

Minutes for the RIGG group



These are the minutes from the Roadmap Implementation Governance Group meeting.

We say **RIGG** for short.



Minutes are notes that say what we talked about in the meeting.



The meeting was on 16 March 2022.

It went from 1.30pm to 4pm.

What we talked about at the meeting



At the start of the meeting chair Simon Cotterell said hello to everyone.



He talked about keeping information private.



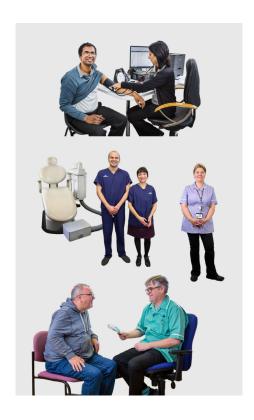
He asked if anyone had a conflict of interest.



A **conflict of interest** is when you cannot do what is best for the group.

You might work for another organisation and also want to do what is best for them.

Primary care



Primary care are the health workers that you go to in your community.

This could be your

- Local doctor
- Dentist
- Pharmacist
- Physiotherapist
- Community health nurse



We wanted to know how you feel about going to your primary care workers.



This is what you told us

You like it when your health worker

- Listens to you
- Treats you with respect



You do not like it when your health worker talks to your support person and not to you.



Some health workers did not

- Listen to what you said
- Understand your needs



You want more time to tell them about your health needs.



You want health workers to explain what will happen.



You want more help to get the right health care.

Primary Care Enhancement Program



We talked about the Primary Care Enhancement Program.

We say **PCEP** for short.



PCEP is being done by

- Department of Health
- Council for Intellectual Disability
- Primary Health Networks.



The goal of PCEP is to make better health care for people with intellectual disability.



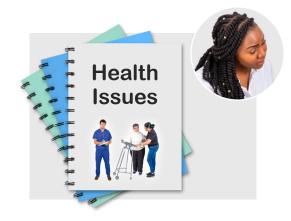
We made information for people with intellectual disability.



We also made some information and training for health workers.



A health worker and a person with intellectual disability will give the training together.



The health worker will talk about health issues for people with intellectual disability.



The person with intellectual disability will talk about how it is for them when they see health workers.



We asked for ideas about how to tell people about the PCEP training.



RIGG members had a lot of good ideas like

• Use social media

• Work together with other organisations

• Write about it in a newsletter

 People can tell their primary health care workers

Roadmap



We talked about activities being done in the Roadmap.



The Department of Health made the dashboard.

The **dashboard** is a way of showing what is already being done.



It also shows what is not being done yet.



Members said it is a good way to show these things.



Members gave us some ideas for the Roadmap.



We need all organisations to tell us what they are doing.



We also need to put in there what is happening in rural and regional areas.

Rural and regional areas are areas outside the big cities.



We need organisations to work with us on making the Roadmap happen.



The dashboard will be updated every year.



We will make an Easy Read version of the dashboard.



We also talked about how to decide what Roadmap actions to do next.



The Department will make a list of things to think about.

It will help us choose what to do next.



We need to think about good things already being done.

We can ask ourselves if those good things can be done by others too.



We need to think about things that are done by 2 or more organisations.

We should think about how they could work together.



We talked about **evaluation**.

Evaluation is checking if what we have done is working.



We need to find ways to check if people with intellectual disability have better health.

Australia's Disability Strategy 2021-2031



The Department of Social Services told us about the Australia Disability Strategy.



To read about it go to

www.disabilitygateway.gov.au/ads/easyread-strategy



They also told us about a project to train workers in government services.



Workers will learn how to give better services to people with intellectual disability.

State and territory updates



We heard from some of the states and territories.



Queensland has a health passport for people with disability if they go to hospital.

It helps them to get the health care they need.



South Australia Intellectual Disability Health Service has a new website.

Go to https://bit.ly/3DkmGDz



This website has Easy Read information to help people with intellectual disability get health care.

Wrap Up



Simon Cotterell thanked everyone for coming to the meeting.



The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 20 July 2022**

More info



If you have any questions you can email RIGG.Secretariat@health.gov.au

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