

# Our Choice Expo

9.30am – 4.00pm

Tues. 28th & Weds. 29th January 2025

Gallery, Deakin University, Waterfront Campus  
1 Gheringhap St, Geelong

## Our Choice Exhibitor Registration Form



Open for conference delegates and free to the public

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# Having a Say Conference



## About the Having a Say Conference

The Our Choice Expo is conducted during HaS (Having a Say Conference) which is a national disability conference with a difference. It has people with disability involved at every level, from planning to volunteering. Plus, it 'brings the fun' like no other conference.

HaS has an average attendance of 1,000+ participants each year from every Australian state and across Victoria. We expect to be back to normal numbers in 2024 after 850 people attended the post-COVID conference in 2023.

Having a Say continues to be an event full of events, that is, there are five events within the overall conference: the Our Choice Expo, Talent Show (formerly Red Faces), Come & Try Activities, Art Competition and self-advocacy awards. All activities are focused on providing people with a disability with opportunities to contribute, learn, present, perform, celebrate achievement, be inspired by their peers and experience new things.

## Aims of the Having a Say Conference

The Having a Say Conference aims to empower people with disability through:

- Opportunities to celebrate ability and achievement
- Being part of the planning and running of the conference
- Participation in an annual conference in a location outside Melbourne
- The opportunity to 'have a say' about issues that affect their lives
- Opportunities to be heard by politicians, government and service providers
- The opportunity to meet people from around Victoria, Australia and overseas



## Exhibitor Information

**NOTE:** This information is for the Exhibitors in the Gallery only

- You will receive **one** complimentary day registration for your table for each day including all day tea/coffee and morning/afternoon tea. Note: lunch not included but there is a café next to the expo.
- To keep costs down for small agencies only ONE registration (value \$500) is included, and additional staff for your table can register for \$105 per day
- A stand comprised of a 1.8m table and a chair with 1.2m space behind in the Gallery (main Foyer exhibits are for sponsors only)
- Please bring your own **tablecloth** as these will not be provided.
- Payment must be made by 14 days prior to the conference
- If you need to cancel, you can claim a refund via Humanitix up until 14 days prior to the conference. After this please contact Christine.
- You can bring your own display board, but it cannot protrude outside your allocated area into others' space or in front of your table or walkways.
- Please note that exhibitor day registration does not include evening events, such as the Dinner & Chat or Disco (you're welcome to register for these separately on the conference booking site)
- Electricity can be provided if it is needed for your display.
- We will be conducting the event in a COVID safe manner, so we would ask that you use and implement your agency's COVID Safety plan.

**NOTE:**

The main Costa Hall Foyer will host the **Sponsors Expo**. Conference sponsors receive a complimentary Expo table for all three days. If you are interested in becoming a sponsor contact Christine.



# Registering for the Our Choice Exhibitor

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HaS conference, Deakin University, Waterfront Campus, Geelong

## Exhibitor Fees

NOTE: fees are excluding GST and ticketing fees charged by booking platform

| Registration Options  | Not for Profit Org<br>Exc. GST & ticketing fees | For Profit & Government<br>Exc. GST & ticketing fees |
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| Table for <b>both</b> days (Tue. & Wed.) includes <b>one</b> staff person's registration                      | \$650   | \$1100   |
| Table for 1 day only - includes <b>one</b> staff registration (Tue. 28th January <b>OR</b> Wed. 29th January) | \$350   | \$580  |
| Additional (second or third) staff per person <b>per day</b>  | \$105   | \$130  |

## Registration Process

To register follow this link to the online Expo Registration on Humanitix.

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Please note that there is a separate link to register as a delegate for the Having a Say conference.

**More information on exhibiting is available:**

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