



Government of Western Australia  
Department of Health

## **Chief Health Professions Office**

Disability Care and Support Inquiry  
Productivity Commission  
GPO Box 1428  
Canberra City ACT 2601

To whom it may concern,

### **Re: Productivity Commission draft report into Disability Care and Support**

The Chief Health Professions Office (CHPO) represents the 23 professions of Allied Health and Health Science (AHHS) within WA Health. CHPO is committed to deliver quality advice and policies, valuing respect, integrity and dynamism through high levels of integrity, professionalism and timeliness.

We are particularly interested in regards to the support that the National Disability Insurance Scheme may provide (page 8 of Key Features). In particular, the Therapies support should include:

- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Clinical Psychology
- Dietetics
- Orthotics and prosthetics
- Podiatry
- Social Work
- Speech Pathology

Thankyou for the opportunity to comment on this important issue. We look forward to hearing the progress of the report.

Yours sincerely

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