



JOINT COMMITTEES

**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL DISABILITY INSURANCE SCHEME**

**Provision of services under the NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention Approach**

**PUBLIC HEARING  
Tuesday 19 September 2017**

**Stamford Plaza  
111 Little Collins St, Melbourne , Australia**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Witness</b>
8.30 am	<p><b>Scope Australia</b> (<i>Submission 17</i>) Dr Jennifer Fitzgerald, CEO Mr Robert Moore, Government Relations Manager</p> <p><b>Vision Australia</b> (<i>Submission 22</i>) Mr Scott Jacobs, NDIS Lead</p> <p><b>The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners</b> (<i>Submission 57</i>) Dr James Best - appearing via teleconference</p>
9.30 am	<p><b>Occupational Therapy Australia</b> (<i>Submission 62</i>) Ms Lisa Vale, Occupational Therapist, Industry Adviser Ms Anne Sunners, Occupational Therapist, Industry Adviser</p> <p><b>Speech Pathology Australia</b> (<i>Submission 33</i>) Ms Gail Mulcair, CEO Ms Catherine Olsson, National Disability Advisor</p> <p><b>Royal Children's Hospital</b> (<i>Submission 20</i>) Bernadette O'Connor, Director of Allied Health Rosemary Aisbett, Chief Nursing Officer and Executive Director Nursing and Allied Health</p>
<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Break</b>
10.45 am	<p><b>Children and Young People with Disability Australia</b> (<i>Submission 74</i>) Ms Stephanie Gotlib, CEO Ms Fleur Beaupert, Policy Officer</p> <p><b>Kalparrin</b> (<i>Submission 73</i>) Mark Baigent, CEO Teigan Leonard, Team Manager / Psychologist Katie Cromie, Team Manager / Occupational Therapist/ Registered Teacher</p> <p><b>Noah's Ark Inc</b> (<i>Submission 59</i>) Dr Kerry Bull, Senior Manager, Services</p>

11.30 am	<p><b>Amaze</b> (<i>Submission 23</i>) Fiona Sharkie, CEO Braedan Hogan, Manager, Public Affairs and NDIS Transition</p> <p><b>Victorian Autism Specific Early Learning and Care Centre</b> (<i>Submission 43</i>) Katherine Pye, Senior Coordinator Kristy Capes, ESDM Trainer Carolyn Jones, Psychologist</p> <p><b>Early Childhood Intervention Australia Victoria/Tasmania</b> (<i>Submission 7</i>) Mrs Heidi De Paoli, CEO Ms Sarah Riches, Manager</p>
12.15 pm	<p><b>Department of Education and Training Victorian Government</b> (<i>Submission 71</i>) Katy Haire, Deputy Secretary, Early Childhood &amp; School Education Group Kim Little, Assistant Deputy Secretary, Early Childhood Portfolio Simone Gardner, Senior Business Analyst, NDIS Reform Branch</p>
1.00 pm	<p><b>Adjournment</b></p>