



## Pānui

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### Newsletter



Kia ora and welcome to the latest newsletter from the NZFVC, a monthly update of resources, news and events for those working to prevent family violence in Aotearoa New Zealand.

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Tēnā tātou katoa

Spring is a good time to consider your professional development or study options for the coming year. To assist you, we have developed new website pages on Education and Training. See the *Tip of the month* for more information.

Other news, views, and happenings in brief:

- The [Family Violence Death Review Committee is calling for nominations](#) to fill up to three vacancies. Closing date 3 November 2014.
- The [fourth round of the Capability Investment Resource \(CIR4\) will open for applications](#) between **24 November 2014** and **30 January 2015**. We have collated some resources on interagency collaboration to assist with this.
- [Child protection policies and safety checks required under the Vulnerable Children Act](#) are explained in a fact sheet available on the Children's Action Plan website.
- A [forum on addressing high risk family violence through an integrated service response](#) was held recently in Victoria, Australia. Video, audio and transcripts of the presentations are available.
- [VicHealth's 2013 National Community Attitudes towards Violence Against Women Survey \(NCAS\)](#) has highlighted a range of concerning attitudes in relation to gender equality and violence against women.
- [Gender, Sexism and Social Activism: A Youth Workshop Resource](#) created by Sexual Politics Now provides resources and activities for facilitating workshops on 'everyday sexism'.

Read on for more new resources, news and events.

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*Tip of the month*  
**Education and training**

Now is a great time to plan your study or professional development for 2015.

We have developed two new pages to guide you to relevant education and training opportunities available to the family and whānau violence workforce and students.

These pages are found under the [Resources](#) tab:

[Education and training](#) - a guide to finding family violence related training, online learning, tertiary education, scholarships and grants.

[Training providers](#) - training providers offering relevant short course training opportunities in New Zealand.

Please note that inclusion in this list does not constitute endorsement by the New Zealand Family Violence Clearinghouse, as we are not able to review the training provided.

If the training you provide is not listed, please contact us to discuss its suitability for inclusion.

We will continue to add information about relevant publicly advertised courses, seminars and conferences to the [events listings](#). Check [recent events](#) regularly for newly added and updated events.

We have also made available two papers on family violence workforce development prepared for the Taskforce for Action on Violence within Families. You will find these in the New resources section below.

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## New resources

Here are some of the books, reports, and other resources added to the NZFVC library this month. Use the "read more" link to the NZFVC Library online to read the full summary and request or download the item. Please contact us if any links are broken.

### New Zealand

#### **Family violence workforce development**

prepared by the Family Violence Unit, Ministry of Social Development for the Taskforce for Action on Violence within Families. 2012

Released under the Official Information Act.

Working paper - draft (40 pages); PDF

*Summary:* The initial focus of this project was to assess the merits of creating a cross-agency training framework (see item below). To assess this the Family Violence Unit (FVU) looked at the current context of family violence training in New Zealand...

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#### **Training and education for the family violence workforce : developing a national training framework (revised)**

prepared for the meeting of the Taskforce for Action on Violence within Families, 19 June 2013

Released under the Official Information Act.

Working paper (40 pages); PDF

Summary: The purpose of this paper is to assess the merits of

### **City level action and the primary prevention of sexual violence**

report prepared by Alexandra Palmer and Alex Woodley.

Auckland: Point Research, 2014

Report (48 pages); PDF

*Summary:* This report describes action that could be taken at a city level to support the primary prevention of family and sexual violence. Drawing on the Ecological Model and the Spectrum of Prevention... [Read more](#)

### **Working together to prevent family and sexual violence in Auckland : an approach**

prepared by Alex Woodley and Ally Palmer. Auckland: Point Research, 2014

Report (36 pages); PDF

*Summary:* This literature review is aimed at outlining where New Zealand sits on matters of family and sexual violence - both in terms of impacts and in terms of current policies and programmes - and what steps we might take to address these issues... [Read more](#)

### **Feathers for Whānau Ora : some thoughts on family violence and community well-being**

by Vivian Hutchinson. 2014

Short paper (14 pages); PDF

*Summary:* This paper is based on workshop notes for a session on Whānau Ora and Community Well-Being organised by Tu Tama Wahine o Taranaki at the Taranaki District Health Board on 22-23 July 2014... [Read more](#)

### **Pacific pathways to the prevention of sexual violence : full report**

Auckland: UniServices & Pacific Health, School of Population Health, University of Auckland, 2010

