

Specialist Disability Accommodation Alliance

SDA Alliance Strategic Plan 2023-2025

Objective

1.Systemic Advocacy: Influence NDIS policy development

1. Re-establish &/or maintain NDIA.

DSS, NDIS Commission, MO &

2. Ongoing influence of H&L policy

3. Maintain regular dialogue with

quality & timeliness of SDA

eligibility/funding process &

4. Influence SDA Design Standard &

governance review, SDA Pricing &

Payments Framework & SDA Rules

NDIA to seek to address barriers to

NDIS Review relationships

evolution & development

- standard of SDA design and provision of services
 - Resolve current inconsistency between NDIS SDA Design Standard and National Construction Code

2. Sector Education: Raise the

- 2. Undertake action regarding inappropriate SDA market players
- Collaborate with key stakeholders to provide quality learning opportunities for members

3. SDA Innovation:

- Progress initiatives to close the gap between SDA supply and demand, including:
- Co-housing SDA eligible participants with those not SDA eligible
- Co-designing with NDIA a pathway for housing solutions outside of the SDA Pricing matrix
- 2. Progress initiatives to measure participant outcomes and impact

4. SDA Alliance Tick of Approval:

- Collaboratively define poor practice
 & SDA best practice
- Publish information on poor practice & guidance on SDA best practice
- In collaboration with SDAA members, develop an accreditation program for SDA providers who are SDA Alliance members ('tick of approval')

5. Member Services: Increased member services and outstanding member engagement

- Continue bi-monthly member meetings with regular review of format informed by members survey data
- Maintain member engagement strategy for communicating information to & between members (i.e. member meetings, workshops, e-Bulletins, Newsletters, Community of Practice, social media etc)
- 3. Steady membership growth

Strategies

5. Collaborate with relevant peaks in response to NDIS consultation papers6. Influence Supported

1. Improved understanding by

government leads to increased

timeliness or quality of participant

transparency, accountability,

H&L decisions & continued

support of SDA framework

2. Hard separation of care supports

6. Influence Supported Accommodation regulation

 Definitive government position on SDA Building Classes & Build Types

- Documentation of poor and/or best practice published
- 1. SDA Alliance members account for 50-70% of New Build SDA
- Outcomes/impact measurement tools adopted by majority of SDA Alliance members
- 1. SDA Alliance members accredited and using logo by 2025
- For SDAA membership to be recognised as best in class in the sector
- Annual member survey members rate communication
 and engagement at Good or
 Very Good
- 2. Average 1 x new member per 1-2 months, including attrition

Outcomes

- and nousing
- and housing

Review

- 1. The SDA Alliance advocates for broad issues and themes that impact on our members rather than advocating for specific members
- 2. New Build Specialist Disability Accommodation' is defined as per Part 6 'Requirements for SDA to be funded' of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (Specialist Disability Accommodation) Rules 2016