

## Fact Sheet

Domestic and Family Violence Innovation Fund – Round One

## Building Access for Women with Disability People with Disability Australia, DVNSW and Women's Community Shelters

## Women with disability experience domestic and family violence at much higher rates.

Building Access for Women with Disability is a four year project that will provide domestic and family violence services with information, support and resources to increase the accessibility of services for women with disability.

By supporting the increased accessibility of services, *Building Access for Women with Disability* will improve outcomes by:

- increasing safety, and
- reducing the likelihood of returning to violent situations or being at risk of homelessness.

The resources will be developed in partnership between the disability and domestic and family violence sectors.

For further information regarding the *Building Access for Women with Disability* project, contact People with Disability Australia at <u>meredithl@pwd.org.au</u> or on (02) 9370 3100.