Report (138 pages); PDF

*Summary:* This is the full report of a qualitative research project conducted among seven Pacific ethnic communities in Aotearoa - Cook Islands, Fiji, Niue, Samoa, Tokelau, Tonga and Tuvalu - to identify sexual violence prevention strategies for these communities... [Read more](#)

### **Journal articles**

*Contact your local library for full text access to articles which are not freely available online.*

### **Children in crisis: child poverty and abuse in New Zealand**

Michael A. Peters and Tina (A.C.) Besley. Taylor & Francis, 2014

*Educational Philosophy and Theory* 46(9): 945-961

*Summary:* This Special Issue publishes selected papers from the Children in Crisis conference held in 2013... [Read more](#)

### **Addressing child maltreatment in New Zealand: is poverty reduction enough?**

Tim Dare, Rhema Vaithianathan & Irene De Haan. Taylor & Francis, 2014

*Educational Philosophy and Theory*, 46(9): 989-994

*Summary:* The authors provide a response to Jonathan

Boston's report and article on child poverty in this Special Issue, and provide commentary on the use of predictive risk modelling... [Read more](#)

### **New Zealand dental therapists' beliefs regarding child maltreatment**

Dhara Tilvawala, Colleen Murray, Rami Farah and Jonathan M. Broadbent

Public Health Association of Australia, 2014

*Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health*, online first (5 pages)

*Summary:* The authors investigated New Zealand dental therapists' perceptions of the problem of child maltreatment and their roles in child protection, their experience/recollections of past training, and how frequently they suspect (and report) abuse or neglect... [Read more](#)

### **Living with 'Hwa-byung' : the psycho-social impact of elder mistreatment on the health and well-being of older people**

Hong-Jae Park. Taylor & Francis, 2014

*Aging & Mental Health*, 18(1): 125-128

*Summary:* This paper describes the psycho-social impact of elder mistreatment on the health and well-being of older Korean people living in New Zealand... [Read more](#)

## **International**

### **Australians' attitudes to violence against women : findings from the 2013 National Community Attitudes to Violence Against Women Survey (NCAS)**

Carlton: Victorian Health Promotion Foundation, 2014

Report (106 pages); PDF

*Summary:* The NCAS involved more than 17,500 twenty-minute telephone interviews with a cross-section of Australians aged 16 years and older. This is the third survey of its kind...

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A **brief summary** of the findings and implications (8 pages) is also available... [Read more](#)

### **Family violence in Canada : a statistical profile, 2011 Statistics Canada, 2013**

*Juristat*, 25 June 2013 (92 pages); PDF

*Summary:* Since 1998, Statistics Canada has released an annual report that examines the nature and extent of family violence in Canada. The special focus of this year's report is the prevalence and nature of family murder-suicides in Canada... [Read more](#)

### **The long-term effects of child sexual abuse**

Judith Cashmore and Rita Shackel. Melbourne: Australian Institute of Family Studies, 2013

*CFCA paper*, no. 11; HTML

*Summary:* This paper reviews recent Australian and international research on the long-term effects of child sexual abuse... [Read more](#)

### **Relationship problems and money : women talk about financial abuse**

Prue Cameron. West Melbourne: WIRE Women's Information, 2014

Report (79 pages); PDF

*Summary:* Women's financial hardship and insecurity, caused

by financial abuse in the context of family violence, is a serious concern, particularly considering the increasing feminisation of poverty in Australia... [Read more](#)

### **Report on a scoping study into the effects of sexual violence on employees and the workplace**

prepared by Inara Walden and Ludo McFerran. Sydney: Gendered Violence Research Network, University of New South Wales, 2014

Report (24 pages); PDF

*Summary:* In June 2013 the Safe at Home, Safe at Work project team embarked on a small scoping study into the workplace impacts of sexual violence. The researchers hoped to learn about support needs in the workplace context, such as time off to deal with legal, medical and counselling issues workers may have following experiences of sexual violence... [Read more](#)

### **Same-sex intimate partner homicide in Australia**

Alexandra Gannoni and Tracy Cussen. Canberra: Australian Institute of Criminology, 2014

*Trends & issues in crime and criminal justice*, no. 469 (7 pages); PDF & HTML

*Summary:* While there is a sizable body of research on intimate partner homicide in general, there has been limited focus on intimate partner homicide involving people in same-sex relationships... [Read more](#)

