



NO ABUSE - NO EXCUSE

**Raise your voice about violence, abuse and neglect
in supported accommodation**

IDRS PHONE IN

**When: 10 - 5pm Friday 20
& Saturday 21 March**



**Help IDRS to paint a picture
for the parliament**

The Australian parliament wants to hear what you have to say about violence, abuse and neglect against people with disability in supported accommodation. A Senate Inquiry is taking written submissions from the public until **14 April**.

IDRS invites people with intellectual disability, their families, friends, advocates and disability workers to call us during our phone in:

- share your story about violence, abuse or neglect in residential service
- your ideas about what should be done to stop violence, abuse and neglect

Call IDRS PHONE IN

Sydney: 9318 0144

Wollongong: 4228 4040

Newcastle: 4926 5643

Other areas outside Sydney

1800 666 611 toll free

1300 665 908 local call cost

IDRS will put all the information together to send to the Senate Inquiry.

Your information will be **confidential**.

No names will be used in the submission.

You will not have to give your name if you don't want to.

Do you want help to make your own submission to the Inquiry? IDRS can help!

IDRS will help people with intellectual disability to write their own letter and send it to the parliament.

Phone IDRS on 02 9318 0144 to make a time to come to one of our offices in Sydney (Redfern), Wollongong or Newcastle or to make other arrangements

More information about the phone in www.idrs.org.au or 02 9318 0144

Anyone can send a submission before **14 April 2015** to:

**Committee Secretary,
Senate Standing Committee
on Community Affairs
PO Box 6100
Parliament House
Canberra 2600**

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE SENATE INQUIRY

http://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/Community_Affairs/Violence_abuse_neglect

REMEMBER: The Senate usually put all submissions on their website. You must ask in writing for your information to be kept confidential by the Senate.