# The NDIS – Getting Informed – Richlands

Community Resource Unit Inc. (CRU)

## Workshop Series Overview

* The **National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)** is a new way of supporting people with a disability in Australia.
* The scheme will start to roll out in the **Brisbane region** from 1st July 2018, with people being contacted from January 2018 to begin the access process.
* Join us for a workshop and a conversation that provide information about the NDIS and are designed to help people think about how they can best use the opportunities offered by the new scheme.
* You can register for either session, or both.
* The workshops are funded by the Queensland Government so there is no cost to register.
* Places are limited.

## Session Descriptions

### The NDIS – Getting Informed

* This workshop provides information about the why, when and how of the NDIS. You will learn how to access the scheme and what to do to feel prepared to develop a plan with the NDIS when the time comes. **What do I need to feel ready for the NDIS?**
* This session will be in the morning from 9:15 AM to 11:45 AM.

### The NDIS – Sharing Practical Strategies

* Join us in a conversation about the practical strategies that can help you feel more prepared, confident and ready to make good use of the opportunities offered by the NDIS. We will also explore ways of sharing information about the NDIS with others in your community. ***What are some of the things people and communities can do to prepare?***
* This session will be in the afternoon from 12:15 PM to 2:45 PM.

## Who Should Attend

These workshops are for **people with a disability, family members and close friends**. You can register for either the workshop or the conversation, or both.

## Event and Venue Information

### Event details

* Tuesday 24th October 2017.
* The first workshop “The NDIS – Getting Informed” runs from 9:15 AM to 11:45 AM.
* The second workshop “The NDIS – Sharing Practical Strategies” runs from 12:15 PM to 2:45 PM.
* Please arrive a little early so we can start on time.
* Refreshments will be provided, including a light lunch for people who register for both sessions.

### Venue details

* The Lion Richlands.
* 133 Pine Road, Richlands.
* The workshop is in the Function Room, which is on the ground floor.
* You can contact the venue directly on phone: 07 3271 3636.

## How to Register

* Tickets can be booked via our Eventbrite page: <https://cru-ndis-richlands.eventbrite.com.au>
* For each session you would like to attend, you need to select a ticket for that session.
* Ticket sales close on the 15th October 2017.
* If you experience any issues registering for this event, please call CRU on 07 3844 2211.

## Our Presenters

* One of our team of experienced presenters will deliver this workshop.
* Each member of our team has many years of experience working with people with a disability and their families.
* Some of our team also have family members who have a disability and will share from personal experience.
* Read more about them on our website: [www.cru.org.au](file:///%5C%5Ccrusrv01%5CWork%5CCRU%5CPrograms%5CParticipant%20Readiness%5CEvents%5CTaking%20Charge%20of%20Change%5CFlyers%5Cwww.cru.org.au)

## About Community Resource Unit Inc

* CRU has a 29 year track record of working across Queensland to help people with a disability take control of their lives and take their place in their community.

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