### **Violence in deaf culture : my story, my voice**

Cherrie Watson. The College at Rockport, State University of New York, 2014

*Dissenting Voices*, 3(1): 81-98

*Summary:* The author is deaf and a survivor of domestic violence. Her purpose in describing her experience of domestic violence within the deaf community and writing this article is to "awaken the hearing community to the fact that Deaf victims need allies... [Read more](#)

### **Who abuses children : fact sheet**

Melbourne, Vic.: Australian Institute of Family Studies, 2014

Fact sheet; HTML

*Summary:* The purpose of this fact sheet is to provide an overview of the evidence available regarding those who abuse children. Identifying common trends from research can help to dispel certain myths and/or beliefs regarding perpetrators of child abuse and neglect... [Read more](#)

### **Women's access to justice : from reporting to sentencing**

London: All-Party Parliamentary Group on Domestic and Sexual Violence Women's Aid, 2014

Report (64 pages); PDF

*Summary:* In March 2014 the All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Domestic and Sexual Violence in the United Kingdom released a report revealing that the criminal justice system continues to fail women when they experience domestic violence... [Read more](#)

### **Journal articles**

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### **Alcohol interventions, alcohol policy and intimate partner violence : a systematic review**

Ingrid M. Wilson, Kathryn Graham and Angela Taft

BioMed Central, 2014

*BMC Public Health*, 14: 881 (11 pages)

*Summary:* A systematic review investigating whether alcohol interventions/policies were associated with IPV reduction within adult intimate relationships... [Read more](#)

### **Empowering children with safety-skills : An evaluation of the Kidpower Everyday Safety-Skills Program**

Alaina Brenick et al. Elsevier, 2014

*Children and Youth Services Review*, 44: 152-162

*Summary:* "Changes in child safety knowledge concerning bullying, boundary-setting, and help-seeking were evaluated after participation in the Kidpower Everyday Safety Skills Program (ESSP), a workshop designed to increase children's knowledge of safe choices... [Read more](#)

### **Negative childhood experiences and mental health : theoretical, clinical and primary prevention implications**

John Read and Richard P. Bentall. Royal College of Psychiatrists, 2012

*British Journal of Psychiatry*, 200: 89-91

*Summary:* In this editorial, John Read from the University of Auckland, notes that researchers have recently established that a broad range of adverse childhood events are significant risk factors for most mental health problems, including psychosis...

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### **Childhood maltreatment and the structure of common psychiatric disorders**

Katherine M. Keyes et al. Royal College of Psychiatrists, 2012

*British Journal of Psychiatry*, 200: 107-115

*Summary:* The authors used a latent variable approach to estimate the associations of childhood maltreatment with underlying dimensions of internalising and externalising psychopathology and with specific disorders after accounting for the latent dimensions... [Read more](#)

### **Childhood sexual abuse and suicidal behavior : a meta-analysis**

Karen M. Devries et al. American Academy of Pediatrics, 2014

*Pediatrics*, 133(5): e1331-1344

*Summary:* The authors conducted a meta-analysis to quantify to what extent childhood sexual abuse (CSA) was associated with incident suicide attempts... [Read more](#)

### **A comparative study of violence risk assessment tools : a systematic review and metaregression analysis of 68 studies involving 25,980 participants**

Jay P. Singh, Martin Grann and Seena Fazel. Elsevier, 2011

*Clinical Psychology Review*, 31(3): 499-513

*Summary:* The authors undertook a systematic review and meta-analysis of nine commonly used risk assessment instruments following PRISMA guidelines... [Read more](#)

### **Multi-agency risk assessment and management for children and families experiencing domestic violence**

Nicky Stanley and Cathy Humphreys. Elsevier, 2014

*Children and Youth Services Review*, In press (8 pages)



*Summary:* This paper explores risk assessment and management in relation to children and families experiencing domestic violence; in particular, the communication and collaboration between child protection services, the police and independent domestic violence services... [Read more](#)

## In the news

Click on the link for full news item.

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[Police release crime stats, new family violence dataset "to be launched soon"](#) - 2 Oct, 2014

New Zealand Police have released crime statistics for the year ending 30 June...

[Family Violence Death Review Committee calling for nominations](#) - 1 Oct, 2014

The Health Quality & Safety Commission Board is seeking new members for the...

[Addressing high risk family violence; intimate partner homicide prevention](#) - 30 Sep, 2014

A forum on addressing high risk family violence through an integrated service...

[Visual online tool on women's rights globally](#) - 30 Sep, 2014

The Guardian has created a visual online tool showing women's rights country by country...

