

New South Wales NDIS Transition

Regions and Transition Dates

Table 1: Region and Commencement Date

Region	Commence Date		Commence Date
Central Coast	1 July 2016	Illawarra Shoalhaven	1 July 2017
Remaining population of Hunter New England		Mid North Coast	
Remaining population of Nepean-Blue Mountains		Murrumbidgee	
Northern Sydney		Northern NSW	
South Western Sydney		South Eastern Sydney	
South NSW		Sydney	
Western Sydney		Western NSW	
		Far West	

Table 2: Service Activity Types

Service Type	Definition
Community Access And Community Support	<p>Community Access and Community Support covers a large range of supports that people might access, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therapy supports, including occupational therapy, physiotherapy and speech therapy • Intervention services, including early childhood intervention and behaviour intervention • Day programs may support learning and life skills, education, employment leisure or social interaction.
Respite and Community Care	<p>Respite and Community Care supports may provide short-term breaks and practical help for people with disability, their families and carers. This may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centre-based, home or peer based respite services • Domestic assistance with personal care, meal services, home maintenance or home modification • Nursing care services
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Accommodation Support	<p>Accommodation Support provides specialist accommodation to people with disability or support to help them to remain in their existing accommodation. Examples include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group homes and large residential centres, which provide 24 hour care • In home living support and attendant care, which provides people with help for daily living activities.
New and Other Commonwealth Participants	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) People not previously accessing any New South Wales specialist disability supports; (2) People currently accessing Commonwealth specialist disability or Aged Care supports; and (3) New incidence of disability.

Number of Participants

NDIS Participants under the age of 65

Table 3: Annual Intake of Participants by Region

Region	Trial	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	Total
Central Coast	-	4,488	1,500	891	6,879
Far West	-	-	2,480	988	3,468
Hunter New England (Other)	-	6,797	1,989	1,189	9,975
Hunter New England (Trial)	10,111	101	102	103	10,417
Illawarra Shoalhaven	-	-	6,900	2,709	9,609
Mid North Coast	-	-	4,674	1,829	6,503
Murrumbidgee	-	-	5,101	1,998	7,099
Nepean Blue Mountains	2,000	3,362	960	583	6,905
North Sydney	-	6,520	2,167	1,287	9,974
Northern NSW	-	-	6,209	2,451	8,660
South Eastern Sydney	-	-	8,034	3,189	11,223
South Western Sydney	-	9,990	3,382	2,007	15,379
Southern NSW	-	3,192	1,059	629	4,880
Sydney	-	-	5,923	2,118	8,041
Western NSW	-	-	6,838	2,708	9,546
Western Sydney	-	8,773	2,900	1,723	13,396
Total	12,111	43,222	60,220	26,404	141,957

Table 4: Cumulative Intake of Participants by Region

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Western NSW	-	-	6,838	9,546
Western Sydney	-	8,773	11,673	13,396
Total	12,111	55,333	115,553	141,957

Table 5: Annual Intake of Participants by Client Cohort (end period)

Client Cohort	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	Total
Large Residential Centres	448	40	-	488
Group Home	2,591	1,949	-	4,540
Community High	2,127	1,744	-	3,871
Community Access	3,826	3,657	-	7,483
Respite	1,677	1,880	-	3,557
Community Support	12,837	9,664	-	22,501
Community Care	13,149	16,636	-	29,785
Sub-total Existing NSW Clients	36,655	35,570	-	72,225
New and other Commonwealth Participants	6,567	24,650	26,404	57,621
Total Intake	43,222	60,220	26,404	141,957¹
Total Cumulative Intake¹	55,333	115,553	141,957	

¹Includes 12,111 participants carried forward from trials.