

FIVE REASONS A NATIONAL WORKER REGISTRATION SCHEME IS GOOD FOR WORKERS:

**TAKE ACTION:
SIGN THE PETITION**



1.

IT WILL ENSURE ALL WORKERS GET ACCESS TO BASIC TRAINING AND FAIR PAY.

Workers would need to have a Certificate to do some kinds of support work. This would ensure more workers are paid wages that reflect their skills and qualifications and have the training necessary to support clients.

2.

IT WILL SUPPORT YOUR CAREER PROGRESSION.

A positive worker registration scheme can involve a professional development requirement. Workers would be entitled to 10 hours a year of paid training to refresh learning or gain new experience.

3.

IT WILL LEAD TO SAFER WORKPLACES

Workers' registration levels can be linked to supervision levels, so that staff with less training or experience get more support from a supervisor or another worker, and ensure appropriate client matching.

4.

IT WILL TREAT DISABILITY SUPPORT WORK AS HIGHLY-SKILLED, PROFESSIONAL WORK.

Setting minimum standards for disability support work, as we do for nurses and allied health professionals, will lift the value of disability support work in the community and make it a career of choice.

5.

IT CAN BE EASILY ROLLED OUT AND ENSURE NO WORKER OR CLIENT IS LEFT BEHIND.

Training requirements would not apply to lower-risk work, and all workers can still enter without qualification, provided they get one over time. Workers with lots of prior learning, work or training experience can access alternative pathways to attain qualification.



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