

Terms & Conditions

Advocacy in Action Conference 2026



Registration Types



- **Concession** registration fees are for people who have Pension Concession Cards or a Health Care Cards



- **Early Bird** registration fee is only available before the 15th of May 2026



- **Support workers** do not pay a registration fee, only a catering fee of \$40 per day.



- **Support Worker** catering fee is available to workers or family members providing:
 - direct care, supervision, and/or
 - support, without which the participant with disability wouldn't be able to attend

Registration fees



	Concession rate		Full rate		Catering only ## (support worker or family member)
	Early Bird	From 16 th May	Early Bird	From 16 th May	
Mon 22 nd June	\$100	\$150	\$150	\$200	\$40
Tue 23 rd June	\$100	\$150	\$150	\$200	\$40
Both days	\$180	\$280	\$280	\$370	\$80

Catering



- Lunch, morning and afternoon teas are provided
- Please advise of dietary requirements when you register



- Dietary needs due to medical conditions, medical allergies and disability needs will be provided



- Requests for special food that are purely 'likes and dislikes' or for weight loss are not provided

Cancellations and Refunds



- You can claim a **full refund** by emailing VALID up until 5th of June 2026.
- After the 5th of June 2026 there are no refunds, except in 'exceptional circumstances'.



- If you feel you have exceptional circumstances, you can:
 - apply in writing Email: christine@valid.org.au
 - or ring 0475 698 884



- Each request will be dealt with individually.

Group Leader and Emergency Contact



- In case of emergency we need to be able to contact the Group Leader who is **at the conference**.

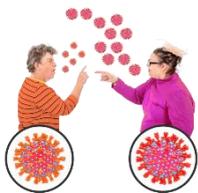


- An emergency might be someone becomes unwell



So, please provide the *Group Leader's name and mobile* please.

If you are unwell



COVID-19 is still around in our community. .



VALID would ask people to not attend if they:

- tested positive to COVID
- are unwell and are coughing, sneezing etc.



Wear a mask at the conference if you have a cold and have tested negative to COVID

Photo Permission



Photos will be taken during the event



Photos will only be taken of ordinary conference activities.

All shots used will be **respectful and promote dignity**.



Photos will only be used for:

- Conference publicity
- VALID's website and documents



Confidential

VALID will not give photos taken at the conference to:

- People outside VALID
- or organisations

...without your permission.



If you would prefer to not be in photos, please:

- Contact VALID (email or phone) so we can provide you with a special lanyard



- Tell the photographer that you do not want to be in photos and/or remove yourself from the shot

Code of Conduct (summary)



Treat everyone with respect and dignity



The right to have a say



The responsibility to listen to others



Contribute to a happy and safe event

Reporting Misconduct



If you see someone behaving in a bad way.

You need to report this to someone at Registration



Code of Conduct

When you register you will be asked to agree to respect the rights of others at the conference.

Download VALID's full [Code of Conduct](#).



More information Christine@valid.org.au or 03 9416 4003