PLAN MANAGEMENT





What is a **PLAN MANAGER?**

Your Auscare Support Plan Manager will help you organise the financial side of your NDIS plan, much like your own NDIS bookkeeper.

We can support you through the whole Plan Management process, from building your first NDIS budget to keeping track of your spending and paying providers.

The great thing About Auscare Support is that we:



Choose Auscare Support to help you save time, reduce stress and expand your choice and control.

Here are a few key things to think through before you speak with an Auscare Support Plan Manager.

Do I have the right funding for **PLAN MANAGEMENT?**

Take a few minutes to look through the hard copy of your plan. You might see one of a few funding options. From the below list, tick the funding categories approved in your budget.

Capacity Building Choice and Control.

Capacity Building Improved Life Choices. Something else.

If you ticked yes to either of the below two options, Plan Management is included in your NDIS plan.



If you do not have the above listed in your plan, Plan Management is not included in your plan.

If you are in the middle of a plan and Plan Management is not currently included in your NDIS plan, you will need to contact the NDIS and ask them to add it. Please call the NDIS 1800 800 110.

If you're currently Agency Managed or Self Managed, you can also contact the NDIS and ask them to add Plan Management or change your Plan Management type.



Get started with Auscare SUPPORT TODAY

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How can I switch to **AUSCARE SUPPORT?**



Find the Service Agreement you have with your current Plan Manager.

Double check the

notice period.

Inform them in writing that you would like to cease your service agreement and release your remaining budget.



Get in contact with Auscare Support.

Auscare Support has always been extremely efficient and available to answer any questions that I may have. The providers I use are also very happy with their accounts being paid in a timely manner. I would have no hesitation in recommending Auscare Support to anyone.

Important facts about PLAN MANAGEMENT

- If you're Plan Managed, you don't need to sacrifice any money from your other supports. Plan Management is funded over and above funding for your regular providers.
- When you're Agency Managed, you can't use non-registered NDIS providers. Eg. You might not be able to use your regular physio or speech therapist if they are not registered with the NDIS and you are Agency Managed.
- If you are Plan Managed, you can continue to use your non-registered NDIS providers.
- When you are Self Managed, your responsibilities could include purchasing supports; signing Service Agreements; managing your budget; paying for supports; claiming supports on the NDIS portal; keeping accurate records and participating in regular audits.
- Plan Management takes care of all of this for you.
- You can use a combination of management types.
- You can add Plan Management to Agency and Self-Management, in any combination.