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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 the 2017 Data Summaries - details in the Tip of the Month below.

A number of other recent reports also focus on data, including the Family Violence Death Review Committee and Superu's 2017 Families and Whānau status reports.

Superu has also published 'What works for children exposed to family violence?' In Australia, ANROWS has published two significant new reports on topical issues: one on the relationship between specialist community-based domestic and family violence support services and statutory child protection organisations (the PATRICIA project) and one on Domestic and Family Violence and Parenting.

You will find these and more in the New Resources section.

News, views and happenings in brief:

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Open for consultation:

- [Submissions open on bill to prevent forced marriage](#) (closes 21 July 2017)
- [Submissions invited on discussion paper - "one court one judge" for family violence](#) (closes 25 August 2017)

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Pasifika Futures. (2017).

### **Pasifika people in New Zealand: How are we doing?**

Auckland, New Zealand Pasifika Futures.

*Summary:* This report provides a current statistical overview of Pacific peoples in New Zealand. It provides demographic and background data on the current state of Pacific participation in the areas of education, health... [Read more](#)

Superu. (2017).

**Families and whānau status report 2017**. Wellington, New Zealand: Superu.

*Summary:* This report looks at the pivotal role that families and whānau hold within our society. It is the fifth in a series of annual reports which provide an essential background to any study, process or programme involving social services, and will aid better decision-making to improve the lives of New Zealand's families, whānau and their communities... [Read more](#)

Te Puni Kōkiri. (2017).

**Understanding family violence: Māori in New Zealand** [Infographic]. Wellington, New Zealand: Te Puni Kōkiri.

*Summary:* This resource introduces a set of indicators collated from a range of agencies which provide a picture about the prevalence of violence across Māori families in Aotearoa New Zealand... [Read more](#)

UNICEF. (2017).

**Building the future: Children and the Sustainable Development Goals in rich countries**. Florence, Italy:

UNICEF Office of Research - Innocenti.

Innocenti report card, no. 14

*Summary:* This report analyses inequality in 41 high-income countries. It looks at how far children are falling behind in the dimensions of income, education, health and life satisfaction. New Zealand features in just some of the tables due to lack of data... [Read more](#)

### [New frameworks and guidelines](#)

Ministry of Justice. (2017).

**Family violence risk assessment and management framework: A common approach to screening, assessing and managing risk**. Wellington, New Zealand: Ministry of Justice.

*Summary:* This Framework aims to ensure that risks will be identified, assessed and managed consistently across the country for victims and perpetrators. The Framework provides practice values and expected generic practice approaches, including outlining a common understanding of family violence. This is designed to serve as a road map... [Read more](#)

Ministry of Social Development. (2017).

**Family violence, sexual violence and violence within whānau: Workforce capability framework**. Wellington, New Zealand: Ministry of Social Development.

*Summary:* This Framework outlines the skills, knowledge and organisational support the workforce needs in order to provide an integrated, consistent and effective response to victims, perpetrators and their families. This framework and the Family violence Risk Assessment and Management Framework (RAMF) were launched at the Family Violence Summit held in Wellington on 7 June 2017... [Read more](#)

Ministry of Social Development. (2017).

**Sexual harm crisis support service guidelines: F18**. Wellington, New Zealand: Ministry of Social Development.

*Summary:* These guidelines are for providers who hold a Ministry of Social Development (the Ministry) Outcome

Agreement to provide sexual harm crisis support services for adults... [Read more](#)

#### Other reports

Gluckman, P (2017).

**Using evidence to inform social policy: The role of citizen-based analytics. A discussion paper.** Auckland, New Zealand: Office of the Prime Minister's Chief Science Advisor.

*Summary:* This paper considers both the considerable opportunities and the issues associated with using individual-level data and citizen-based analytics to inform social policy development and implementation... [Read more](#)

**Government response to the Productivity Commission report on More Effective Social Services.** (2017).

Wellington, New Zealand: The Treasury & State Services Commission.

*Summary;* In May 2017 Treasury and the State Services Commission released two documents, this Government response report and another report responding to specific recommendations made in the original report... [Read more](#)  
[Government responses to recommendations](#)

Keddell, E. (2017).

**The Child, Youth and Family Review: A commentary on prevention.** Auckland, New Zealand: The Policy Observatory, Auckland University of Technology.

*Summary:* This report focuses on one aspect of the recent reforms: the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Keddell highlights the points of tension between the way that child abuse is defined throughout the review process, the details of the proposed reforms, and the design of child protection systems.... [Read more](#)

Office of Film and Literature Classification. (2017).

**Young New Zealanders viewing sexual violence - stage 3 research report: Interviews with young New Zealanders.**

Wellington, New Zealand: Office of Film and Literature Classification.

