

NDIS Quarter 2, 2018-19 Report

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SA Statistics as at 31 December 2018

NDIS Growth

244,653

Australians are benefitting from the NDIS including

11,489

children 0 to 6 are receiving support through **Early Childhood Early Intervention (ECEI)**

73,000

Australians accessing support for the **first time**

The number of registered **service providers** is

19,075

giving participants **more choice and control** over their supports.

Managing Josh's plan

Seven year old Josh from Freeling was one of the first South Australians to join the NDIS in July 2013.

Prior to joining the NDIS, the Mason family was "spiralling down physically, emotionally and financially" trying to pay for Josh's therapies to help him with his cerebral palsy and autism.

Josh's parents now self-manage Josh's NDIS plan and are able to alter his supports in response to his needs at any particular time. When Josh is progressing well physically, they focus more on his autism through speech therapy and psychology, whilst at other times he requires more assistance with his mobility, so his parents re-direct his funds to physiotherapy.



NDIS in SA

11,475

People in SA accessing support for the **first time**.

The number of **children** in SA receiving support through the ECEI

200



24,826

total participants in SA including ECEI