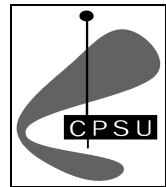




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**TO ALL PSA MEMBERS IN  
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## **BUDGET IMPACT 2009/2010 DISABILITY SA**

The Treasurer, the Hon Kevin Foley MP, delivered The South Australian State Budget for 2009-10 today.

Further to the general Brief issued by the PSA, this report deals with Agency specific matters.

This Brief deals with the implications for members working in Disability SA and the community, pending a more detailed analysis.

Disability initiatives for Disability Services for 2009-10 will include:

- Budget Papers indicate that there will be an increase in funds of \$23.3 million to support disability services.
- Further implementation of the Person Centred Active Support model in 20 accommodation services.
- Assistance for people with disabilities in institutional care to return to the community.
- A suite of accommodation models to be developed that respond to individual needs.
- Intake and Service Coordination services to be streamlined to ensure timely and appropriate responses to people with a disability requiring assistance.
- Respite Services access and delivery to be improved.
- Implementation of recommendations of the Management Assessment Panel/Exceptional Needs Unit review to improve the quality of services to people with high and complex needs.

The PSA will urgently welcome feedback from members concerning the impact of Budget announcements, particularly with examples of how changes will affect the community as well as how they affect members.

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