*Summary:* This report is the third and final component of a wider Classification Office research project that seeks to fill the identified gap in current research by giving young New Zealanders, frontline agencies, and sexual violence experts a voice... [Read more](#)

#### What works briefings from Superu

Superu. (2017).

**What works for children exposed to family violence ?**

Wellington, New Zealand: Superu.

*Summary:* This paper brings together evidence about the best interventions which make a positive difference to the lives of children exposed to family violence. The main highlight of this paper is that the harm caused by family violence exposure is just as harmful as the harm caused by direct abuse...

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Find more in the [What Works series](#)

#### Conference papers and presentations

Bridgman, G., Dyer, E., O'Hagan, A., & McCarthy. (2017).

**Jade speaks up! Test of an insurance approach to the prevention of violence.** Paper presented at the Conference of the Aotearoa Community Development Association and the International Community Development Association, Auckland, 15-17 February, 2017.

Summary: This paper explains why ACC is funding Jade Speaks Up, a violence prevention programme targeted at 8 to 11 year olds and which over a 6 -week period teaches children how to keep themselves safe...[Read more](#)

McLachlan, A. (2014).

**Intergenerational transmission of gang involvement and incarceration: A review of clinical practice.** Powerpoint presentation at Hui Whakapiri 2014: Research aspiration, inspiration, innovation. Auckland, 9 - 10 July 2014.

Summary: Encouraging healing and validating historical trauma... [Read more](#)

Te Atawhai o Te Ao. (2016).

**Roadshow 2016: Māori intergenerational trauma and healing** [Powerpoint presentations]

Summary: Four presentations:

- Project overview
  - The Whenua, Historical Trauma and Health Outcomes Project
  - The Impact of Sexual Violence on Māori Project
  - The Health and Wellbeing of Māori Prisoners on Reintegration to the community project
- ... [Read more](#)

#### Journal articles

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Coppersmith, Daniel D.L., Nada-Raja, S., & Beautrais, A.L. (2017).

**Non-suicidal self-injury and suicide attempts in a New Zealand birth cohort.**

*Journal of Affective Disorders*, Advance online publication, 15 June 2017

Summary: Participants were part of the Dunedin Multidisciplinary Health and Development Study at age 26. Results provide support for a non-suicidal and suicidal self-injury dichotomy. Childhood sexual abuse was associated with both NSSI and suicidal behavior... [Read more](#)

Hepi, M., Foote, J., Finsterwalder, J., o-Hinerangi, M., Carswell, S., & Baker, E. (2017).

**An integrative transformative framework to improve engagement in a social service ecosystem: The case of He Waka Tapu.**

*Journal of Services Marketing*, In press

Summary: This study attempts to understand the engagement between an indigenous social service provider and marginalised clients deemed 'hard-to-reach' in order to gain an insight into how to improve the client's engagement and well-being through transformative value co-creation... [Read more](#)

Jülich, S.J., & Thorburn, N. (2017).

**Sexual violence and substantive equality: Can restorative justice deliver?**

*Journal of Human Rights and Social Work*, 2(1): 34-44

Summary: The effects of sexual crimes upon victims and the wider community are pervasive and far-reaching, yet conventional attempts to address offending and seek justice for victims have not succeeded... [Read more](#)

Kelly, P., Thompson, J.M.D., Koh, J., & Elder, H. (2017).

**Perinatal risk and protective factors for pediatric abusive head trauma: A multicenter case-control study.**

*Journal of Pediatrics*, 2017, In press

Summary: The aim of this study was to examine data routinely

available to perinatal healthcare providers, to identify factors associated with the occurrence of abusive head trauma, and to contribute to evidence that could inform targeted prevention programs... [Read more](#)

King, R. (2017).

**Digital domestic violence: Are victims of intimate partner cyber harassment sufficiently protected by New Zealand's current legislation?**

*Victoria University of Wellington Law Review*, 48(1): 29-54

*Summary:* The role of technology in intimate partner violence is becoming increasingly common. Intimate partner cyber harassment is a subset of "digital domestic violence... [Read more](#)

Maxwell, A. (2017).

**The Hague Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction 1980: The New Zealand courts' approach to the "grave risk" exception for victims of domestic violence.**

*Victoria University of Wellington Law Review*, 48(1): 81-106

*Summary:* This article explores the current approach by New Zealand courts to the "grave risk" exemption in cases of domestic violence. New Zealand courts, similarly to other jurisdictions, have adopted a narrow approach... [Read more](#)

## International

Australian Law Reform Commission. (2017).

**Elder abuse - a national legal response: Final report .**

Sydney, NSW: Australian Law Reform Commission.

