



CID's Working Together Framework

Making Co-production Easy

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At CID we:

- speak up on the big issues
- provide information and learning opportunities
- empower people and communities
- work together to make change.



Inclusion at CID

- Inclusive governance
- Inclusive membership
- Inclusive employment.

Structures that support inclusion:

- Easy Read constitution and policies
- Board participation support
- Lived experience committees such as Learn2lead
- Advocacy groups.



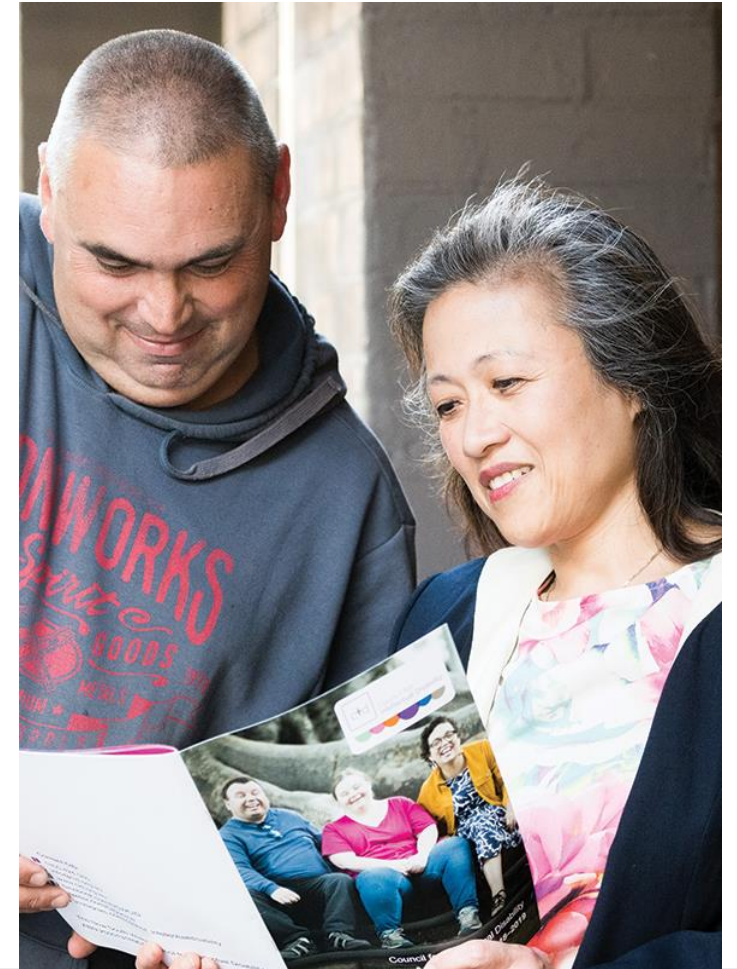
Working Together at CID Guide



Why did we need a co-production framework?

So everyone at CID knows:

- What working together well at CID looks like
- What activities we can use so it works for everyone
- How can we do it better
- What language we use when we talk about how we work together
- How we can tell other people about how we work together at CID.



How did we do it?

- Co-production working group
- Co-production consultant
- Plan
- Worked together with everyone at CID



What did we do?

- We did activities in staff meetings
- We did focus groups
- We shared what we found out with everyone at CID.



What did we find out?

- different ways of working together
- things that help
- barriers
- words we use
- it has to be easy.



