

## OTHER SERVICES

### RESOURCE AND INFORMATION CENTRE

Open from 10.00am to 3.00pm weekdays with a wide range of resources on mental health and disability. Videos, viewing and internet facilities are also available. Operated by a pool of volunteers, the Centre also supports people who have experience of mental illness with programmes to;

- Develop personal, work and peer supports skills
- Build self esteem assertiveness
- Identify and develop coping skills

### FAMILY/WHANAU SUPPORT

We can assist you in acknowledging and understanding mental illness in a family member or a friend with:

- Support
  - Advocacy
  - Education
  - Support groups
    - WAVES — A Bereaved by Suicide Group
    - WOMEN AND MENS PEER GROUPS
    - COPMIA RESILIENCY PROGRAM for children living in the presence of mental illness and or addictions.
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## SUPPORTING FAMILIES WAIRARAPA PATHWAYS TO WELLBEING

### *Nga Ara Oranga*

Promoting Wellbeing by:

- Providing information on mental health, addiction and disability
- Supporting people with disability into employment and further education
- Supporting families/whanau with mental health and addiction information and advocacy
- Reducing stigma around mental illness and disability through education and promotion

### SERVICE HOURS

Vocational Services: Monday to Wednesday

8.30am to 5.00pm

Family/Whanau Services :

Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5.00pm

Resource and Information Centre

Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm

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FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT US AT:

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**Supporting Families Wairarapa**  
*Awahi Whanau O Wairarapa*

*Pathways to wellbeing Nga Ara Oranga*



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# Vocational Services

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## YOUR RIGHTS

Your privacy and confidentiality will be respected at all times

You have the right to have access to all the information we gather and hold about you at any time.

### You Have The Right To:

- Respect (Mana)
- Fair Treatment (Manaakitanga)
- Dignity and Independence (Tū Rangatira Motuhake)
- Appropriate Standards (Tautikanga)
- Effective Communication (Whakawhitinga Whakaaro)
- Information (Whakamōhio)
- Choice and Consent (Whakaritenga Mōu Ake)
- Support (Tautoko)
- Rights During Teaching and Research (Ako me Te Rangahau)
- Have Your Complaints Taken Seriously (Amuamu)

## VOCATIONAL SERVICES

Supporting Families Wairarapa Vocational Services can help you to:

- Access employment
- Access further education and training
- Access community activities
- Transition for Ongoing Resourcing Scheme (ORS) funded students

### WHO CAN USE OUR SERVICE

Any person who has experienced disability and/or mental health and/or addiction issues. Self referrals are welcome.

### HOW WE CAN HELP

- By developing an individual plan based on your needs and goals and working with you to achieve your goals
- Developing or updating a curriculum vitae (CV)
- By supporting you into employment, voluntary work or social/sporting activities
- By supporting you to further education or training
- On site computer for you to work on your C.V., access employment sites and information, apply on line and upgrade your computer skills.

## HELP TO ACCESS THE FOLLOWING:

- Paid employment
- Voluntary Work
- Employment Workshops
- Further Education
- Training Programmes
- Careers Information
- Job Vacancies
- Community Service
- Worksites Via Internet
- Sports
- Social and Recreational Clubs

