



Understanding the NDIS: AFDO Disability Loop Workshop - Outer Eastern Melbourne

by Disability Loop/Australian Federation of Disability Organisations (AFDO)

Free Registration

Wednesday 8 August 2018- 1:00 pm – 4:00pm

OR

Wednesday 8 August 2018 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

(Both of the above workshops will be held at Sage Ringwood Hotel Sage Room 2, Level 5, Eastland, 211 Maroondah Highway Ringwood, VIC 3134)

OR

Saturday 11 August 2018 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

(This workshop will be held at Room 3 - Knox City Council, 511 Burwood Highway, Wantirna South, VIC 3152)

The workshop is called Understanding the NDIS. It is a **3 hour workshop**, with a short break in the middle. There are 3 workshops across three days at different times; however each workshop covers the same topics.

Included in the workshop is a detailed participant handbook you can take home with you, as well as 5 factsheets with even more information about the NDIS.

This workshop was written by a team of people with disability, some who are also NDIS participants. We believe that this allows the workshop to better meet the needs of people with a lived experience of disability. This workshop has been **designed to make the NDIS easier to understand**. In a small, interactive session, we will cover lots of different parts of the NDIS; from knowing who is eligible to get into the NDIS, working out what support you can get from the NDIS in your NDIS Plan, to actually using the funds in your NDIS Plan to live a better life in the community.

Do I need to pay to attend the workshops?

These workshops are free for people with disability and their families. People who don't meet the criteria are not allowed to attend. If you are unsure, please contact AFDO Disability Loop first.

Will AFDO Disability Loop provide accessibility supports?

For AFDO Disability Loop, accessibility is a priority. All workshops are held in accessible environments with accessible bathrooms in the same venue.

When registering for the workshops, there is an option to tell us your accessibility needs. For example, AFDO can provide live captioning, Auslan interpreting, material in electronic formats, and other accessibility supports when they are required.

If you have any specific requests not listed on the registration form, please contact us and we can assist you where possible.

Will food be provided at the event?

Yes. For those attending a session during the middle of the day, lunch or afternoon tea will be provided. For those attending the evening session, light snacks and/or sweets will be provided.

Where can I contact the organiser with any questions?

You can call AFDO Disability Loop on (03) 9662 3324, or email disabilityloop@afdo.org.au

Registration- <https://www.disabilityloop.org.au/events.html>