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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

The Clearinghouse has published [Creating change: Mobilising New Zealand communities to prevent family violence](#), Issues Paper 8. Have you found the paper useful? We would love to hear your feedback - please [email us](#).

Other news, views, and happenings in brief:

- Funding of community organisations is in the spotlight with the [closure of Relationships Aotearoa](#), announcement of MSD's [new funding strategy](#), release of the [Productivity Commission's proposals](#) and the introduction of [New Zealand's first social bond](#)
- The Clearinghouse has collated research and resources from the [ACE Study, connecting adverse childhood experiences with health and social problems](#)
- NZ Police have released an [evaluation of Police Safety Orders](#)
- Shakti Youth has launched a campaign on [migrant and refugee children witnessing violence at home](#)
- Rainbow YOUTH and It's Not OK Campaign have collaborated on You, Me / Us, a [new resource for sexuality and gender diverse communities](#)

Submissions are currently open on:

- The Productivity Commission's draft report on [more effective social services](#) (closes 24 June).

Call for papers:

- Co-editors, Dr Caroline Blyth and Emily Colgan, seek [chapter proposals for an edited volume of essays that explore the intersection between gender violence, rape culture and religion](#). Contact the editors with expressions of interest by 30 June 2015.

Read on for more new resources, news and events.

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Tip of the month

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Vulnerable Children, this study assesses whether predictive risk modelling (PRM) tools that draw on linked administrative data can be used in practice to identify early new-born children at high risk of maltreatment as part of a strategy to prevent maltreatment occurring...

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Related papers include:

Blank, A., Cram, F., Dare, T., de Haan, I., Smith, B., & Vaithianathan, R. (2014).

Ethical issues for Māori in predictive risk modelling to identify new-born children who are at high risk of future maltreatment. Wellington: Ministry of Social Development....

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Dare, T. (2013).

Predictive risk modelling and child maltreatment: An ethical review. Wellington: Ministry of Social Development...

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Wilson, M. L., Tumen, S., & Simmens, A. G. (2014). **Predictive modeling: Potential application in prevention services.** *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 48(6), 509-519...

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Use this link to search the Clearinghouse database for all papers and journal articles about using [predictive risk modelling](#) in New Zealand.

Office of the Auditor-General. (2015).

Whānau ora: The first four years. Wellington: Author *Summary*: The Office of the Auditor-General explains the focus of this report: "We focused our work on how the Initiatives have been carried out. The information in our report has not been brought together before. We identified how the Initiatives were funded, how much funding was available, and how much was spent..."

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Mossman, E., Kingi, V., & Wehipeihana, N. (2015).

An outcome evaluation of Police Safety Orders. Wellington: New Zealand Police.

Summary: On 1 July 2010, Police Safety Orders (PSOs) were introduced as a new tool for Police in dealing with family violence. They enable frontline officers to take immediate action to protect victims of family violence when there is insufficient evidence for an arrest. The evaluation assessed the extent to which PSOs achieve their intended short- and longer-term outcomes with specific reference to four evaluation objectives....

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Patlakas, P. (2013).

Sexual assaults on gay and bisexual men: Barriers to reporting to the police. MSc (Psychology) thesis. University of Waikato.

Summary: This study examined the barriers gay and bisexual male survivors of sexual assaults face in reporting their victimisation to the police. This study aimed to address a lack of New Zealand based research on the topic and develop an overall representation of the various barriers... [Read more](#)

Rainbow Youth, & It's Not OK Campaign. (2015).

You, me / us. Wellington: Authors.

Summary: The It's Not OK Campaign and RainbowYOUTH, along with community partner organisations, have collaborated to update a resource on healthy relationships for sexuality and gender diverse communities... [Read more](#)

Journal articles

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Dickson, S., & Willis, G. M. (2015).

Primary prevention of sexual violence in Aotearoa New Zealand: A survey of prevention activities. *Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment*, Advance online publication, 30 April 2015, (21 pages).

Summary: This article presents findings from a survey of primary prevention activities in non-Māori and bicultural communities within Aotearoa New Zealand... [Read more](#)

du Fresne, K. (2015).

The ripple effect: Abuse prevention.

Listener, 14 March 2015, 16-25.

Summary: The Wairarapa's powerful, proactive approach to family violence is making a real difference. The author asks: Is this the model for the nation? Includes comment from Ruth Herbert, Minister of Justice Amy Adams, Jeremy Logan (Stopping Violence Services Wairarapa) and Gerry Brooking (Violence Free Network Wairarapa)... [Read more](#)

International

Cussen, T., & Bryant, W. (2015).