[World Health Organization urges strengthening of health system responses to violence](#) - 26 Sep, 2014

The World Health Assembly (WHA) (the decision-making body of the World Health Organization...

[Fourth round of Capability Investment Resource: focus on NGO collaboration and learning](#) - 26 Sep, 2014

The fourth round of the Capability Investment Resource (CIR4) will open for...

[Attitudes to gender equality and VAW in Australia - report](#)

- 24 Sep, 2014

An Australian study has highlighted a range of concerning attitudes in relation...

[Gender, Sexism and Social Activism: A Youth Workshop Resource](#) - 24 Sep, 2014

A resource for facilitating workshops on 'everyday sexism' has been produced by...

[Campus-based sexual violence prevention resources](#) - 23 Sep, 2014

In the US, the White House has launched a public awareness campaign to prevent...

[Productivity Commission to investigate improving the delivery of public services](#) - 23 Sep, 2014

The Government has asked the Productivity Commission to investigate ways to...

[Child protection policies and safety checks required under Vulnerable Children Act](#) - 23 Sep, 2014

The Children's Action Plan has produced a fact sheet and frequently asked...

[Political debate on family violence available online](#) - 15 Sep, 2014

The video of a political debate on family violence hosted by the Dunedin...

[March calls for end to sexual and domestic violence](#) - 15 Sep, 2014

Hundreds of people joined a march to Parliament calling for better systems,...

[Third Children's Team established in Horowhenua and Ōtaki region](#) - 9 Sep, 2014

New Zealand's third Children's Team was officially launched on 8 September 2014...

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## Upcoming events

Click on the link for event details.

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**15 October 2014 \*NEW\***

[Looking at supervision through Māori eyes - Toiora Whānau Symposium](#)

Ōtaki

**22-24 October 2014 \*NEW\***

[Violence in the Health Sector - 4th International Conference](#)

Miami, FL, United States

**29 October 2014**

[Protecting children with disabilities](#) - Workshop

Auckland

**30 October 2014**

[Developing child protection policy and procedures](#) - Workshop

Auckland

**31 October 2014 \*NEW\***

[Dynamics of sexual abuse](#) - Workshop

Auckland

**31 October - 2 November 2014**

[MaleSurvivor: 14th International Conference](#)

Newark, New Jersey, United States

**5-6 November 2014**

[Easy Evaluation](#) - Workshop

Hamilton

**6-7 November 2014**

[In our own backyard - Injury Prevention Aotearoa 2014 conference](#)

Wellington

**10-13 November 2014**

[2nd MenEngage Global Symposium 2014](#)

New Delhi, India

**10-11 November 2014**

[Easy Evaluation](#) - Workshop

Christchurch



**12-13 November 2014**  
[Challenging Responses to Family Violence](#) - Conference  
Ballarat, Victoria, Australia

**17 November 2014**  
[Developing child protection policies and procedures](#) -  
Workshop  
Christchurch

**19 November 2014 \*NEW\***  
[Mauri Ora: Realising Māori potential](#)  
Auckland

**19-20 November 2014**  
[Easy Evaluation](#) - Workshop  
Invercargill

**24-28 November 2014 \*NEW\***  
[Child Protection Studies Programme](#) - 5 day course  
Auckland

**25 November 2014**  
[White Ribbon Day](#)  
New Zealand

**25 November - 10 December 2014**  
[16 Days of Activism Against Gender-Based Violence Campaign](#)  
Worldwide

**25-28 November 2014**  
[International Indigenous Development Research Conference](#)  
Auckland

**26 November 2014**  
[Recognising and responding to child abuse](#) - Workshop  
Masterton

**2-3 December 2014**  
[Easy Evaluation](#) - Workshop  
Rotorua

**10-12 December 2014**  
[World Indigenous Domestic Violence Conference](#)  
Cairns, QLD, Australia

**2015**

**10-12 February 2015**  
[Inaugural Asia-Pacific Conference on Gendered Violence and Violations](#)  
Sydney, Australia

**24-25 February 2015 \*NEW\***  
[Managing and governing on the edge - National Not-For-Profit Sector Conference](#)  
Auckland

**29 March - 1 April 2015 \*NEW\***  
[14th Australasian Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect](#)  
Auckland

**8-11 April 2015**  
[Dignity Conference 2015: Response-Based Practice in Action](#)  
Hawke's Bay

**9-11 April 2015**  
[The Nursing Network on Violence Against Women International - NNVAWI Conference](#)

