

Did you know 44% of Australian adults have low English literacy?

Accessible written information can help:

- people with intellectual disability
- people with English as a second language
- older Australians
- everyone!



Our services

Easy English & plain language translations

We have extensive experience translating complex information into Easy English or plain language to meet your readers' needs.

Consumer testing


We employ people with low English literacy to provide feedback on language, layout and images to make your documents more accessible.

Easy English training

We run three Easy English training workshops in Melbourne each year. We can also deliver customised training sessions at your workplace - anywhere in Australia.

Contact our team today

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Consultancy

We can provide language and design consultancy to improve your own Easy English documents. We also offer one free consultation to people who attend our training.

Accessible or tagged PDFs

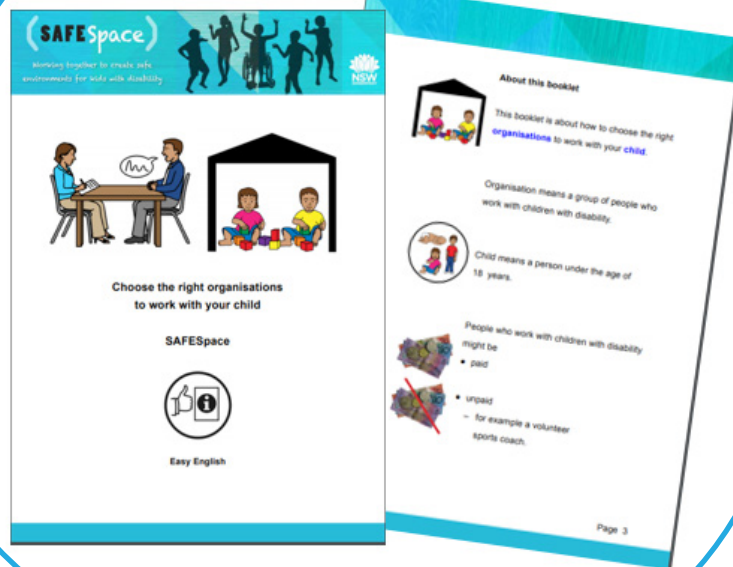
We provide tagged PDFs that can be read by people with vision impairment who use screen readers.

Promotion

We can recommend ways to promote your accessible documents and help people find them on your website.



Easy English



What is Easy English?

Easy English is a style of writing that:

- is simple and concise
- focuses on key information
- uses words and images to help readers understand the information.

Key features:

- basic language and grammar
- minimal punctuation
- easy-to-read font, layout and design
- images that add meaning to the text.

Our clients

We've produced Easy English resources for a diverse range of organisations across Australia including: government agencies (e.g. the National Disability Insurance Agency, the Department of Health and Human Services, the Department of Premier and Cabinet); emergency services (Australian Red Cross, NSW Rural Fire Service, Community Recovery Qld); utilities (South East Water, Australian Energy Regulator); and health services (Breast Cancer Network Australia, Continence Australia).

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