

Ratonga Taiohi Pānui

what you need to
know



public transport discount for Community Service Card holders

Anyone with a Community Services Card can **apply now** for 50% off single-trip adult fares on public transport through the Community Connect concession. Young people need to apply through their local public transport provider. The discount can be used from **1 July**.

Please help us spread the word by encouraging young people to apply.

The [Work and Income website](#) has information and links to transport providers' websites.

Other Community Connect discounts

Other discounts will be made available as part of the Community Connect programme, but **may not be available straight away** in your region. These include:

- free fares for children aged 12 and under, and
- a 50% discount for anyone aged 13 to 24 and Total Mobility users.

Young people can check with their local transport provider for more information about when these will be available and how to apply.



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how we're tracking – mark the date, 30 June!

At the end of this month, the Youth Service team will re-run the 'how we're tracking' report for each provider.

Make sure your ART admin is up-to-date on, or by, 30 June.

Check out the **ART user guide Service Performance Measures** in the ART document library for the step-by-step guide.



If you have any questions on the 'How we're tracking' report, email national_youthservice@msd.govt.nz

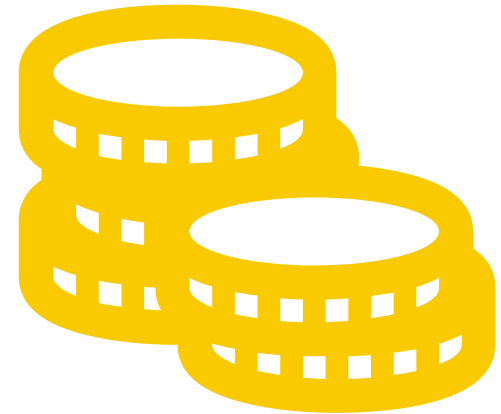
new sector capability funding for Māori and Pacific organisations

A Request for Proposal (RFP) is being called for new Sector Capability funding to:

- support the establishment and strengthening of Māori and Pacific peak bodies and collectives
- encourage participation in the Social Sector Commissioning work programme.

The RFP is open from **Wednesday 7 June** to **Friday 30 June**.

You can find more about it [here](#).



Induction for new youth coaches drop-in session

Next week, 7 June, our drop-in session is an induction for new youth coaches.

The purpose of the drop-in session is so all new staff:

- Understand how legislation and policy determines how Youth Service operates
- Identify the people and teams that help deliver Youth Service
- Know how to find information for youth coaches to help them in their roles

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

[drop-in sessions | Youth Service providers](#)



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