



# Community Connectors

Support for multicultural people with disabilities

Getting the right help can change people's lives.

## Connecting multicultural people with disabilities to the NDIS

Do you have a disability or care for someone who could benefit from the help the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) can provide?

The Community Connectors program is here to give you culturally tailored support within your community to connect you to the NDIS.

### What is the NDIS?

The NDIS is a free government program that provides services and support to people with disability.

### How can the NDIS help me?

Supports and services can include:

- help with your daily personal activities
- workplace help to allow you to successfully get or keep employment
- help with household tasks to allow you to maintain your home environment
- purchase of mobility aid and/or equipment.

### What is a Community Connector?

Community Connectors support people from culturally and linguistically diverse and non-English speaking backgrounds to access the NDIS.

They help by acting as a liaison person between you and the NDIS.

Your Community Connector can support you to:

- apply for the NDIS
- connect you with your local NDIS contacts
- provide support for you to understand and use NDIS services better.

### Get in contact with your local Community Connectors:

### Access to Interpreters

If you need help understanding the content of this page, please call the Telephone Interpreter Service (**131 450**) and ask them to contact your local service provider above.

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