

# Pop-ability

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## NEW IVIEW SERIES ABOUT GIRL GROUP WITH DISABILITIES TO BE RELEASED ON INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

**Pop-Ability** is the latest digital-first series to be released exclusively on ABC iview, available from Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup>, March.

Commissioned jointly by the South Australian Film Corporation and ABC, *Pop-Ability* is a five-part documentary series about The Sisters of Invention - the world's first-ever pop girl group with disabilities.

The series follows the group of five women and their music producer Michael Ross, as they get set to launch an ambitious music video that could change the face of pop music. The music video will be released on iview alongside the series.

As well as depicting the creative process of writing and recording their songs, *Pop-Ability* follows the group as they are faced with the everyday challenges of living with a disability, as well as some bigger life changes.

Moving out of home for the first time, trying out for a driver's licence and overcoming a cancer diagnosis are just some of the issues The Sisters deal with.

Working from disability arts organisation Tutti Arts in South Australia, The Sisters have already released a full-length album that is available on iTunes.

Steven Bibb, Head of Factual ABC TV, said: "We're thrilled with the series and believe audiences will respond to the high quality music and the moving, personal stories of The Sisters of Invention.

"International Women's Day is the perfect occasion to launch a series about strong, talented young women."

Series Director and Producer Katrina Lucas said: "I'm immensely proud of The Sisters and their families who allowed me to film some very intimate moments in their lives.

"I hope that the series will continue on from the work of disability activist Stella Young in breaking down stereotypes and low expectations around the capabilities and representations of people with disabilities."

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