*ALRC report*, 131

*Summary:* The ALRC was asked to consider Commonwealth (Australian) laws and legal frameworks and how they might better protect older persons from misuse or abuse, and safeguard their autonomy. The report includes 43 recommendations for law reform. The overall effect will be to safeguard older people from abuse... [Read more](#)

AWAVA. (2017).

**Sexual violence: Law reform and access to justice. Issues paper.** AWAVA.

*Summary:* This document builds on AWAVA's work on access to justice and deals mainly with sexual assaults involving adults (not children). The paper is structured as follows: first, the paper surveys background issues relating to sexual assault and the limitations of the criminal justice system, before identifying the reasons for limited reporting to formal authorities... [Read more](#)

Humphreys, C., & Campo, M. (2017).

**Fathers who use violence: Options for safe practice where there is ongoing contact with children.** Melbourne, Vic: Child Family Community Australia information exchange, Australian Institute of Family Studies.

*CFCA paper*, no.43, June 2017

*Summary:* This paper responds to a challenge that has continued to frustrate workers attempting to intervene to support women and children living with domestic and family violence (DFV). The challenge that arises when... [Read more](#)

## ANROWS project reports

Hegarty, K., Tarzia, L., Rees, S., Fooks, A., Forsdike, K., Woodlock, D., Simpson, L., McCormack, C., & Amanatidis, S. (2017).

**Women's Input into a Trauma-informed systems model of care in Health settings (the WITH Study): Final report.**



Sydney, NSW: ANROWS.

*ANROWS Horizons*

*Summary:* Survivors of sexual violence can experience a range of trauma-related mental health problems, and pre-existing mental illness can also increase women's vulnerability to sexual violence. However, although mental health and sexual violence services often see the same women, there is often a lack of communication and cross-referrals between services... [Read more](#)

Also from this project, *ANROWS Compass*

[Key findings and future directions](#)

Humphreys, C., & Healey, L. (2017).

**PATHways and Research In Collaborative Inter-Agency working: Collaborative work across the child protection and specialist domestic and family violence interface: The PATRICIA Project. Final report.** Sydney, NSW: ANROWS.

*ANROWS Horizons*

*Summary :* The PATRICIA Project is an action research project focused on the collaborative relationship between specialist community-based domestic and family violence (DFV) support services for women and their children, and statutory child protection (CP) organisations... [Read more](#)

Also from this project, *ANROWS Compass*

[Key findings and future directions](#)

Kaspiew, R. et al. (2017).

**Domestic and family violence and parenting: Mixed methods insights into impact and support needs : final report.** Sydney, NSW: ANROWS.

*ANROWS Horizons*

*Summary:* This program is an extensive mixed method project that examines the impact of inter-parental conflict (IPC) and domestic and family violence (DFV) on parenting and parent-child relationships. It makes a unique contribution by bringing together evidence on a diversity of Australian populations, life-course stages, and experiences of IPC and DFV... [Read more](#)

Also from this project, *ANROWS Compass*

[Key findings and future directions](#)

#### Journal articles

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Loxton, D., Dolia-Gore, X., Anderson, A.E., & Townsend, N. (2017).

**Intimate partner violence adversely impacts health over 16 years and across generations: A longitudinal cohort study.**

*PLOS One*, Published 5 June 2017 (Open access)

*Summary:* The objective of this study was to determine the impact of intimate partner violence on women's mental and physical health over a 16 year period and across three generations. Participants were from the Australian Longitudinal study on Women's Health...[Read more](#)

#### In the news

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[Child protection reform bill has second reading. Select Committee reports](#) - 5 Jul, 2017

The Social Services Select Committee has reported back on the second piece of...

[New handbook on primary prevention from Australia](#) - 5 Jul, 2017

Our Watch, a violence prevention organisation in Australia, has published a...

[Sexual violence service development update: "sexual violence" to "sexual harm"](#) - 5 Jul, 2017

The Ministry of Social Development's (MSD) latest update on sexual violence...

[New elder abuse services and helpline launched](#) - 5 Jul, 2017

The Minister for Seniors, Maggie Barry, has announced a new Elder Abuse...

[Appointment extended for Kim McGregor as Chief Victims Advisor](#) - 5 Jul, 2017

Justice Minister Amy Adams has announced that Dr Kim McGregor's appointment as...

[UN Special Rapporteur on violence against women discusses States' obligations](#) - 3 Jul, 2017

UN Special Rapporteur on violence against women, Dubravka Simonović, has...

[NZFVC Data Summaries 2017: Family violence reports reach record high](#) - 26 Jun, 2017

Police family violence investigations reached a record high in 2016, statistics...

