

**Question 1: Which of the three options do consultees favour, and why?:**

Option 2 as my younger sister is blind and has difficulty finding things to do to avoid boredom. Now with audio description she loves watching television and follows a number of different series. She gets so much out of the programs and loves watching with me (her brother) and also her sister as she feels included. This inclusion comes not just through watching and enjoying the programs but also through talking and joking about programs with others thus improving her life greatly. However a lot of programs still don't have audio description and it upsets her that she can't enjoy them. So an increase to 20% would be fantastic!

**Question 2: Do consultees have any further suggestions for future access service provision? If so please provide the rationale for these suggestions:**

Perhaps some sort of facility to have the channel names and programs read out when she changes channel as she often has difficulty working out which channel she is on.

**Comments:**

Since audio description came about I have noticed her enjoying everyday life much more, she lives for programs like home and away and neighbours! An increase would mean so much to her and many others in a similar situation.