



# Working with people with an intellectual disability – a guide for researchers



This is information about working with people with an intellectual disability.



It is for people who do research.

This includes:

- People who work at universities
- Students
- Consultants



It has information about how to make your research more accessible.

## Why is accessible research important?



We think research about people with an intellectual disability should include people with an intellectual disability.



Accessible information is a good way to make research more inclusive.



Accessible information is important because:

- It makes it easier to understand what your research is about
- It helps people to understand how they can be involved in your research.



Accessible information is important because:

- It helps people to decide if they want to be involved in your research.



- It makes it easier to share your research at the end of your project.

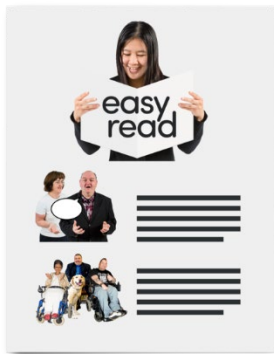
## Working with Inclusion Australia



Lots of people who do research contact Inclusion Australia because they want to talk to people with an intellectual disability.



We want to support research that is good for people with an intellectual disability.



We can help more research when information about your project is accessible and clear.

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We have written some questions to help you think about your project in a more accessible way.



Please answer the questions in Plain English. This means everyday language no jargon.



For more information on Easy Read, including services from our members please visit our website:

[www.inclusionaustralia.org.au/accessibility/](http://www.inclusionaustralia.org.au/accessibility/)