

POLICY Eligibility for Services and Service Access

1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to define the people to whom Senses Australia will provide its services.

2. SCOPE

This Policy should be read in conjunction with Senses Australia's constitution.

3. POLICY STATEMENT

Senses Australia will provide services to people with disabilities including people who are deafblind.

Senses Australia will provide services to those people who currently, or who may in the future, support and care for those people with disabilities who have been determined to be eligible for services, including their families, other service providers and health professionals.

Senses Australia will provide a service on the basis of each individual person's relative need and the resources available to Senses Australia.

CLARIFICATION

Senses Australia places no restrictions on the manner in which a person becomes disabled when determining their eligibility for Senses Australia services. A person may be congenitally disabled, or acquire a disability as a result of disease or injury, or as a result of ageing. All of these people will be eligible for Senses Australia services.

RELATED POLICIES
Nil

SUPPORTING QMS DOCUMENTS
Nil.

RELEVANT LEGISLATION OR STANDARDS
Disability Services Act 1993