

Leisure Networks, Understanding the difference between NDIS Plan Manager & Support Coordinator Roles

An NDIS Plan Manager or Support Coordinator can assist NDIS participants in different ways. Understanding how to make the most of each service will help to maximise your NDIS plan.



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For three decades, Leisure Networks has pursued a strong vision of capable, healthy people and inclusive communities. Our [NDIS support coordinators](#) are here to help you make the most of your [NDIS plan](#) and support you to achieve your goals, assisting with setting up service agreements, monitoring your funding and connecting you with different supports in your community.

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NDIS Financial Plan Management explained

To understand what an NDIS Plan Manager does you need to understand why you need Financial Plan Management!

NDIS Financial Plan Management is the management of the funds allocated through your NDIS plan. You can manage your NDIS funds independently or engage a Plan Manager for support and assistance.

When working with an NDIS Financial Plan Manager such as Leisure Networks, you have full control and flexibility over how your funds are used.

"The NDIS Plan Managers at Leisure Networks work tirelessly to maximise your NDIS benefits while ensuring that you have the freedom to choose providers and allocate the funds as you wish," says Andrew Danka, FPM Manager, Leisure Networks.

NDIS Support Coordination explained

While NDIS Financial Plan Management is focused on finances, Support Coordinators help to identify what services and supports are available to achieve your goals while assisting you and your loved ones in navigating the NDIS system.

What are the differences between NDIS Plan Managers and Support Coordinators?

Both NDIS Plan Managers and Support Coordinators offer significant benefits if you are on an NDIS plan. While both roles aid NDIS recipients, they differ in their focus areas and operational methods.

Financial Plan Managers track, pay, and reimburse you for your NDIS related expenses. They may:

- Pay your providers
- Submit claims to the NDIS portal
- Reimburse & track your expenditures
- Help you engage with registered and non-registered NDIS providers

Working with a Support Coordinator may look like:

- Goal setting
- Helping you find community activities and therapy supports to achieve your goals
- Developing meaningful and fulfilling relationships
- Exploring different housing options

Simply put, NDIS Financial Plan Managers help you with the administration of your NDIS funds, whereas Support Coordinators help you to navigate and implement your NDIS plan effectively.

"NDIS recipients are eligible for a range of services and activities that can greatly improve their quality of life. Our Support Coordinators partner with our customers to set goals and explore different supports, all while building a wonderful relationship," says Kiara Borg, Support Coordination Team Leader of Leisure Networks.

About Leisure Networks:

For over three decades, Leisure Networks has been at the forefront of supporting individuals with disabilities. Discover more about our impact and approach on our [NDIS Plan Management](#) information page.

If you are interested in NDIS Financial Plan Management with Leisure Networks, simply fill out our [straightforward registration form](#), and one of our friendly team will call you.

If you are interested in [NDIS Support Coordination](#) for you or your loved one call Leisure Networks on 1300 561 802 to speak to one of our intake staff.



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