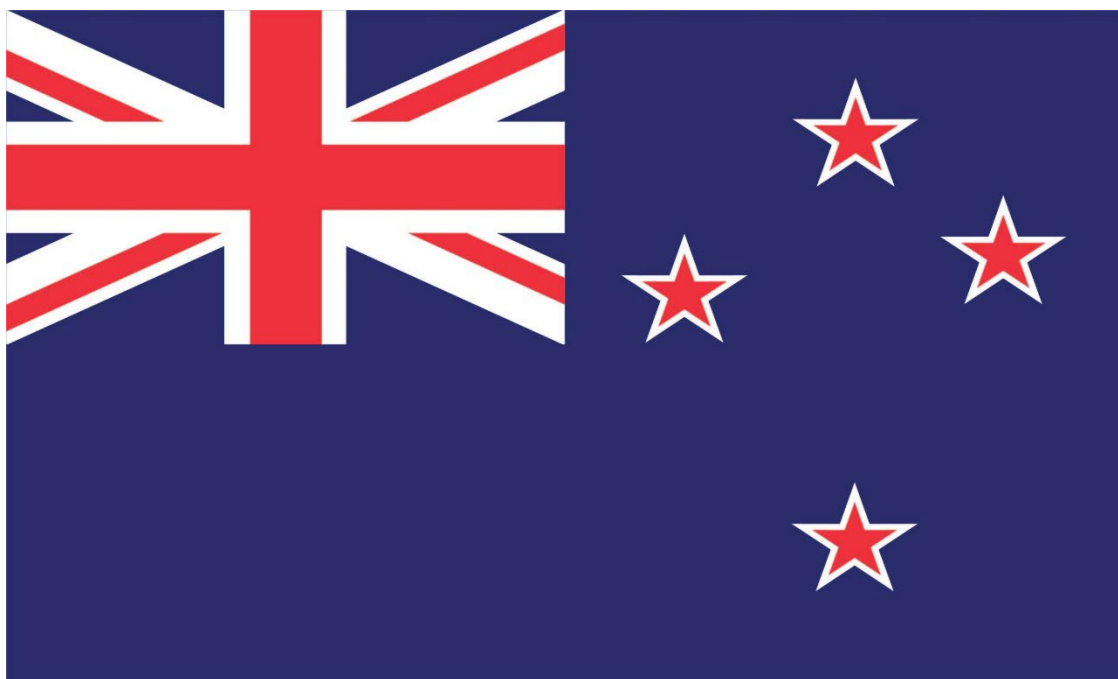




New Zealand Disability Resources



ALS/Motor Neurone Disease

Motor Neurone Disease Association of New Zealand

<https://mnd.org.nz/>

PO Box 24036, Royal Oak,

Auckland 1345

14 Erson Ave Royal Oak,

Auckland 1061

Phone: (0800) 444 474

The Motor Neurone Disease Association of New Zealand's mission is to provide New Zealanders living with neuromuscular conditions with personal support and information and to advocate, influence and promote equality of opportunity.

Brain Injury

Brain Injury Association of New Zealand

<http://www.brain-injury.org.nz/>

Phone: 09 414 5693

Brain Injury New Zealand (BIANZ) represents the regional Brain Injury Associations around New Zealand. These regional associations provide education, advocacy, support and information to any person with a brain injury and their families and/or caregivers. The national office provides support for the regional associations, national level advocacy, and political review

Friedreich's Ataxia

International Network of Ataxia Friends: Australia and New Zealand Groups

<http://www.internaf.org/groups/ozgroups.html>

Guillain-Barre Syndrome

Guillain-Barre Syndrome Support Group of NZ

<http://www.gbsnz.org.nz/>

Email: tonypearson@xtra.co.nz

The Guillain-Barre Syndrome Support Group of NZ's provides info and support.

