







Strategic Focus Area	Q3 (Jul-Sep) 2024	Q4 (Oct-Dec) 2024	Q1 (Jan-Mar) 2025	Q2 (Apr-Jun) 2025	
 <p>Strategic Focus Area 1: Build a sustainable foundation</p>	<p>Engage, collaborate and build long term partnerships</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Deeply engage with the disability community, disabled persons and representative organisations, researchers, universities, government, philanthropy and other organisations</p>			<p>Start implementing the membership strategy for the National Disability Research Partnership</p>	
 <p>Strategic Focus Area 2: Fund research done by and with people with disability</p>	<p>Fund research aligned to the NDRP Research Agenda</p>				
	<p>Advertise the Expression of Interest process for the NDRP Research Committee through an open Expression of Interest (EOI) process</p>	<p>Publish information about the first open funding round so the disability and research communities can prepare</p>	<p>Open the first round of NDRP research funding</p>	<p>Announce successful research funding recipients</p>	
	<p>Implement “research readiness” capacity strengthening workshops in the lead up to the first open funding round</p>				
	<p>Partner with governments and other external agencies to fund and commission strategic research aligned to NDRP principles</p>				
	<p>Start pilot commissioned research project with the Department of Social Services</p>		<p>Implement commissioned research project</p>		
 <p>Strategic Focus Area 3: Strengthen disability research capacity</p>	<p>Advocate for, facilitate, and fund initiatives to increase the pool of researchers with disability</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Develop a program to fund and support research fellowships and scholarships for people with disability</p>				
	<p>Foster institutional and systemic enablers for disability led and inclusive research</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Advocate for the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) to adopt ethical guidelines for research with people with disability</p>			<p>Provide guidance to ethics committees to assess disability inclusive evidence, building on existing work in this area</p>	
	<p>Enhance capacity for disability led and inclusive research</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Foster disability inclusive research by developing and sharing tools, resources and learning approaches for inclusive research</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Partner with the National Disability Data Asset (NDDA) to co-deliver capacity strengthening activities</p>				
	<p>Undertake a project together with disability representative and advocacy organisations to understand “What is needed for advocacy and consumer organisations to support their sustained involvement in research”</p>	<p>Implement collaborative ways to share knowledge for people working on research projects funded by the NDRP (e.g. Communities of Practice)</p>			
	<p>Improve the accessibility and availability of evidence related to disability</p>				
	<p>Ongoing: Fund the APO Disability Research Collection</p>		<p>Ongoing: Synthesise and share evidence related to NDRP Research Agenda in accessible formats</p>		
 <p>Strategic focus area 4: Mobilise evidence for action</p>	<p>Strengthen capacity for the use of evidence in policy and practice</p>				
	<p>Hold quarterly Evidence to Action events to bring together people with disability and their organisations, researchers, government and others to mobilise knowledge, discuss the evidence base, and identify evidence gaps</p>				
	<p>Establish Research End Users Advisory Group</p>				