

People with disability are more likely to experience violence, abuse, neglect and exploitation than people without disability.

The Disability Royal Commission

is an official way of looking into this.

By listening to people with first hand experience, the Royal Commission will work out what has gone wrong and what needs to be fixed.



Speak Out can help you tell your story to the Royal Commission and help with other support and advice if needed.

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Has this ever happened to you?

- ▶ someone has **hurt you physically**?

- ▶ **abused you** by treating you badly?

- ▶ **neglected you** by not helping you the way they are supposed to help you?

- ▶ **exploited you** by taking advantage of you?

If so, then let us know.

The Royal Commission wants to hear your story.



Speak Out can help you report these things to the Commission by:

- helping you tell your story
- protecting your rights
- help to say what you want to say
- helping you think about what is in your best interests.

We can also help you find other support and advice

- legal advice
- help with communication and interpreters
- emotional support, to help you with how you feel.

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