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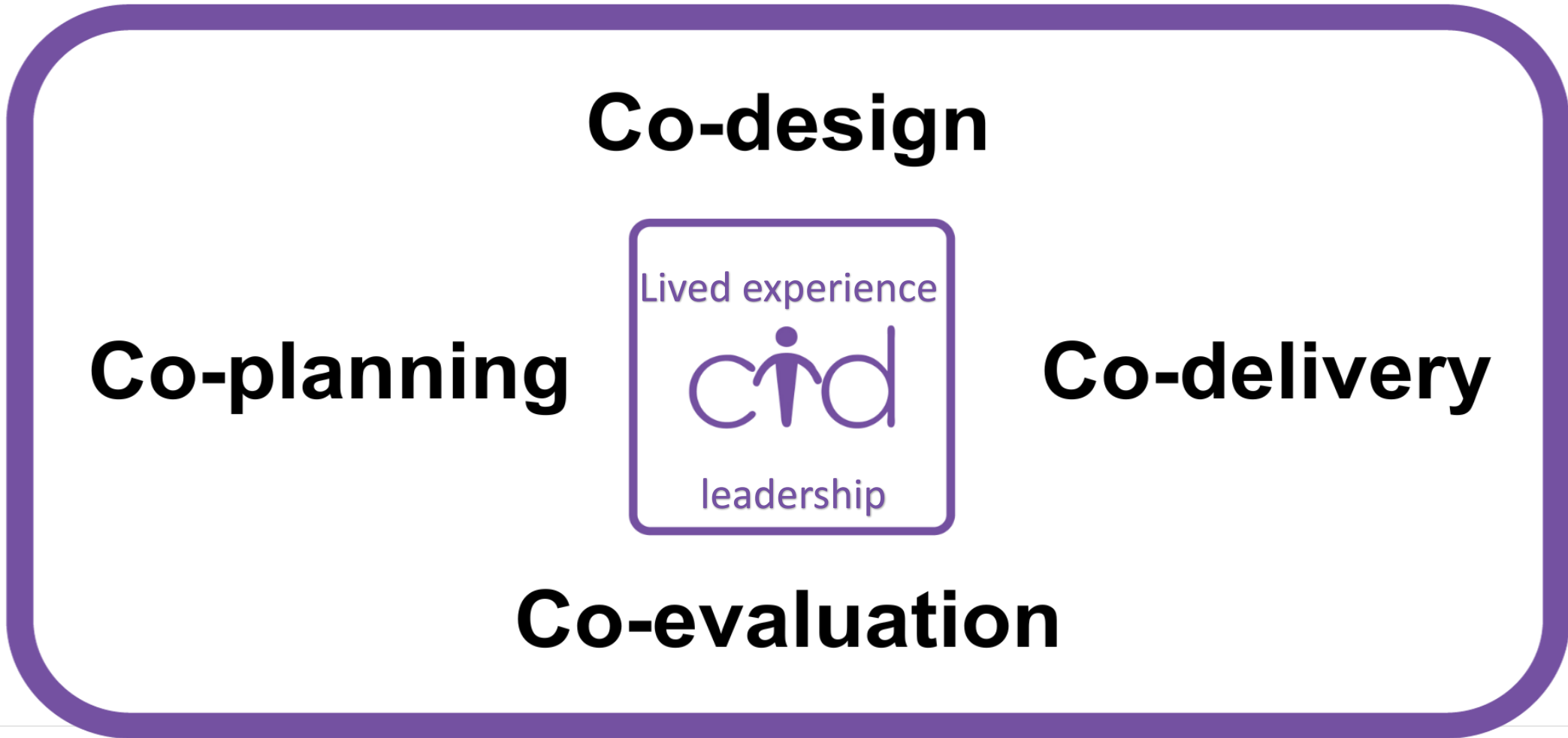


What is in the Guide?

- What is it about
- Who is it for
- Why is it important
- What working together at CID looks like
- What co-production looks like
- CID's principles for better practice in co-production
- Example of working together in action
- Glossary that explains the words we use.



Co-production at CID



Principles for better practice in co-production

- Share power
- Build capability
- Create leadership opportunities
- Prioritise relationships
- Use participatory means
- Give time and resources
- Listen and act
- Be open



Example of co-production at CID

My Rights Matter project



- 3 people with lived experience on the project team
- CID member with lived experience on the project Advisory Group
- oversight from CID's Board, which includes 8 Directors with lived experience
- co-researcher with lived experience on the formal evaluation team.

Example of co-production at CID

Health Resources Group



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My Health Appointment Form

Next steps

- finalise the design of the Working together at CID guide
- share it with everyone at CID
- support teams to start using it
- make training and tools for everyone to use
- talk with everyone about how they are using it in their every day work
- share it on the website for everyone to access.



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