

ABBREVIATIONS

2014 progress report	<i>Progress Report to the Council of Australian Government 2014</i>
AACC	Mornington Peninsula Shire Council's All Abilities Consultative Committee
ABI	Acquired brain injury
ACAA	Association of Consultants in Access Australia
ACCAN	Australian Communications Consumer Action Network
ACTCOSS	ACT Council of Social Service
ADACAS	ACT Disability Aged Carer and Advocacy Service
AFDO	Australian Federation of Disability Organisations
AHRC	Australian Human Rights Commission
ALGA	Australia Local Government Association
AMA	Australian Medical Association
ANUHD	Australian Network for Universal Housing Design
ARATA	Australian Rehabilitation and Assistive Technology Alliance
AT	Assistive technology
Auslan	Australian sign language
BCA	Blind Citizens Australia
BSL	Brotherhood of St Laurence
CALD	Culturally and Linguistically Diverse
Civil society report	<i>Disability Rights Now, Civil Society Report to the United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities</i>
COAG	Council of Australian Governments
Committee	Senate Community Affairs References Committee
DFA	Deafness Forum of Australia

Disability Convention	<i>United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities</i>
Disability Convention report	<i>Initial reports submitted by States parties under article 35 of the Convention to the United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities – CPRD/C/AUS/1</i>
Disability Discrimination Act	<i>Disability Discrimination Act 1992</i>
Disability Strategy	<i>National Disability Strategy 2010-2020</i>
DPOA	Disabled Peoples Organisations Australia
FECCA	Federation of Ethnic Community Councils of Australia
FPDN	First Peoples Disability Network
ICT	Information and Communications Technology
ILC	Information, Linkages and Capacity
JFA	JFA Purple Orange
MDAAN	Multicultural Disability Advocacy Association of NSW
Monash University	Monash University - Departments of Occupational Therapy and Architecture
NBN	National Broadband Network
NDIA	National Disability Insurance Agency
NDIS	National Disability Insurance Scheme
NDS	National Disability Services
NESA	National Employment Services Association
NSW MHC	Mental Health Commission of NSW
NTADC	Northern Territory Anti-Discrimination Commission
ODS	Office of Disability Strategy
PDCN	Physical Disability Council of NSW
PIAC	Public Interest Advocacy Centre
PWD WA	People with Disabilities WA
QAI	Queensland Advocacy Incorporated

QMHC	Queensland Mental Health Commission
RIA	Rights and Inclusion Australia
Shut Out report	<i>Shut Out: The Experience of People with Disabilities and their Families in Australia</i>
UN Concluding observations	<i>Concluding observations on the initial report of Australia, adopted by the Committee at its tenth session (2-13 September 2013)</i>
UN Disability Committee	United Nations Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
VICSERV	Psychiatric Disability Services Victoria

