Record Nr. UNINA9910366624303321 Autore Mays Jennifer <1968-> **Titolo** Basic Income, Disability Pensions and the Australian Political Economy: Envisioning Egalitarian Transformation, Funding and Sustainability // by Jennifer Mays Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Palgrave Pubbl/distr/stampa Macmillan, , 2020 9783030323493 **ISBN** 3030323498 Edizione [1st ed. 2020.] 1 online resource (235 pages) Descrizione fisica Exploring the Basic Income Guarantee, , 2662-3811 Collana Disciplina 336 Soggetti Finance, Public Social choice Welfare economics Labor economics **Public Economics** Social Choice and Welfare Labor Economics Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Materiale a stampa **Formato** Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. Nota di contenuto 1. Introduction: Basic Income, Fit for Australia and the Fairness Test --2. Basic Income in Australia and Disability Conceptions -- 3. Basic Income, Disability Dimension and the Fairness Test -- 4. Reconfiguring Social Security Arrangements and Strengthening Public Services -- 5. Financing a Basic Income: Explorations of International Models for Application in Australia -- 6. Disability Pensions and the Legacy of Targeting and Classification -- 7. Future Vision: Building a Sustainable Basic Income and Society. Global developments in basic income have reinvigorated political Sommario/riassunto debates on the necessity of progressing to universal basic income implementation. Basic income is a powerful strategy for addressing poverty gaps and growing inequality. This book provides new insights and strategies from an Australian political economy perspective to respond to implementation challenges and distributive justice. The

book positions the disability dimension and disability pensions in relation to basic income to explore strategies for strengthening universal provisions. It illustrates the need for socially just conditions and adequate financing to underpin redistribution as a way of safeguarding the sustainability of basic income.