

# The Independent Advisory Council is seeking Expressions of Interest from First Nations people with disability

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The Independent Advisory Council (IAC) is seeking Expressions of Interest from First Nations people with disability to join the new IAC First Nations Reference Group (IAC FNRG).

The IAC brings the views and voices of people with disability to the NDIA. They provide independent advice to the NDIA Board. More information about the IAC is available on the [IAC website](#) .

Ideal candidates are First Nations people with disability who are connected to their community.

As part of the Reference Group, you will provide advice to the NDIA, helping influence decisions that directly impact First Nations people with disability.

As a member of the IAC FNRG, you will:

- Meet at least 4 times a year (including online and face-to-face) to advise on First Nations disability business
- Provide advice about issues facing First Nations people in your community
- Listen to others and discuss sensitive matters
- Be paid for your time.

More information about the IAC FNRG is available in the information booklet

- [Easy Read - First Nations Reference Group Expression of Interest Information Booklet \(PDF 2MB\)](#)
- [First Nations Reference Group Expression of Interest Information Booklet \(DOCX 46 KB\)](#)
- [Easy Read - First Nations Reference Group Expression of Interest form \(PDF 1.2MB\)](#)
- [First Nations Reference Group Expression of Interest form \(DOCX 32 KB\)](#)

Email IAC [advisorycouncil@ndis.gov.au](mailto:advisorycouncil@ndis.gov.au) with your completed EOI form (see attached Easy Read document) before 5pm AEST Tuesday 29 October 2024.

Once your EOI has been reviewed, we will inform you by early December 2024 about the outcome of your submission.

If you have any questions, please contact Matthew Berne, First Nations Governance Branch on 0456 692 698 or email [Matthew.berne@ndis.gov.au](mailto:Matthew.berne@ndis.gov.au).

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