IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE TEMPORARY TRANSFORMATION PAYMENT

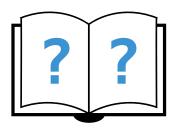


How to use this booklet

This document was written by Life Without

Barriers in Easy English.

We use pictures to explain some ideas.



This document explains what the
 Temporary Transformation Payment is,
 and what it means to you.



Every year, the National Disability
 Insurance Agency (NDIA) looks at how
 much money your disability supports cost
 you in the National Disability Insurance
 Scheme (NDIS).



 Sometimes they change these costs to make sure you get the support you need so you can achieve your goals.



 On 1 July 2019, the NDIA added a new cost called the Temporary Transformation Payment, also known as TTP.





The TTP helps service providers, like Life
 Without Barriers, continue to give you high
 quality support.



 This means Life Without Barriers changed our prices to include TTP from 1 July 2019.



 But you do not have to pay for the TTP because the NDIS does.



 This means you can still afford the same supports as before.



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 The way the NDIS pays for the TTP for you works in 2 different ways:



 If you received your NDIS Participant Plan before 1 July 2019, the NDIA has already increased the money you receive to cover the TTP.



If you had your plan before 1 July 2019 you don't need to do anything.





 If you received your NDIS Participant Plan after 1 July 2019, you can ask for more money from the NDIA to cover the TTP.

Life Without Barriers will work with you and your support network to do this.





 It is nearly 9 months since the TTP was introduced, so if you are running low on money to pay for supports, you may need to apply for extra funding soon.



 Life Without Barriers will help you to work out if you need more funding and how to apply for it.

You or your family can speak to your local team to do this.



 If you don't want to pay the TTP, you have the right to choose another service provider.

Life Without Barriers will support you to do this if you want to.







 If you have any questions about the TTP and what it means to you, talk to your support network.



You and your supporters can also contact
 Life Without Barriers for more information.

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