Multiple Sclerosis

Multiple Sclerosis Society of New Zealand

<http://www.msnz.org.nz/>

314 Worcester Street,
Linwood, Christchurch, New Zealand
PO Box 32124,

Christchurch 8147, New Zealand
Helpline: 0800 MS LINE or 0800 675 463

Phone: 64 3 366 2581

Email: info@msnz.org.nz

MSSNZ is a non-profit organization formed to provide on-going support, education and advocacy for people with MS and their support networks. They also aim to educate the general public, employers and health professionals about MS and actively funds key research into the condition.

Muscular Dystrophy

Muscular Dystrophy Association of New Zealand

<http://www.mda.org.nz/>

PO Box 12063, Penrose
Auckland, 1642
419A Church Street East, Penrose
Auckland
Telephone: 0800 800 337 or (09) 815 0247
Email: info@mda.org.nz

The Muscular Dystrophy Association of New Zealand's mission is to provide New Zealanders living with neuromuscular conditions personal support and information, and to advocate, influence and promote equality of opportunity.

Spinal Cord Injuries

Australian & New Zealand Spinal Cord Society

<https://anzscos.org/>

The Spinal Cord Society NZ Inc. (SCSNZ) is a non-profit organization working towards effective treatment for spinal cord injury (SCI).

New Zealand Spinal Trust

<https://nzspinaltrust.org.nz/>

Portacom B, Burwood Hospital, Burwood
Christchurch 8083, New Zealand
Phone: +64 3 383 6881
Email: info@nzspinaltrust.org.nz

The New Zealand Spinal Trust's mission is to improve rehabilitation and independent living. The New Zealand Spinal Trust is a registered charity (CC43195) providing information, education, research, advocacy and support for people who have spinal cord impairment (SCI), so that they may enjoy independence.

CatWalk

<http://www.catwalk.org.nz>

PO Box 555
Masterton 5840
New Zealand
Phone: +64 6 377 5430
Email: info@catwalk.org.nz

The Catwalk spinal cord injury (SCI) trust is dedicated to raising funds to support the body of scientific opinion which says a cure for spinal cord injury will be found.

Stroke

Stroke Foundation of New Zealand

<http://www.stroke.org.nz/>

P O Box 12482

Level 1, Thorndon Rise Building
95-99 Molesworth Street
WELLINGTON
Tel: 04 472 8099
Tel: 0800 STROKE (0800 78 76 53)
E-mail: strokenz@stroke.org.nz

The Stroke Foundation of New Zealand's mission is to save lives, improve outcomes, and enhance life after stroke. The Stroke Foundation is the only organization in New Zealand dedicated to reducing the incidence of stroke, improving treatment outcomes, and supporting those affected by stroke.

General Disability

Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC)

<http://www.acc.co.nz/about-acc/>

Phone: 0800 101 996

Email: claims@acc.co.nz

The Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC) administers New Zealand's accident compensation scheme, which provides personal injury cover for all New Zealand citizens, residents and temporary visitors to New Zealand. In return people do not have the right to sue for personal injury, other than for exemplary damages.

Achieve

<http://www.achieve.org.nz/>

Otago University

P.O. Box 56

Dunedin New Zealand

Email: info@achieve.org.nz

Achieve is a national network established to ensure equal opportunity and access to post-secondary education and training for people with impairments.

Association of Supported Employment (ASENZ)

<https://nzdsn.org.nz/>

Contact: Sue Eastwood (NZDSN)

P O Box 2653 Wellington 6140

Level 7/86-90 Lambton Quay. Wellington 6011

Tel: 04 473 4678

Mobile: 021 721 016

E-mail: admin@nzdsn.org.nz

ASENZ's mission is to provide a high-profile forum for the promotion, establishment and development of Supported Employment Services for people with disabilities in New Zealand, through information, networking, research and policy advocacy. This will be achieved with the collective strength and support from NZDSN

Burwood Academy of Independent Living

<http://www.burwood.org.nz/>

Contact: Dr. Debbie Snell

Academic Director - Burwood Academy Trust

Phone: 03 383 6871

Mobile: 027 309 2970

Email: Dr. Debbie Snell

The Burwood Academy of Independent Living is a dynamic organization committed to improving the life experience of people recovering from serious injury and illness.