Domestic / family homicide in Australia (Research in Practice, no.38). Canberra, ACT: Australian Institute of Criminology.

Summary: This report presents data for the period 1 July 2002 through 30 June 2012 and provides an update to a 2003 report on this topic... [Read more](#)

Jones, L. M. (2014).

Improving efforts to prevent children's exposure to violence: A handbook for defining program theory and planning for evaluation in the new evidence-based culture.

Geneva, Switzerland: World Health Organization.

Summary: This handbook is intended to help implementing agencies (e.g. nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), development/foreign aid agencies, community-based organizations, not-for-profit agencies) make better use of existing research and plan for evaluation when designing and implementing child violence prevention programmes, and also to convey these intentions to potential funding organizations... [Read more](#)

Jud, A., Jones, L. M., & Mikton, C. (2015).

Toolkit on mapping legal, health and social services responses to child maltreatment. Geneva, Switzerland: World Health Organization.

Summary: This toolkit contains tips, recommended practices and resources for academics and decision-makers in child protection who are interested in conducting national or regional surveillance of agency response to child maltreatment and child

maltreatment incidence through the collection of administrative data... [Read more](#)

Kirkwood, D. (2012).

'Just say goodbye': Parents who kill their children in the context of separation (Discussion Paper, no. 8). Melbourne, Vic.: Domestic Violence Resource Centre Victoria (DVRCV).
Summary: This discussion paper examines the motives and background to 'filicide' - the killing of children by a parent. While these deaths are often described in the media as 'inexplicable', this new research identifies a link between the killing of children and violence against women. The paper considers international research, Australian Institute of Criminology data and case examples of both fathers and mothers who kill their children... [Read more](#)

Parkinson, D. (2014).

Women's experience of violence in the aftermath of the Black Saturday bushfires. PhD thesis. Monash University, Melbourne, Vic.
Summary: This thesis documents the first Australian research to interview women about their experiences of domestic violence after catastrophic disaster. As such research is rare in developed countries, it addresses a gap in the disaster literature... [Read more](#)

Sturgeon, S. (2015).

Strangulation assessment, evidence collection, and documentation guidelines for forensic nurse examiners: A pilot project. Louisville, KY: ScholarWorks@Bellarmine.
Summary: Accurate and thorough physical assessment, with accompanying documentation, are essential components for appropriate legal intervention for victims in all strangulation cases... [Read more](#)

Journal articles

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Bagwell-Gray, M., Messing, J. T., & Baldwin-White, A. (2015). **Intimate partner sexual violence: A review of terms, definitions and prevalence.**

Trauma, Violence & Abuse, Advance online publication, 4 January 2015, (20 pages).

Summary: Intimate partner sexual violence (IPSV) is a significant aspect of intimate partner violence (IPV). While intimate partners commit one third of sexual assaults, IPSV is often overlooked in studies about IPV and in research on sexual violence... [Read more](#)

Campbell, R., Greeson, M. R., Fehler-Cabral, G., & Kennedy, A. C. (2015).

Pathways to help: Adolescent sexual assault victims' disclosure and help-seeking experiences.

Violence Against Women, Advance online publication, 1 May 2015, (24 pages).

Summary: In this study, the authors conducted semistructured interviews with 20 adolescent sexual assault victims who sought post assault help from the medical and legal system to understand young survivors' disclosure and help-seeking processes... [Read more](#)

Choi, K. W., & Sikkema, K. J. (2015).

Childhood maltreatment and perinatal mood and anxiety disorders: A systematic review.

Trauma, Violence & Abuse, Advance online publication, 17 May 2015, (27 pages).

Summary: A systematic review was undertaken to synthesize empirical literature on the relationship between maternal histories of childhood maltreatment and perinatal mood and anxiety disorders (PMADs)... [Read more](#)

Darwinkel, E., Powell, M., & Sharman, S. J. (2015).

Police and prosecutors' perceptions of adult sexual assault evidence associated with case authorisation and conviction.

Journal of Police and Criminal Psychology, Advance online publication, 18 January 2015, (8 pages).

Summary: This study examined the association between the quality of verbal evidence in cases of sexual assault reported by adults and professionals' (police and prosecutor) ratings of the likelihood that the cases will result in a conviction at trial... [Read more](#)

Davis, E. (2015).

Survivor-led ethics in multi-agency work .

DVRCV Advocate, Autumn-Winter 2015, 28-33.

