

State government department, the Department of Health & Human Services, Disability Accommodation Services (DHHS), Victoria, continues block funding their group home support services for their residents who have NDIS plans is, “business as usual”.

Our direct findings show little or no service differences for these residents from before NDIS. This is despite the intentions of both the NDIS/A and the Productivity Commission that there shall be. And, the DHHS is refusing to provide the said residents with NDIS defined 'Service Agreements'.

All this is in total contrast with that expected of non-government group home service providers, who have to provide group home support services within NDIS funding, within NDIS/A service intentions and provide the said residents with both a 'Service Agreement' and a 'Residential Statement' .