



Organisations and Support Groups

Members Benefits

Developmental Disability WA

By joining Developmental Disability WA you are joining the peak organisation in WA for people with intellectual and other developmental disability and their families, and the organisations and people who support them.

You are joining an organisation well known for our long and successful history of working and campaigning for the rights and needs of people with developmental disability and their families, and their supporting organisations and carers.

We are an organisation which is recognised today as continuing to play a powerful role in the development of policy, practice and opportunity for people with developmental disability and their families and in our community, and the organisations and people who support them.

Your organisation is offered the following benefits from membership to DDWA:

- Development opportunities for your staff – professional skills development programs across a range of topics/areas by experienced presenters and facilitators. We can also customise training and development to suit your organisation/group.
- Discounted rates for attendance at a large range of events run each year by DDWA, and DDWA in partnership with others.
- Publicising your organisation on our website alongside other member organisations with links to your website, contacts and information about your organisation.
- Networking opportunities to share experience, skills and expertise.
- Newsletters and information updates sent regularly.
- Access to the members section of the DDWA website, which includes information and articles additional to that available generally on the website.
- Access to a fee for service consultancy offered exclusively to our members, focussing on relationships, issues management, engagement, participation, independent data collection and evaluation, to support your work with the people accessing your services.
- Consultancy services also include sharing our experience as regular and experienced contributors to print, electronic and social media, and with years of campaign experience, to assist with specific media and other campaigns on issues of interest to your group or organisation. Assistance with submissions to government, departments, agencies and other decision makers can also be provided.
- We have a proven track record in designing and delivering resources|information|skills|education (R.I.S.E.) which meet the needs of individuals and families in a range of areas. We can work with your organisation or group to co-design with the people who access your services, what they want in these areas.
- DDWA's significant experience in events management can assist you with the promotion, organisation and administration of events your organisation may hold for the people who access your services.
- Members are given first option to sponsor our events and bodies of work