

Broad categories of disability used in the NCCD

Definitions from the <i>Disability Discrimination Act 1992</i> and the <i>Disability Standards for Education 2005</i>	NCCD categories
total or partial loss of a part of the body	Physical
the malfunction, malformation or disfigurement of a part of the person's body	
the presence in the body of organisms causing disease or illness	
the presence in the body of organisms capable of causing disease or illness	
total or partial loss of the person's bodily or mental functions	Cognitive
a disorder or malfunction that results in the person learning differently from a person without the disorder or malfunction	
total or partial loss of the person's bodily or mental functions	Sensory
the malfunction, malformation or disfigurement of a part of the person's body	
a disorder, illness or disease that affects the person's thought processes, perception of reality, emotions or judgement, or that results in disturbed behaviour	Social/Emotional