

# National Human Rights Consultation Submission

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**Submission Text:**

The amount of available adequate, permanent and supported accommodation for young adults with severe physical disabilities is appalling in this country. The rights of those people with such disabilities - right to life and right not to be arbitrarily deprived of life, protection from degrading treatment, right to liberty and security of person - are all jeopardised by the failure on the part of the State (i.e. Australia) to make sufficient supported housing and care available. Further, the failure to provide adequate, permanent and supported accommodation is discriminatory on the basis that adequate accommodation is provided for other sectors of the community such as persons with intellectual disabilities.