



Australian Government

Department of Health, Disability and Ageing

Privacy Notice

Community Visitors Scheme Public Consultation 2- APP 5 Notice

Your personal information is protected by law, including the *Privacy Act 1988* and the Australian Privacy Principles (APPs).

Who is collecting your personal information?

Your personal information is being collected by WhereTo Research and will not be provided to the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing (the department) until it is de-identified first.

Why will the department receive deidentified information?

WhereTo will collect your personal information for the purpose of collecting the views of the disability community and other disability sector stakeholders to test draft principles and a draft vision statement to identify opportunities to enhance nationally consistent approaches to Community Visitor Scheme (CVS). The information collected will not be available to the public.

This information will then be de-identified in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles, as set out in the Privacy Act, and turned into a summary report before being provided to the department. The summary report has research value in developing policies that are related or extend beyond the specific consultation for which it was originally collected. This summary report may be shared with the department and subsequently, state and territory governments and disability representative organisations as part of this project.

What information is being collected?

Through your participation in this consultation activity, the department will not collect any personal information about you. WhereTo Research will collect a range of information about you. This can be understood by visiting their Privacy Collection Notice, linked on the landing page.

Who will the department disclose the de-identified information to?

We may disclose the de-identified information to:

- our Ministers,
- other Commonwealth and state and territory agencies with relevant interest in the project (for example the National Disability Insurance Agency, the NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission)
- disability representative organisations
- other parties where the disclosure is authorised by law.

Privacy complaints

The department's privacy policy contains information about how you may complain about a breach of the Australian Privacy Principles or the *Australian Government Agencies Privacy Code* and how the department will deal with complaints.

Further information

You can read the department's privacy policy [here](#). You can obtain a copy of the APP privacy policy by contacting the department using the contact details set out at the end of this notice.

Contact details

If you wish to contact the department about a privacy-related matter, including questions about this notice, please contact the department's Privacy Officer by one of the following methods:

- **Post**
Privacy Officer
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- **Email**
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