

ratonga taiohi pānui

what you need to know



new needs and activities

we've updated the needs and activities to make art recording simpler

We know you are doing a great job of supporting taiohi, but the data isn't currently a mirror of the work you are doing.

To make it easier, we launched a new set of needs and activities in ART back in April.

If you think there are any areas we've missed please email us.

Unchanged needs	
Need category	Need
Education/Training	Education
Engagement	Engagement
Budgeting	Budgeting
Parenting	Parenting
Employment	Full time / part time employment

Request a needs and activities report by emailing us national_youthservice@msd.govt.nz

New Needs	
Need category	Need
Wellbeing	Mental and/or Emotional wellbeing
	Physical health
	Spiritual health
Family and friends	Family reconciliation
	Connections with others
	Healthy relationships
Identity	Cultural identity
	Personal identify
	Sexual identify
Housing	Sustainable accommodation
Safety	Other safety
	Sexual harm support
	Family harm support
	Protection orders
Driver licence	Car
	Motorcycle
	Forklifts
	Other
Government agencies	Oranga Tamariki – Youth Justice
	Oranga Tamariki – Care and Protection
	Corrections
	Justice
	Ministry of Social Development
	Ministry of Education
Community/sport	Activities
	Volunteering
	Sports
Health	Dental
	Hapū
	Disability
	Vaping and smoking
	Misuse of drugs
	Dyslexia
Employment	Job search

Activities
Full-time Education
Full-time Training
Paid employment
Part-time Education
Part-time Employment
Part-time Training
Part-time work-based learning
Well Child/Tamariki Ora checks
Work-based learning
Primary Health Organisation
Parenting programme
Parenting conversations
Early Childhood Education
Budgeting programme
Budgeting conversations
Career planning
Youth Coach engagement
Community provider
Money Management
Job search
Education planning
House search
Public housing
Government agencies
Agent for young person
Driver licence
Medical exemption



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housing support products expanding 1 july

Housing Support Products (HSP) are tools we can use to help young people get and stay in a home. They can help prevent homelessness and the need for emergency and transitional housing.



Starting in **July** we're expanding HSPs to cover more housing situations. New learning materials and resources will be available in the next couple of weeks. Stay tuned!

[Click here for more information on current HSP](#)

Current HSPs available

housing support products (HSP) table



HSP	Income and asset tested	For existing public housing tenants	For public housing transfer tenants	For private accommodation tenants	Value up to	Recoverable
Bond grant Is a payment to help young person get into accommodation	✓	✓	✗	✓	4 weeks rent	✓
Rent In Advance Is a payment to cover rent in advance costs of getting into long term housing	✓	✓	✗	✓	2 weeks rent	✓
Rent Arrears Assistance Is a payment that covers a young person's overdue rent, so they don't lose their tenancy	✓	✓	✓	✓	4 weeks rent	✓
Moving assistance Helps cover cost of moving physical household items	✓	✓	✓	✓	\$1,500.00 in a 52-week period	✓
Tenancy Costs Cover Is Assurance given to landlords who let their property to an eligible person if that person owes the landlord for costs at the end of the tenancy above the bond.	✗	✓	✗	✓	4 weeks rent	✓
Transition to Alternative Housing Grant (TTAH) A one-off payment to incentivise people who can move out of public housing and into a private rental.	✗	✓	✗	✗	\$3,000.00	✗



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youth service satisfaction survey results

the percentage of young people satisfied with the service is up – well done for your hard mahi

the percentage of young people in Youth Service satisfied with the service they receive has exceeded the national standard – ka rawe!

Make sure you are having engaging conversations with taiohi. If a young person isn't attending an activity, like school, then you should be in contact with them more than once a week to support them to get back into it.

Positive comments from young people

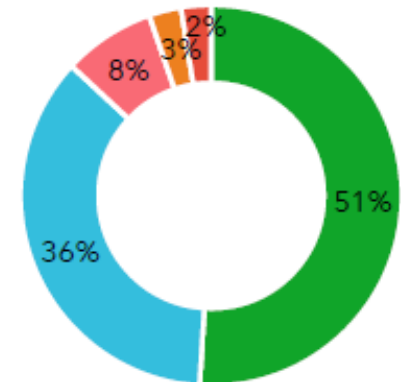
“My youth coach is amazing. They supported me through all my schoolwork and helped me get a part-time job at a cafe. They also give me ideas and helped me find ways to finish my schoolwork more easily and quickly.”

87%

of respondents were satisfied with the service they received in Youth Service

In general, how helpful was/is the support you got from your Youth Coach?

- Extremely helpful
- Very helpful
- Moderately helpful
- Slightly helpful
- Not helpful at all



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what's happening

men'shealthweek
TE WIKI HAUORA TĀNE

10-16 June 2024

Men's Health Week aims to help you get right on top of your biggest and most important asset – **your health**

Encourage men to start with the small steps that can enable them to turn their health issues around



[For more information click here](#)



join our feedback group

We're always looking at ways to improve the systems and processes we use to support our young people.

When we come up with an idea, we like to check with our talented youth coaches – ✨ like you ✨ – to make sure it is helpful and makes sense.

Interested? Have a chat with your team leader and get them to email

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If you have any awesome kaupapa happening or interested in joining our feedback group, send us an email

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upcoming drop-in sessions

drop-in to meet other youth coaches and learn about youth service



challenging situations Tuesday 11 June, 10am

As a youth coach, you will inevitably end up facing some difficult situations when supporting taiohi.

In this session we will cover some tips and tools that will help you handle these situations.

Join via [Teams](#)

spotlight on employment Tuesday 18 June, 10AM

Where education and training aren't a good fit, the next best option for taiohi is employment. To get taiohi work ready and in the right job, MSD offers a range of support. In this session, we will tell you about the different services available to help taiohi get into the job that's right for them.

Join via [Teams](#)

money management Tuesday 2 July, 10am

In this drop session we'll cover:

- the purpose of money Management
- setting up redirections
- using the payment card
- the suppliers list and adding new suppliers
- how to help taiohi come off Money Management.

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You can find the full drop-in session schedule on our provider site
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