

# Video: What are you doing now with NDIS support that you didn't do before?

## Debbie:

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I tell you what, I wouldn't walk three times a week with, you know, I'm walking

an hour and a half three times a week, and I am so much better mentally, 00:16

physically, because of that it enables me to do the things I really want to do, 00.22

the things that give me give me a value in my existence.

## Michael:

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It could be things as simple as hanging out the washing,

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doing the washing up, you could have someone

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come in and coach wellness, in other words teach you how to identify your 0.40

early warning signs, your triggers, and help you identify some strategies that 00.46

can help you stay well.

### Erika:

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For the first two years all I wanted was somebody to take

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me for a weekly grocery shop and I couldn't organize that, it was heartbreaking. 00:58

And now I've got people to help me do that,

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I've been able to employ people so I can go away to a theatre festival and have 01:10

somebody that will help me do all the bookings and be there and negotiate 01:14

crowds and find out where I have to go and it's been amazing.

## Paz:

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This lady, her name is Anna and she comes from Compeer

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and NDIA helps me to meet her once a week

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for an hour and NDIA is really good at that, they help me have a social life.

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Like, she wants to do is have a chat for an hour and go somewhere if we want to 01:53

go somewhere, we can go shopping, we can go to restaurant, have a cup of tea,

cup of coffee.

## David:

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I was living in Blacksmiths and it was a real hole,

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there was a pub down below and even Marty'd tell you this, I'd get on the booze

and then I was gambling all my money away, and I was getting all cranky and uptight.

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They got me out of there and moved me into Windale and I like it, it's good.

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I can play my music and when I get a new turntable in a couple of weeks then 02:33

I'll be able to play all my records.

# Stephen:

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I'm going to get taken to practice with my

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band when it's in Newcastle and just getting

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out and about and stuff like that you know.

## Karen:

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If you are looking to grow in

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your capacity to connect with the community build, your capacity towards 03:00

living independently, building your capacity in an area of interest that you like, 03:08

that might lead to study or work.

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These are some really important areas that are associated with the NDIS 03:17

where it is looking to support people.