

Down Syndrome WA Peer Support Groups

Through the National DSO grant we have been able to set up more local support groups over the last few months to encourage families to connect, share information about the NDIS, and support each other. Down Syndrome WA is continuing to provide information and support to group leaders as well as keeping up to date with the evolving scheme. While WA has not yet signed up to full roll-out, we feel it is important to start thinking about what a plan might look like.

Groups include:

* Metro (South Perth) New parents (0-2yr old with Down syndrome)
* Metro (North Perth) Playgroup parents (0-5yr old with Down syndrome)
* Metro (Subiaco) Adults with Down syndrome (18+)
* National Facebook group (people with Down syndrome and their families (Australia-wide)
* NDIS Hills trial site (Midland) families of people with Down syndrome
* NDIS My Way Lower South West trial site (Busselton region) families of people with Down syndrome
* NDIS My Way Cockburn Kwinana trial site (Metro – Cockburn) families of people with Down syndrome
* Regional (Albany) families of people with Down syndrome
* Regional (Bunbury) families of people with Down syndrome
* Regional (Kalgoorlie) families of people with Down syndrome and other ID
* Metro (East Perth) families of people with Down syndrome and other ID
* Metro (Perth) Families of people with Down syndrome and other ID

If you would like information about when and where these groups meet then contact [admin@dsawa.asn.au](mailto:admin@dsawa.asn.au)