

## Nexus Board – Vacancy

Nexus Inc are looking for community minded individuals to join our voluntary board.

Established in 1998, Nexus is a disability support service based in Southern Tasmania with a reputation for providing quality support to people living with a range of disabilities and support needs.

We provide over 300 people with both traditional and innovative services that support them to:

- Live more independently in traditional supported accommodation, innovative housing models or their own home.
- Build capacity in everyday skills and to prepare for major life transitions such as leaving school, moving out of home and starting work.
- Gain work skills and employment through a range of associated social enterprises.
- Access their communities to improve social interaction and develop life skills.
- Achieve their personal goals whilst managing their mental and physical health.
- Get allied health assessments and support.

At Nexus we continue to monitor, and provide for, the changing needs of the sector and are in the process of launching a new child support and respite service.

Our services are supported by over 400 staff who provide 24/7 support across our services.

Our funding comes primarily from the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) with a turnover exceeding \$30m.

Nexus is overseen by a volunteer, skills based community Board of governance who meet 8-10 times annually.

The Board includes members with professional and personal experience across a wide range of areas including business, policy, corporate governance, mental health support, media, law, finance and the disability sector.

After making a successful transition to the NDIS, the Board's strategic plan for 2020-2023 has four themes including building capacity and awareness to grow the number of clients we support, broaden our service offering, and build processes for client feedback. The Board also remains committed to building business systems, developing organisational and staff capacity, and maintaining financial security.

While all applicants with governance skills will be considered, the Board is interested in people with NFP/community sector experience, government policy and funding knowledge, commercial strategy experience or disability knowledge. We encourage people with lived experience of disability to apply.

For further information please contact Marcus Pringle-Jones, Chair, on 03 6240 5000

