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Sent: Friday, 27 April 2012 6:14 PM
To: THOMAS, Kate; GRECL, Jessica
Cc: Corey Fisher; Craig McGowen
Subject: RE: FaHCSIA NDIS Discussion Guide [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]
Attachments: 4338042_FaHCSIA_NDIS_Handouts_v1_27-04-12.docx

Hi Kate,

Attached are the handouts to be used at the focus groups. Can you please review and provide feedback. We are hoping to have the handouts finalised as soon as possible on Monday morning.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers,

Erin

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To: Erin Cooper; GRECL, Jessica
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Hi Erin

You can use the list I provided yesterday. As I haven't heard anything to the contrary – so let's go with that.

Cheers

Kate

From: Erin Cooper [<mailto:Erin.Cooper@cbr.com.au>]
Sent: Friday, 27 April 2012 4:45 PM
To: THOMAS, Kate; GRECL, Jessica
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Hi Kate,

Thank you for the feedback on the guide. ^{s22}
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Have you received confirmation on the final list of names to be tested as I require this information for the handouts?

Cheers,

Erin

From: THOMAS, Kate [<mailto:Kate.Thomas@fahcsia.gov.au>]
Sent: Friday, 27 April 2012 3:33 PM
To: Erin Cooper; GRECL, Jessica

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Subject: RE: FaHCSIA NDIS Discussion Guide [SEC=UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi Erin

Finally had a chance to look at this and it looks great. One thing, I can check the handout you're going to use?

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Cheers

Kate

From: Erin Cooper [<mailto:Erin.Cooper@cbr.com.au>]

Sent: Friday, 27 April 2012 10:34 AM

To: GRECL, Jessica; THOMAS, Kate

Cc: Corey Fisher; Craig McGowen

Subject: FaHCSIA NDIS Discussion Guide

Hi Jess,

Attached is the discussion guide for the focus groups. Can you please review and provide feedback. We are hoping to have the discussion guide finalised later today.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers,

Erin

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Background to National Disability Insurance Scheme

On 10 August 2011 the Australian Government released the Productivity Commission's report into disability care and support. The government commissioned the report in recognition that the current disability system is not delivering the kind of care and support needed for people with disability, particularly those who have significant and ongoing care needs.

The Productivity Commission found that the current disability system is underfunded, unfair, fragmented and inefficient and recommended that a National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) be created. The Australian Government agreed with this assessment and pledged its commitment to a National Disability Insurance Scheme.

The focus for 2012 is to work with the states and territories on key design features of an NDIS ahead of a launch of the scheme in selected regions in mid-2013.

There are four principles that will guide the development of a National Disability Insurance Scheme. At its core will be:

- A lifetime approach - funding is long-term and sustainable. People with disability and their carers will have peace of mind that the individualised care and support they receive will change as their needs change.
- Choice and control - people choose how they get support and have control over when, where and how they receive it. For some, there may be the potential to manage their own funding.
- Social and economic participation - people with disability will be supported to live a meaningful life in their community to their full potential.
- Focus on early intervention – the system will have enough resources and will be smart enough to invest in remedial and preventative early intervention instead of just providing support when a family is in crisis.

DisabilityCare

DisabilityConnect

DisabilityCover
or
Dis-Cover

Enable Australia

Lifetime Care

Disability Insurance Australia

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