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## Who we are

AFDO is the national peak body representing organisations of people with disability.

## Our purpose

AFDO represents people with disability in Australia and helps people with disability participate in all parts of social, economic, political and cultural life.

## To do this we

- lobby governments and other institutions on disability issues
- advise government and other organisations about their disability policies
- inform and educate the general community about disability
- support disability organisations and people with disability and,
- research disability issues

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## What we do

A peak body is an organisation that represents the interests of many other organisations to governments, other organisations and the general public.

AFDO is a peak body whose members are national and state-based organisations that are run and operated by people with a disability.

Our work includes lobbying and advising the Commonwealth Government on issues that affect the everyday lives of people with a disability.

We endeavour to change the way people with disability are perceived and treated within our society. We do this by running projects and campaigns, as

directed by our board, to educate the public about the issues faced by people with a disability on a day to day basis.

AFDO does not take on advocacy issues for individuals with a disability or their families or carers.

If you are a national or state-based organisation of people with a disability and would like information on becoming a member you can visit our website for details on the eligibility rules and application process.

For other enquiries please feel free to contact us. The details are on the back of this brochure.

## Vision

To achieve a community where people with disability can participate in all aspects of social, economic, political and cultural life.

## Mission

To champion the rights of people with disability in Australia, and help them participate fully in Australian life.