Summary: With the roll-out of Risk Assessment Management Panels (RAMPs) imminent in Victoria, Erin Davis looks at the UK experience and describes how a feminist ethical framework and survivor-led practice is essential for multi-agency initiatives that address high-risk family violence... [Read more](#)

Falb, K. L., Annan, J., & Gupta, J. (2015).

Achieving gender equality to reduce intimate partner violence against women.

The Lancet Global Health, 3(6), e302-e303.

Summary: This year marks 20 years since 189 countries signed the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and committed to prioritisation of women's empowerment and gender equality. This editorial introduces the article by Heise and Kotsadam (below) in this issue of *The Lancet Global Health*... [Read more](#)

Heise, L. L., & Kotsadam, A. (2015).

Cross-national and multilevel correlates of partner violence: An analysis of data from population-based surveys.

The Lancet Global Health, 3(6), e332-e340.

Summary: Little is known about the factors that drive the geographical distribution of partner violence or how macro-level factors might combine with individual-level factors to affect individual women's risk of intimate partner violence. The authors aimed to assess the role that women's status and other gender-related factors might have in defining levels of partner violence among settings... [Read more](#)

Goodmark, L. (2013).

Transgender people, intimate partner abuse and the legal system.

Harvard Civil Rights-Civil Liberties Law Review, 48, 51-104. (Open access).

Summary: The unique experiences of transgender persons subjected to abuse have not been the focus of legal scholarship; instead, the experiences of transgender people are

often subsumed in the broader discourse around domestic violence in the LGBT community. This is the first law review article to concentrate specifically on intimate partner abuse and the transgender community... [Read more](#)

Kiss, L., Schraiber, L. B., Hossain, M., Watts, C. H., & Zimmerman, C. (2015).

The link between community-based violence and intimate partner violence: The effect of crime and male aggression on intimate partner violence against women.

Prevention Science, Advance online publication, 26 May 2015, (9 pages). (Open access).

Summary: Both intimate partner violence (IPV) and community violence are prevalent globally, and each is associated with serious health consequences. However, little is known about their potential links or the possible benefits of coordinated prevention strategies... [Read more](#)

Macy, R. J., Ogbonnaya, I. N., & Martin, S. L. (2015).

Providers' perspectives about helpful information for evaluating domestic violence and sexual assault services: A practice note.

Violence Against Women, 21(3), 416-429.

Summary: This practice note presents findings from a statewide survey of domestic violence and sexual assault agency directors (n = 80; 77% response rate), regarding their opinions about the outcome information that should be collected from victims during evaluations of five commonly provided services: legal advocacy, medical advocacy, group services, individual counseling, and shelter... [Read more](#)

McCauley, H. L., Silverman, J. G., Decker, M. R., Agénor, M., Borrero, S., Tancredi, D. J., . . . Miller, E. (2015).

Sexual and reproductive health indicators and intimate partner violence victimization among female family planning clinic patients who have sex with women and men.

Journal of Women's Health, Advance online publication, (8 pages).

Summary: Sexual minority women are more likely than heterosexual women to have ever experienced intimate partner violence (IPV). Although IPV is associated with sexual risk and poor reproductive health outcomes among US women overall, little is known about whether IPV is related to sexual and reproductive health indicators among sexual minority women in particular... [Read more](#)

Reitsema, A. M., & Grietens, H. (2015).

Is anybody listening?: The literature on the dialogical process of child sexual abuse disclosure reviewed.

Trauma, Violence & Abuse, Advance online publication, 7 May 2015 (41 pages).

Summary: The authors conducted an exploratory review of the current literature on child sexual abuse disclosure in everyday contexts... [Read more](#)

Salter, M. (2015).

'Real men don't hit women': Constructing masculinity in the prevention of violence against women.

Australian & New Zealand Journal of Criminology, Advance online publication, 21 May 2015 (17 pages).

Summary: This paper examines the dependence of many violence against women VAW primary prevention campaigns

and programs on regressive notions of 'real masculinity'. It describes how the scope of VAW primary prevention has narrowed over time... [Read more](#)

Walsh, K., Zwi, K., Woolfenden, S., & Shlonsky, A. (2015).

School-based education programmes for the prevention of child sexual abuse.

Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews, 2015, issue 4
Summary: The objective was to systematically assess evidence of the effectiveness of school-based education programmes for the prevention of child sexual abuse. Specifically, to assess whether: programmes are effective in improving students' protective behaviours and knowledge about sexual abuse prevention; behaviours and skills are retained over time; and participation results in disclosures of sexual abuse... [Read more](#)

In the news

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[Ministry of Social Development announces new funding strategy; first social bond introduced](#) - 5 Jun, 2015

Minister for Social Development Anne Tolley has announced a "new long-term...

