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Historical Agreements

Intergovernmental Agreement

On 7 December 2012, COAG signed an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) for the NDIS Launch.

States and territories signed bilateral agreements with the Commonwealth detailing NDIS operational and funding arrangements for each trial site.

These agreements included the planned intake of participants and the balance of cash and in-kind contributions to the Scheme.

- [Intergovernmental Agreement for the National Disability Insurance Scheme Launch DOCX \(82 KB\)](#)

- [Intergovernmental Agreement for the National Disability Insurance Scheme Launch signed PDF\(230KB\)](#)

Heads of Agreement

The Commonwealth reached agreements to establish the full NDIS with all states and territories.

The Heads of Agreement for each state and territory outlined the transition to full scheme arrangements and timeframes (see links below).

New South Wales

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and NSW Governments on NDIS – 6 December 2012 \(PDF 182KB\)](#)

Victoria

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and Victoria on the NDIS – 4 May 2013 \(PDF 224KB\)](#)

Queensland

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and Queensland on NDIS – 8 May 2013 \(PDF 245KB\)](#)

South Australia

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and South Australia on NDIS –18 April 2013 \(PDF 244KB\)](#)

Tasmania

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and Tasmania on NDIS – 2 May 2013 \(PDF 209KB\)](#)

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- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and ACT on NDIS – 19 April 2013 \(PDF 329KB\)](#)

Northern Territory

- [Heads of Agreement between Commonwealth and Northern Territory on NDIS – 11 May 2013 \(PDF 228KB\)](#)

Western Australia

- [Heads of Agreement between the Commonwealth and Western Australia on the NDIS – 12 December 2017 \(PDF 239KB\)](#)

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