

## The shift to portables

## Can holidays be a legitimate claim on NDIS?

If the new move to supporting people with a disability means anything it means making sure that life is as normal as possible for everyone. Portable mobility equipment can play a part.

"Personal goals" are a crucial element in the application process for NDIS clients. Such goals as holidays, recreation time, and mental health are all part and parcel of achieving a well balanced life.

For those with mobility problems, portable scooters and powerchairs can help achieve those goals when travel is part of the equation. The advantage of modern well designed portable products is their ability to fold up in one piece.

For travel on planes, for cruises, or when transporting in the car boot, folding mobility products are far easier to handle than large bulky units that take a long time to pull to bits or are simply too big to fit into the spaces available.



Maureen Corrigan on rough ground in Iceland on her Luggie scooter. Maureen has MS but that doesn't stop her travelling the world, and even writing a book about it!

You can read more about Maureen at: www.trekkr.com.au/stories

With the advent of Lithium-ion batteries that are lightweight and more efficient, folding portable scooters and powerchairs will become increasingly popular for many users. And as long as the Li-ion battery is less than 300 watt hours, it is IATA approved to take on international or domestic flights.

The Luggie range of scooters and the Luggie powerchair fits the bill for ease of folding, highly engineered lightweight construction, and stylish "cool" design. As one of our clients said, "It's so small and compact it feels part of me and I don't feel so conspicuous when I'm out and about."

You can read more about the Luggie and other portable scooters at: <a href="https://www.scootersaus.com.au/travel-trek">www.scootersaus.com.au/travel-trek</a>

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