[Revised guidelines on sexuality education in schools released](#) - 5 Jun, 2015

The Ministry of Education has released a revised guide, Sexuality education: a...

[Relationships Aotearoa to close; funding models and issues in spotlight](#) - 2 Jun, 2015

Relationships Aotearoa (RA) will close its doors 9 June 2015. This follows...

[UN concerned by NZ "lack of proper funding for specialist sexual violence services"](#) - 29 May, 2015

New Zealand's sixth periodic review under the United Nations Convention against...

[It's Not OK supporting communities to prevent family violence](#) - 27 May, 2015

It's Not OK has released a review of the campaign for 2014. Year in Review 2014...

[Shakti Youth launches campaign on migrant and refugee children witnessing violence at home](#) - 26 May, 2015

Shakti Youth has launched a campaign highlighting the experiences of migrant...

[Social change toolkit support for community projects and ideas](#)

- 26 May, 2015

A new social change toolkit for community projects is available online. The...

[Clearinghouse publishes new Issues Paper on community mobilisation](#) - 22 May, 2015

The Clearinghouse has published Issues Paper 8, Creating Change: Mobilising New...

[New resource and new project for sexuality and gender diverse communities](#) - 21 May, 2015

The It's Not OK campaign and RainbowYOUTH, along with community partner...

[Judges receive professional development on family violence](#) - 21 May, 2015

Over 150 District Court Judges have received professional development on family...

[Changes signalled to funding of community organisations; Relationships Aotearoa may close](#) - 20 May, 2015

Radio New Zealand has obtained a Cabinet paper by Social Development Minister...

[ACE Study connects adverse childhood experiences with health and social problems](#) - 19 May, 2015

A large United States study is studying the links between adverse childhood...

[Police release evaluation of Police Safety Orders](#) - 18 May, 2015

New Zealand Police have released an evaluation of the effectiveness of Police...

[Counterintuitive evidence considered "substantially helpful" in child sexual abuse cases](#) - 12 May, 2015

The use of "counterintuitive evidence" in child sexual abuse cases has been...

[#thisdoesntmeaneyes campaign tackles rape myths](#) - 6 May, 2015

A London campaign to create awareness of rape culture has garnered support and...

[Productivity Commission's draft report proposes social service funding changes](#) - 4 May, 2015

The Productivity Commission has released its draft report on improving how...

Upcoming events

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10-12 June 2015 *NEW*

[2nd Annual Pacific Islander Violence Prevention Conference](#)

San Mateo, California

15, 16 or 17 June 2015 "NEW"

[Social Impact Bonds](#) - Free Seminars

Wellington (15 June),

Christchurch (16 June) &

Auckland (17 June)

15-22 June 2015 *NEW*

[Elder Abuse Awareness Week](#)
Events organised by Age Concern
throughout New Zealand

16-17 June 2015

[Domestic abuse - Safety first](#) - Training
Auckland

17 June 2015 *NEW*

[Effects of family violence on children](#) - Skylight Workshop
Wellington

19 June 2015 *NEW*

[Responding to Family Violence](#)
Training by Wellington Women's Refuge
Wellington

22 June 2015 *NEW*

[Child Protection Policy](#)
Safeguarding Children Initiative Free Seminar (Level 2)
Stoke, Nelson

24-26 June 2015

[Violence: Children, Family & Society Conference 2015](#)
Northampton, UK

29 June 2015 *NEW*

[Workshop with Louise Morpeth: Practical approaches for demonstrating programme impact and value](#)
Superu workshop - free
Auckland

29-30 June 2015

[No2Bullying Conference 2015](#)
Gold Coast, Australia

30 June 2015 *NEW*

[Evidence to Action Conference 2015](#)
Wellington

5-9 July 2015

[World Society of Victimology](#) - 15th International Symposium
Perth, WA, Australia

22 July 2015 *NEW*

[Online bullying and online issues with children and young people](#) - Skylight Workshop
Wellington

31 August, 2 or 4 September 2015 *NEW*

[The Pain Paradox: Engagement, Acceptance, and Processing in a New Paradigm for Trauma Therapy with John Briere PhD](#)
One-day seminars organised by DSAC
Auckland (31 August),
Wellington (2 September) &
Christchurch (4 September)

8-9 September & 5 October 2015 *NEW*

[Working with Parents' Anger](#) - Training workshop
Auckland

15-17 September 2015

[SVRI Forum 2015](#)
Stellenbosch, South Africa

