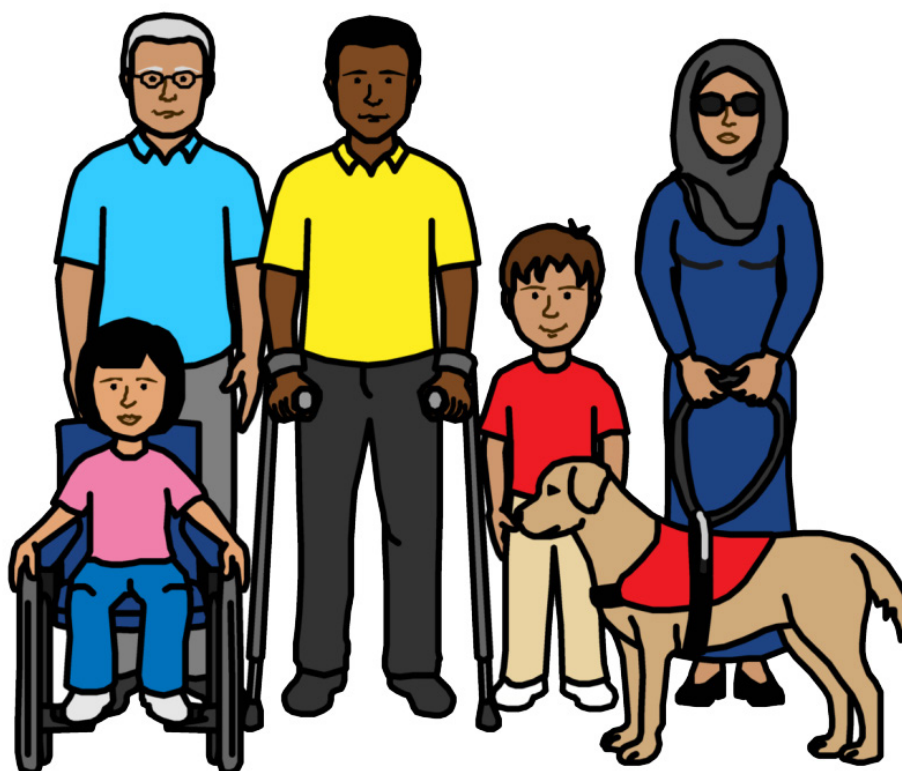




Easy English



## Disability Action Plan summary

The Uniting Church



Uniting Church in Australia  
SYNOD OF VICTORIA AND TASMANIA



equipping Leadership for Mission

## Hard words



This book has some hard words.

The first time we write a hard word

- the word is in **blue**
- we write what the hard word means.

## You can get help with this book



You can get someone to help you

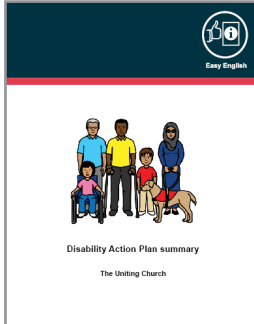
- read this book
- know what this book is about
- find more information.



We will write contact information at the end of this book.

## About this book

This book is written by the Uniting Church.



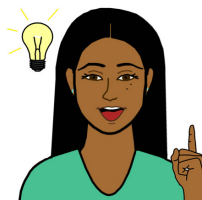
When you see the word **we** it means the Uniting Church.

This book has important information about our Disability Action Plan.

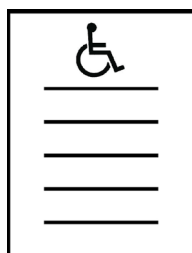


We want to make our Uniting Church communities more **inclusive** for people with disability.

Inclusive means people with disability are part of our church communities.



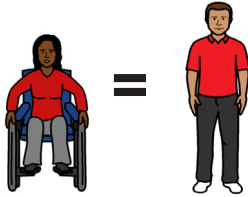
We asked people with disability to give us their ideas.



Our Disability Action Plan has 3 important ideas.

## Idea 1

### Our communities are accessible

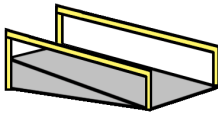


**Accessible** means people have equal rights to get what they want.

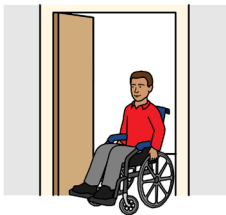


Accessible might mean you can

- park your car close to the building



- get into the building



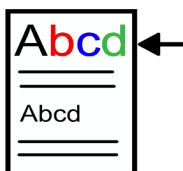
- move around inside the building.

Accessible might also mean you get information that is easy to read.

For example, information written in



- Easy English



- big print



- Braille.

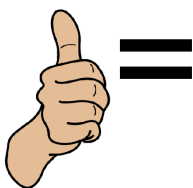
## Idea 2

### You feel welcome in your community



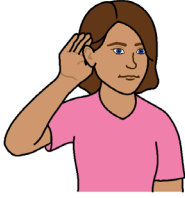
Your community will

- be friendly
- treat you as an equal
- treat you with respect
- help you to be a leader.

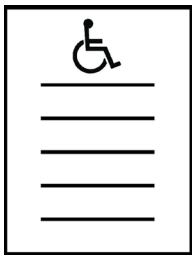


## Idea 3

### We will listen to your ideas



We want to hear your ideas about how to make things better for people with disability.



We will make a plan about ideas that

- are important
- can be done.



## More information



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## If you need help to speak or listen

The National Relay Service can help you make a phone call.



Call 1800 555 660



Website [bit.ly/nrs-helpdesk](http://bit.ly/nrs-helpdesk)

Give the relay officer the phone number you want to call.

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