

# SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES Applications close: 20 July 2017

# National NDIS Mental Health Conference Towards a Good Life

Sydney Masonic Centre (SMC), 16-17 November 2017

Held over two days in Sydney in November 2017, the NDIS Mental Health Conference is an opportunity for the Mental Health sector to work together to make the most of this new scheme. With the conference theme 'towards a good life', there will be a focus on the transformational potential of the NDIS for people living with a psychosocial disability.

The conference is aimed at the broad range of NDIS mental health stakeholders, including community mental health workers, people with lived experience, public and private sector mental health workers and Government representatives.

We are offering a number of scholarships to ensure that people with lived experience are able to attend the conference. Scholarship recipients are entitled to a heavily reduced registration fee of \$150 (excluding GST) but must meet travel, accommodation, food and other costs themselves.

The eligibility criteria, in order of priority, are:

- 1. You are presenting (whether paper, workshop or symposium) at the conference and would have financial difficulty attending.
- 2. You can demonstrate active involvement in mental health groups/organisations or mental health advocacy.
- 3. You would be unable to attend the conference without access to a scholarship.

## **Scholarship Process**

- 1. Your application should be submitted via this form by 20 July 2017
- 2. Applicants will be advised of the outcome by 2 August 2017

### Proudly organised by



#### in association with



