



CP Innovative Choices

NDIS Planning Tool

CP Innovative Choices is designed to give you choice and control of your own care and supports. You choose your support workers, the hours they work and the type of support that they provide. CPSN takes care of all the employer obligations and provides you with support to manage your own home program.

CP Innovative Choices is a culturally safe program that empowers you to engage support workers who suit your lifestyle and fit your values.

Aims and Outcomes

The aim of the program is to give you choice and control of the support that you need. By using this program you:

- Engage support workers that can support your needs
- Engage support workers that you are comfortable with, and suit your lifestyle and values
- Select the hours and locations you need
- Roster support workers based on the kind of support that you need

Getting CP Innovative Choices included in your NDIS package

The entire cost of CP Innovative Choices can be included in your NDIS package. Before heading into your planning meeting, consider your reasons for needing support. This can include (but is not limited to) personal care, home care, care or support in an educational setting or workplace, accessing the community, 1:1 support to access programs or activities.

During your planning meeting talk about your need for support, the type of support and the amount of support that you require. To ensure all of the costs are covered in your plan, you will also need to calculate how many hours you require. Your planner will also be able to assist you to do this. An outline of considerations are below.

If you are already on a NDIS plan and need to increase the hours in your plan or would like to access CP Innovative Choices, CPSN can help.

Costs

CP Innovative Choices rates are based on the NDIS price guide and will not be more than the NDIS rate. The program is charged for each hour of care. Rates change depending on when you are accessing care (weekends, overnight and public holidays incur higher charges to cover penalty rates for support workers) and the intensity of support that you require.

When calculating how much care you will need in your plan please factor in the following:

- When do you require support? Care can be accessed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- What intensity of support do you require (standard or high intensity).
- What support you may need during disruptions to your normal routine (school holidays, public holidays, travelling).

If you would like a copy of CP Innovative Choices' rates under the NDIS please contact CPSN on 1300 277 600.

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