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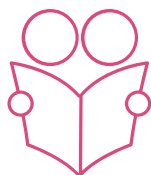
The Achieve Foundation wrote this proposal.



A **proposal** is a plan that tells you what we want to do.



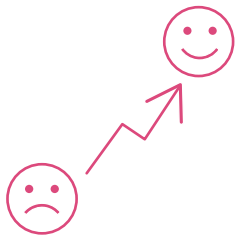
Where you read **we** or **us** it means The Achieve Foundation.



You can ask someone to help you read this proposal.



You can find other versions of this proposal at bit.ly/TAFpartnershipproposal



The Achieve Foundation is a new organisation that will help improve the lives of people with disability.



We raise money and give grants for projects.

We want to create change in three areas:



1. Build a caring and giving community for people with disability.



2. Improve attitudes towards people with disability.

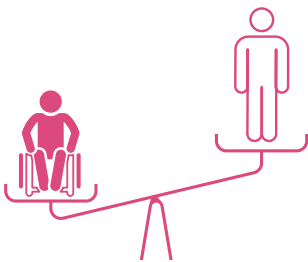


3. Provide the best housing for people with disability.

What is the problem we are trying to fix?

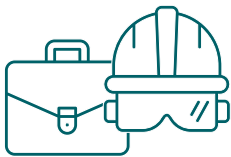


There are about 4.4 million Australians with disability.



Compared to people without disability, people with disability have lower opportunities in education, less money and poorer health.

According to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare:



- People with disability find it harder to get a job and more difficult to keep it



- People with disability have lower access to healthcare



- People with disability experience high or very high mental stress



- People with disability experience more violence than people without disability

The need for a new way.



People with disability experience discrimination in Australia.



Discrimination means being left out or treated unfairly because of your disability.

Being left out can happen because of:

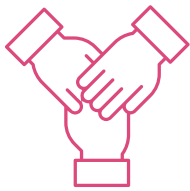


- Inaccessible spaces



- Poor attitudes about people with a disability

It is not because of the disability itself.



Changing this is a big job and will take many of us working together.



People with disability are doing great work in our community.

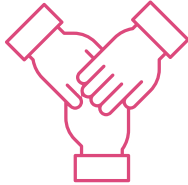


We know the best ideas happen when people from different backgrounds and experiences work together.



By including people with a disability everyone benefits from a diverse community.

Why The Achieve Foundation?



The Achieve Foundation is bringing together everyone who can make a difference in the lives of people with disability.



We will bring together funders, service providers and people with disability.

We will try to solve big challenges and get big results.

These challenges include:



- Attitudes towards people with disability



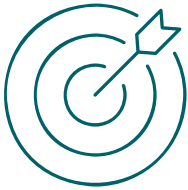
- Housing for people with disability

We will try to help everyone no matter how complex their disability is.



Our team has lots of skills and experience in many areas to help solve these problems.

Our goals and approach



Our goal is for people with disability to live the best lives they can.

We think this can be achieved through:



- More funding for disability



- Including people with disability in the community

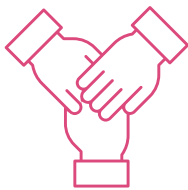


- Improving attitudes about people with disability

Engagement and participation of people with disability



Where you read engagement it means to **talk with and include**.



Where you read participation it means **being involved**.



The Achieve Foundation will make sure people with disability are engaged and participating at all levels in our organisation.

This includes as staff, volunteers and partners.



The Achieve foundation will listen to the experiences and needs of people with disability to improve our work.

Our invitation



We want to partner with people and raise money to:



- Support The Achieve Foundation.



- Build a community of people and organisations to support the lives of people with disability.

- Improve community attitudes towards people with disability.



- Provide the best housing for people with disability.



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