



PARLIAMENT OF VICTORIA
Family and Community Development Committee

MEDIA RELEASE

Geelong hearing for autism services inquiry

The first public hearing outside Melbourne for the autism services inquiry will be held in Geelong on Monday 19 September.

The public hearing will be from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm at the City of Greater Geelong City Hall, 57 Little Malop Street.

The Family and Community Development Committee will hear from the National Disability Insurance Agency, the City of Greater Geelong and autism family support group The Treehouse Geelong.

The Committee will also provide the opportunity for community statements from 4:00 pm-5:00 pm. Community members wishing to make a statement are invited to register with the Committee by emailing fcdc@parliament.vic.gov.au or phoning (03) 8682 2843.

The inquiry is looking into the availability and adequacy of services for people with Autism Spectrum Disorder, including services provided by the Commonwealth, State and local governments across health, education, disability, housing, sport and employment.

Further public hearings will be held in regional Victoria as the inquiry progresses.

The Geelong hearing schedule and the submissions to the inquiry are available from the Committee's [website](#).

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