

## **Forrest Personnel's Participant Advisory Group (PAG)**

### **Meeting Summary - 22 November 2023**

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Our PAG members shared that they found developing the content for the first PAG Newsletter to be engaging and a very positive experience. All members of the PAG are keen to be engaged with the newsletter on a regular basis. The PAG approved the newsletter to be published and distributed to our Participants and Candidates.

Our PAG Member Hayden's trip around Australia promoting inclusion for those on the spectrum has been cancelled mid trip due to the fires in Queensland making air travel unsafe.

Hayden is looking forward to concluding his trip when the weather improves.

PAG Members had a robust discussion of Forrest Personnel's Vision, Purpose and Values and our Strategic Intent which was brought into operation August 2022.

Our Head of Service Delivery shared with the PAG Members upcoming grants that we are interested in applying for and the cohorts of Participants these grants target. Our PAG Members were very enthused to hear about the opportunities this presents for Forrest Personnel to expand and strengthen services.

Forrest Personnel thanked our PAG Members for the input and valuable contributions which provide lived experience perspective and firsthand experience on which we can base our continuous improvement.