



# Kāpiti Health Advisory Group

Update to Social Sustainability Sub Committee

Kapiti Coast District Council

9 May 2024

# Working Groups

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Access to Services

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Mental Health

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Public Health

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Children and Young People

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Transport

# Access to Services



“COMPELLING CASE” WELL UNDER WAY.  
FURTHER DATA BEING SOUGHT FROM TU  
ORA COMPASS FOR EVIDENCE BASE.



MEETING WITH RELEVANT HEALTH NZ  
STAFF RE SERVICES AT KHC



SUPPORTING WORK TO BUILD  
CONFIDENCE IN TELEHEALTH AND  
DIGITAL HEALTH SYSTEMS

# Mental Health

Working on analysis  
of data through Stats  
NZ to gain picture of  
mental health in  
Kapiti

Meeting Tu Ora  
Compass re KCHN  
and KYS

Need to consider how  
to include ethnicity  
data in analysis

# Public Health



SEVERAL PUBLIC HEALTH EXPERTS NOW WORKING WITH GROUP AND HAVE IDENTIFIED A NUMBER OF AREAS WHERE THEY COULD USEFULLY CONTRIBUTE



TO RECOMMEND MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES ARE USED TO ENCOURAGE PARENTS TO VACCINATE AGAINST MEASLES

# Children and Young People



WORKING TO IDENTIFY ISSUES IN OUR  
AREA



HAVE SENT BRIEF QUESTIONNAIRE TO KEY  
ORGANISATIONS AND WILL FOLLOW UP

# Transport

Recognised difficulties when KHAG first established

Number of successes including :

- Establishment of link between Porirua Station and Kenepuru Hospital
- CCDHB support for ASK wheelchair friendly shuttle
- Publication of information brochures and posters
- Toilets at Waikanae Station
- Kapiti patients have morning appointments at Wellington Outpatients
- Encouraged co-operation between various providers

# Transport : Current Activity



SUPPORT FOR MORE VOLUNTEERS FOR  
KAPITI CARERS AND ASK



INVESTIGATE POSSIBILITY OF DAILY  
BUS SERVICE TO WELLINGTON  
HOSPITAL



INVESTIGATE POSSIBILITY OF LINKING  
TO REGULAR SHUTTLE FROM  
KENEPURU TO WELLINGTON HOSPITAL



# Needs Assessment



Meeting with Tu Ora Compass who have provided information on health status and primary care in Kapiti



Seeking additional information from Health NZ

# Communication



WEBSITE AND HEALTH DIRECTORY  
MAINTAINED AND UPDATED



TWO MONTHLY (APPROX) NEWSLETTER  
PRODUCED AND DISTRIBUTED

# Budget 2024/25



Expense	Cost
Maintenance of website, directory and email production of Newsletter (11 x monthly editions)	\$3,000
Hard copy of Newsletter for distribution	\$1,100
Publicity costs (advertising to support editorial in Kapiti News) 6 x 2 monthly	\$900
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>

# Budget Assumptions

KCDC provides secretarial support to monthly meetings

Host meetings in the Council Chambers

Specific tasks requested by Council funded by the Council to the extent agreed

Fundraising for non KCDC purposes