[Whānau Ora symposiums](#) - 26 Jun, 2017

Whānau Ora commissioning agencies are hosting events to bring together service...

[Research on family violence services underway: Family and sexual violence work update](#) - 26 Jun, 2017

The latest update from the Government's Family and Sexual Violence Work...

[Winning songs from 2017 E T ü Whānau Competition](#)

- 21 Jun, 2017

The winning songs from the E T ü Whānau Song Competition 2017 have been...

[Police trial video recording victim statements](#) - 20 Jun, 2017

Police will trial using their phones to record statements from victims of...

[New data report released on family violence deaths](#) - 19 Jun, 2017

The Family Violence Death Review Committee has released a new report analysing...

[MSD Sexual Violence Service update - upcoming service tenders](#) - 15 Jun, 2017

The Ministry of Social Development (MSD) has released their monthly update on...

[Submissions open on bill to prevent forced marriage](#) - 15 Jun, 2017

The Marriage (Court Consent to Marriage of Minors) Amendment Bill has passed...



[Elder Abuse Awareness Week 15-22 June 2017 - Focus on violence by family members](#) - 13 Jun, 2017

Elder Abuse Awareness Week runs from the 15-22 June 2017, starting with World...

[Family violence frameworks and mandatory social worker registration launched at summit](#) - 8 Jun, 2017

At the Family Violence Summit held on 7 June 2017 in Wellington, Ministers...

[Backbone Collective: "overwhelmingly negative feedback" on the Family Court](#) - 7 Jun, 2017

The Backbone Collective have released their second report on the Family Court....

[Whānau Ora funding extended for three more years](#) - 7 Jun, 2017

Funding will be extended for three more years for the Whānau Ora Commissioning...

## Upcoming events

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**13 - 14 July 2017**

[He Oranga Ngākau - Māori approaches to trauma informed care](#) - Regional research hui

Auckland

**17 - 18 July 2017**

[Whiti Te Rā - a kaupapa Māori hui on transforming criminal justice in Aotearoa](#)

Rotorua

**24 - 28 July 2017**

[Duluth Workshops with Scott Miller](#)

Melbourne, Victoria

**31 July - 1 August 2017 \*NEW\***

[Pasifika Whānau Ora Conference](#)

Wellington

**31 July - 1 August 2017**

[Evidence for Equity: Multicultural Women's Reproductive and Sexual Health Conference](#)

Brisbane, Queensland

**3 August 2017**

[Pornography Impact Forum 2017](#)

Wellington

**17 August 2017**

[Growing Pasifika Solutions - GPS 2017 Satellite Seminars](#)

Christchurch

**4 - 5 September 2017**

[SSPA Conference 2017](#)

Wellington

**6 September 2017 \*NEW\***

[The Power of Talk - Talking Matters, Kōrerotia mai!](#)

2017 Summit

Auckland

**6 September 2017**

[Growing Pasifika Solutions - GPS 2017 Satellite Seminars](#)  
Wellington

**7 - 9 September 2017**

[Sexual Health Conference](#) Christchurch

**26 - 28 September 2017**

[Health and Domestic Violence Conference](#)  
San Francisco, California

**11 - 12 October 2017**

[WISE UP - Workers in Schools Educate and Unlock Potential Conference](#)  
Auckland

**18 - 20 October 2017**

[Child Inclusive Practice Forum](#)  
Adelaide, South Australia

**19 - 20 October 2017**

[Global Campaign for Violence Prevention](#)  
8th Milestones Meeting  
Ottawa, Canada  
Save the date - registration by invitation only

**26 - 27 October 2017**

[2nd Annual Technology Safety Summit](#)  
Melbourne, Victoria

**2 - 3 November 2017**

[Working With Parents' Anger; Taking the heat off the child](#) -  
Training workshop  
Cambridge

**6 - 7 November 2017**

[Working With Parents' Anger; Taking the heat off the child](#) -  
Training workshop  
Auckland

**6 - 9 December 2017 \*NEW\*** [A meeting place for interdisciplinary explorations of justice](#)

Law and Society Association of Australia and New Zealand  
Conference 2017  
Dunedin

**Call for abstracts closes 14 July 2017**

**2018**

**15 - 17 May 2018 \*NEW\***

[Violence against women: ANROWS research to policy and practice. National Research Conference](#)  
Sydney, New South Wales, Australia  
**Save the date**

**25 -27 July 2018 \*NEW\***

[15th Australian Institute of Family Studies conference](#)  
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia  
**Save the date**

**13 - 16 November 2018 \*NEW\***

[8th Biennial International Indigenous Research Conference](#)  
Auckland  
**Save the date**

