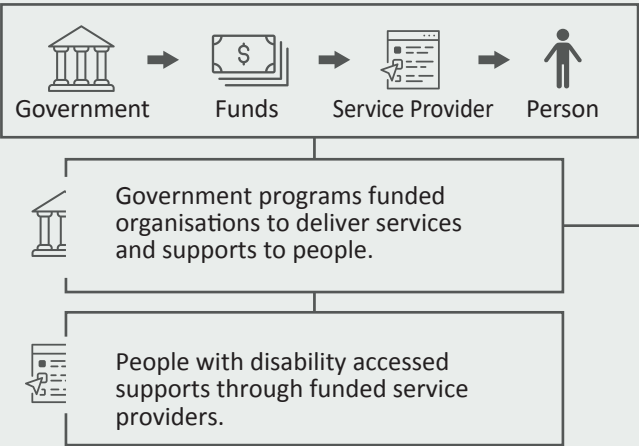


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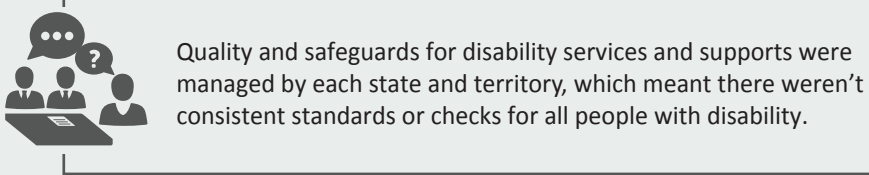
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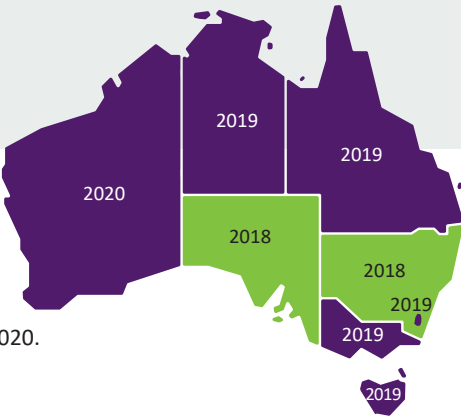


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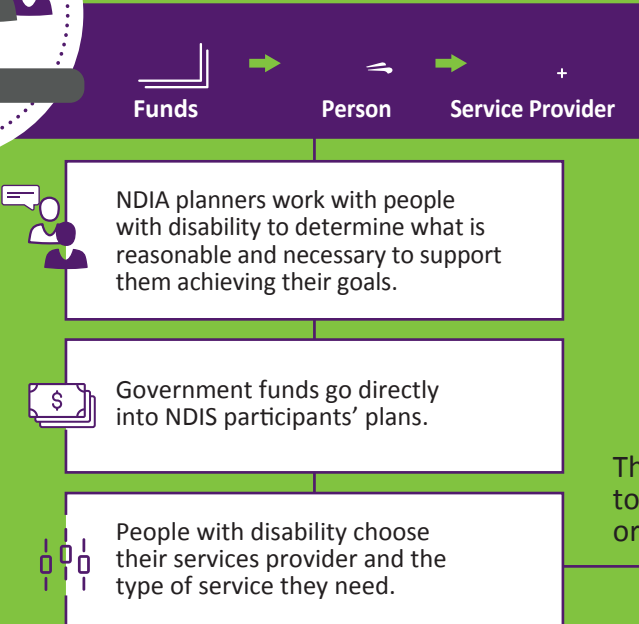


NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission

began on 1 July 2018 and will be progressively rolled out by 2020.



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This opens up the market to new businesses and organisations.



	Before 1 July 2018		As at 1 July 2018*
	NSW	SA	
Provider registration	NDIA + meet NSW Disability Service Standards.	NDIA + requirement to be on Provider Panel.	NDIS Commission
Complaints	NSW Ombudsman	Health and Community Services Complaints Commissioner.	NDIS Commission
Reportable incidents	Some services reported to NSW Ombudsman.	Report critical incidents to DHS	NDIS Commission.
Practice Standards	NSW Disability Standards and Funding Agreements.	Provider Panel terms + meet National Standards.	National Practice Standards in place.
Workers screening	Requirements for checks in Funding Agreements.	Requirements for occasional screening assessment.	Transition to nationally consistent workers screening.
Behaviour support	NSW Government behaviour support policy and Restrictive Practices authorisation mechanism.	SA Government Behaviour Support and Restrictive Practices policy.	NDIS Commission approves behaviour support practitioners who meet supplementary requirements.

* The Commission currently operates in NSW and SA. From 1 July 2019, it will also operate in Vic, Tas, QLD, ACT and NT. From 1 December 2020, it will operate in WA.

