

Disability Health Network Focus 2023

Vision

An inclusive Western Australian health system that empowers people with disability to access the highest attainable standard of health and wellbeing throughout their life.

Purpose

Provide direction to the WA health system and its partners on policy development and service delivery to achieve improved health outcomes for people with disability.

Goals

- Recognise the right to effective services and care for people with disability
- Foster a broader understanding of the health needs of people with disability
- Improve the quality, accessibility, inclusiveness and coordination of services necessary to meet the health needs of people with disability in line with the social model of disability.

Focus for 2023

- > Support the Implementation of the updated Hospital Stay Guidelines
- > Promote the Disability Health Profile form
- > Celebrate the International Day of People with Disability
- > Ensure disability is considered within the 6 leading priorities for the Sustainable Health Review
- > Provide consultation advice to State and Commonwealth to support people with disability, their family, friends and carers.

