareers is a not-for-profit initiative that aims to attract talented people from all backgrounds to work in the disability, community and aged care sector.

Carecareers has all the information and job opportunities you'll need for a rewarding career in the disability, community and aged care sectors.

Find out more at www.carecareers.com.au

Where can I find more information about the NDIS in Western Adelaide?

The South Australian Government is hosting a series of community expos to provide information on the roll out of the NDIS.

The Angle Park expo brings together representatives from the South Australian Government, the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA) and service providers. The expo give you a chance to ask questions about the NDIS and to talk to local registered training organisations and disability service providers about the job opportunities available.

Where can I get more information?

Online

You can find information about the NDIS in South Australia and events in Western Adelaide at the NDIS South Australia website: www.mysupportmychoice.sa.gov.au




For more information about the NDIS including eligibility, participant information and services visit the national NDIS website: www.ndis.gov.au

On the phone

You can call the NDIS on 1800 800 110 between 8:00am and 11:00pm, Monday to Friday.

If you are deaf, or have a hearing or speech impairment, contact us through the National Relay Service. For more information, visit: www.relayservice.gov.au

Western Adelaide community expo details

-  Tuesday, 6 February 2018
-  3:30pm to 8:30pm with presentations starting at 4:00pm and 7:00pm
-  The Parks Recreation and Leisure Centre, 46 Cowan Street, Angle Park

Everyone is welcome to attend this free expo.

To register your interest in attending the community expo or for more information, updates on the roll out and local success stories in Western Adelaide please visit www.mysupportmychoice.sa.gov.au