



2020 Annual Report

Date of report: January 2020

Operating committee members (present and past if changed throughout the year):

- **Chair:** Ursula Haack (remaining)
- **Secretary:** Qiuxia Sophia Dong (new)
- **Treasurer liaison:** Ursula Haack (new)
- **Ordinary committee members:** Cindi Escardo, Kimbra Thomas, Kristin Hughes, Nadine Griffiths, Annie Chang, Ebony Blewer, Rebecca Rogers, Shaunah Lyons

Number of current members: 575

Achievements from activity plan for the year January 2019 – December 2019:

- NDC SIG scholarship was established
- 10 article reviews were submitted
- ACNN website under rubric NDC SIG was frequently updated
- A morning seminar was held on the 15th November at the RNSH in Sydney
- New committee members were announced, the position of secretary for 2019/20 will be held by Qiuxia Sophia Dong.
- Annual teleconference has taken place on the 25th November; subsequent teleconferences are planned at a 3-monthly interval. Next teleconference on the 12th February
- Goals for 2020 were identified
- A SIG representative will participate in national ACNN meetings.

Budget

As per ACNN treasures report Samantha Lannan, the NDC SIG budget involves \$3347.28.

A sum of \$8000 is available to facilitate scholarship funding for a neurodevelopmental care training, conference or workshop. This can be made available to ACNN members after successful application addressed to Dr Linda Ng theprofessionalofficer@acnn.org.au

An update of the scholarship information sheet has been put forward to Dr Linda Ng.

Plan for next 12 months: (January 2020 – December 2020)

#1 Annual Zoom Meetings, every 3 months

#2 NDC SIG participation at the 2020 ACNN Conference

#3 Formulating of an official questionnaire addressed to the NDC SIG members, evaluating the member's needs and interests.

#4 Continuing to promote the NDC scholarship for ACNN members.

On behalf of the SIG Committee thank you to the ACNN National Executive for the continuing support of the NDC SIG.

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