

Funding Opportunities Available from the Endeavour Foundation Endowment Challenge Fund

The *Endeavour Foundation Endowment Challenge Fund* aims to benefit Australians with a disability, especially people with an intellectual or developmental disability. The Fund seeks to encourage quality and innovation in the disability services sector by:

1. Funding quality and inclusive research invested in advancing the health, wellbeing and life experiences of people with a disability, or
2. Funding special projects within non-profit organisations that aim to include people with a disability within their current work and practice, for example, funding to purchase specialist equipment to enhance the inclusion for people with a disability in current activities.

The 2018 Grants Round **opened on 12 March 2018**, and applications across three award categories are invited:

1. **RESEARCH AWARD:** One award of up to **\$55,000** (for research conducted by appropriately qualified researchers)
2. **INCLUSIVE RESEARCH AWARD:** One award of up to **\$15,000** (for researchers to undertake a research project that includes people with a disability as co-researchers)
3. **NON-PROFIT ORGANISATION AWARD:** Total grant pool of **\$25,000** (for projects developed and delivered by non-profit organisations located in Queensland, Victoria or New South Wales only)

Application guidelines, application forms, past winners, and relevant information about the Endeavour Foundation Endowment Challenge Fund is available on the Fund's website (www.endowmentchallengefund.com.au).

All applications to the 2018 Grants Round must be submitted (via the online submission form) by **20 April 2018, 5pm (AEST)**.