**Your Essential Briefing 2019**

**7 Cities / July to August**

**Program: Adelaide – 22 July**

9.30am **Welcome**

Cathy Miller – CEO, Access4u and Chair of SA State Committee

9.45am **Overview: Hot issues and what we need to do about them**

David Moody – A/CEO, National Disability Services

10.05am **Working with NDIS pricing**

Philippa Angley – Head of Policy, National Disability Services

* Discussing the recent, substantial changes to the NDIS Price Guide and Support Catalogue, and the opportunities and challenges they present

10.35am **Questions**

11.00am Morning tea

11.30am **Embedding Quality and Safeguards**

Tim Baker – State Director SA, NDIS Quality & Safeguards Commission

* How will the rollout of the NDIS Quality & Safeguards Commission impact providers?
* Which safeguarding practices and standards does the Commission see as priorities for providers?

11.55am **Using the audit process to drive quality servicedelivery**

Chitra Subramanian, Lead Auditor,Q-Audit

* What‘s involved in the audit process and how do you prepare for it

12.20pm **Questions**

12.45pm Lunch

1.45pm **Supporting you to prepare for the Royal Commission: NDS’s role**

David Moody – A/CEO, National Disability Services

**Preparing for the Royal Commission – a legal & insurer perspective**2.00pm Tom Griffith –Partner, Piper Alderman

Charmaine Noble, Branch Director Adelaide; Gallagher & Anthony Black, Senior Risk Consultant, Ansvar Risk

* + - What is a Royal Commission, and how does it work?
    - What to expect (based on other Royal Commission experiences)
    - How you might be able to prepare

2.40pm **Questions**

3.00pm **Wrap up**

Cathy Miller – CEO, Access4u and Chair of SA State Committee

3.15pm Close

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