Carers New Zealand

<http://www.carers.net.nz/>

PO Box 47-385

Ponsonby

Auckland, 1144 New Zealand

Phone: 0800 777 797

Email: info@carers.net.nz

Carers NZ is now a national registered charity which provides information, advice, learning and support for families with health and disability needs.

Disabled Persons Assembly New Zealand

<http://www.dpa.org.nz/>

Level 4

173-175 Victoria Street

Wellington 6011

PO Box 27-524

Marion Square

Wellington 6141 New Zealand

Phone: 04 801 9100

Email: gen@dpa.org.nz

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/dpa.nz.7>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/DPANAT>

DPA's core function is to help engage the New Zealand disability community to listen to the views of disabled people and articulate these as they work with decision-makers.

New Zealand Health and Disability Commissioner

<http://www.hdc.org.nz>

PO Box 1791

Auckland 1140, New Zealand

Level 10, Tower Centre,

45 Queen St.

Auckland 1010, New Zealand

Phone: 09 373 1060

National Free Phone: 0800 11 22 33

E-mail: hdc@hdc.org.nz

New Zealand Health and Disability Commissioner's mission is to independently uphold consumer rights by promotion and protection, resolving complaints, service monitoring and advocacy, and education

New Zealand Federation of Vocational and Support Services

<https://conversation.education.govt.nz/conversations/reform-of-vocational-education/>

PO Box 6886

Marion Square

Wellington 6141 New Zealand

Level 3

148 Cuba Street

Wellington

Tel: 04 384 2000

Email: comms@nzvass.org.nz

VASS is a federation of 70 community organizations that support disabled people by helping them identify and fulfil their personal goals and aspirations, find work and participate in their communities.

New Zealand Government Reports on Disability Statistics

<https://www.stats.govt.nz/topics/disability/>

Statistics House

8 Willis Street

PO Box 2922

Wellington 6011

Phone: 0508 525 525 from New Zealand (toll-free)

Email: info@stats.govt.nz

Disability statistics give you information about the number of disabled children and adults living in New Zealand

New Zealand Office for Disability Issues

<https://www.odi.govt.nz/>

Ministry of Social Development

Bowen State Building

Bowen Street

Wellington, New Zealand

Office for Disability Issues

PO Box 1556

Wellington, New Zealand

Email: odi@msd.govt.nz

The Office for Disability Issues is a strategic and whole-of-government focused policy group, located within the Ministry of Social Development. They were established in July 2002 to provide dedicated policy support to the Minister for Disability Issues and to be the focal point in government on disability issues.

Report on New Zealand Disability Strategy: <https://www.odi.govt.nz/nz-disability-strategy/>

Next Step Fitness New Zealand

<https://www.nextstepfitness.org/about-nextstep-new-zealand>

14B Hocking St.

Mount Maunganui, 3116

Tel.: +64 7-572-0771

Email: info@nextstepnz.com

A community-based paralysis recovery and fitness center which offers FES and NMES services.

Parent to Parent

<http://www.parent2parent.org.nz/>

Level 3, 420 Anglesea Street

PO Box 234

Hamilton, New Zealand 3240

Toll free: 0508 236 236

International: +64 7 853 8491

Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/parent2parentnz>

Parent to Parent's mission is empowering families and whanau of people with disabilities and health impairments through support and information.

Delta Community Support Trust

<http://www.deltatrust.org.nz/>

101 N. Avon Rd.

Richmond, Christchurch 8148

Delta Community Support Trust is a grassroots community development and social support organization. They provide services for older adults, and to people experiencing disability and/or facing hardship or other disadvantages.

Workbridge

<http://www.workbridge.co.nz/>

Level 4, EMC2

5-7 Willeston Street

Wellington

Phone: 0508 858 858

Workbridge is a professional employment service for people with all types of disability, including people who have lived with the long-term effects of injury and illness.

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