

How to support First Nations Peoples with disability to eat well

This fact sheet is about healthy eating and inclusive care. It explains that eating well is not always easy. This can be true for many people, including First Nations people. Some barriers include the high cost of fresh food in remote areas and not trusting health systems.

The fact sheet also explains what helps people eat well. This can include personal strengths, family support, culture, and community. Healthy eating is not just about one person. It is also about family and community.

This resource was written for dietitians, but the advice is useful for all health and disability professionals. It helps professionals support healthy eating in ways that are culturally safe, respectful, and practical.

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