



Local Area Coordination

Local area coordination partners help the NDIS deliver services to improve the lives of people with disability aged 9-64. This includes NDIS participants and people with disability who are not NDIS participants.

How does it work?

How do local area coordinators help people with disability and NDIS participants?

- Local area coordinators can:
 - Share practical information on relevant supports and services.
 - Connect people with disability with community and other government supports outside of the NDIS, including connections to peer supports.
 - Help people with disability apply to the NDIS, and to gather the right information and evidence.
- One of the ways local area coordinators support NDIS participants and all people with disability is by developing community connections.

- To help make community connections, local area coordinators support people with disability to work out their goals, discover their support networks and discuss ways they can achieve their goals. This process will help them decide if they want to apply to the NDIS for funded support.
- If a person with disability decides to apply to the access the NDIS, local area coordinators can guide them through the application process.
- For NDIS participants, local area coordinators may help them use their NDIS plans.

Am I eligible?

Anyone who thinks they might be eligible for the NDIS can contact an Intereach local area coordinator on **1300 488 226** to discuss what information and supporting evidence is to be provided to the NDIS for assessment.

Is there a cost?

There is no cost to access local area coordination.

Where is it available?

Local area coordination is available across our Murrumbidgee, Mallee, Loddon and Goulburn regions.

Contact Us

P: 1300 488 226

W: www.intereach.com.au

E: *(please contact the region you live in)*

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Need assistance to talk to us?

If you are deaf, or have a hearing impairment or speech impairment, contact us through the National Relay Service:

TTY users

Phone 133 677 then ask for 1300 488 226

Voice Relay

Phone 1300 555 727 then ask for 1300 488 226

SMS relay users

SMS 0423 677 767

Need an interpreter?

Phone 131 450 then ask for 1300 488 226