

# **IPLit Update**

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### **Events**

**23-29 April 2007 UN Global Road Safety Week Theme: Young Road Users**  
[www.who.int/roadsafety/projects/week/en/index.html](http://www.who.int/roadsafety/projects/week/en/index.html)

## Publications

**IPLit Update** Includes books, reports, articles, journals and newsletters received or accessed this month. Active links to documents freely available on the web are provided, however web addresses can change. If the link does not work, try going to the homepage, shown at the beginning of the address and look for a publications or resources page, or contact me. DOIs are provided where available. These are permanent links to journal articles but unless the publisher provides free access to articles, you may only be able to reach the abstract via this link.

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## Reference

6639

Ministerial Committee on Drug Policy.

**National drug policy 2007 - 2012** [Strategy] Wellington: Ministry of Health, March 2007, 46pp. 978-0-478-30751-1

New Zealand's second National Drug Policy covering tobacco, alcohol, illicit and other drugs. The National Drug Policy aims to reduce the effects of harmful substance use through a balance of measures that:

control or limit the availability of drugs (supply control)  
limit the use of drugs by individuals, including abstinence (demand reduction)  
reduce harm from existing drug use (problem limitation).

Location: Books and Reports - Drugs

Online at: <http://www.ndp.govt.nz/publications/nationaldrugpolicy2007-2012.pdf>

Website: <http://www.ndp.govt.nz/publications/nationaldrugpolicy2007-2012.htm>

## Alcohol / Drugs

6009 [Newsletter]

**NIDA Notes**, Bethesda, Md. National Institute on Drug Abuse

Latest issue: **February 2007, 21(2), 16pp.**

Research news and trends from the U.S. National Institute on Drug Abuse

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.drugabuse.gov/PDF/nidanotes/NNvol21N2.pdf>

Website: [http://www.drugabuse.gov/NIDA\\_Notes/NNIndex.html](http://www.drugabuse.gov/NIDA_Notes/NNIndex.html)

6673

Nutt, D., King, L.A., Saulsbury, W., Blakemore, C.

**Development of a rational scale to assess the harm of drugs of potential misuse** [Article]

**Lancet**, 2007, 369: 1047-53

This paper offers a framework for assessing the relative harm of a range of illicit and legal drugs, including alcohol and tobacco.

Location: E-journals

DOI: [http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736\(07\)60464-4](http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736(07)60464-4)

6641

Anderton, J.

**EACD advice on classification of benzylpiperazine (BZP) and related substances [further consultation]** [Letter]

Wellington: Expert Advisory Committee on Drugs, January 2006, 1pp.

Letter seeking further consultation on reclassification of BZP, following further advice from the Expert Advisory Committee on Drugs, December 2006 (see 6640). Submissions closed 23 February 2007.

Location: Books and Reports - Drugs

Online at: <http://www.ndp.govt.nz/legalpartypills/documents/bzp-consultation-letter.pdf>

6624

McClellan, V.

**Evaluation of High on Life: a secondary school-based alcohol and other drug intervention initiative**

[Report] Wellington: Alcohol Advisory Council, June 2006, 77pp. 1-877373-16-8

This initiative was trialled in Wanganui during 2003 and 2004 and later adapted and implemented in Taranaki region. There is evidence that this initiative dramatically reduced drug-related suspension rates in participating schools.

Location: Books and Reports - Schools

Online at: <http://www.alac.org.nz/DBTextworks/PDF/HighOnLife-AL534.pdf>

6640

Expert Advisory Committee on Drugs.

**Further EACD advice on benzylpiperazine (BZP) and related substances** [Letter]

Wellington: Expert Advisory Committee on Drugs, 4 December 2006, 6pp.

EACD recommends reclassification of BZP as a C1 drug. See also the Associate Minister of Health's (Jim Anderton) response seeking further consultation with stakeholders before a final decision is made (6641)

Location: Books and Reports - Drugs

Online at: <http://www.ndp.govt.nz/legalpartypills/documents/eacd-advice-bzp-4dec2006.pdf>

6627

Slack, A., Chandler, N., Nana, G., Jameson, B.

**Interventions by specialised AOD clinicians in justice settings: a review of the literature** [Literature review]

Wellington: Alcohol Advisory Council, October 2006, 50pp. 0-478-11642-X

Location: Books and Reports - Alcohol

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Website: <http://www.ndp.govt.nz/publications/nationaldrugpolicy2007-2012.htm>

6675

**New Zealand Police alcohol action plan** [Report] Wellington, New Zealand: New Zealand Police, March 2006.

Location: Books and Reports - Alcohol

6626

Kirkwood, L.

**Review of workplace-based alcohol and other drug early intervention** [Report] Wellington: Alcohol Advisory Council, December 2005, 55pp. 0-478-11642-X

International literature was reviewed and stakeholders were interviewed to ascertain the available resources in New Zealand for workplace based interventions.

Location: Books and Reports - Alcohol

6625

Lyne, M.

**Sale of Liquor Act 1989 intoxication monitoring and enforcement guidelines** [Guidelines] Wellington: Alcohol Advisory Council, July 2006, 24pp. 0-478-11635-7

Enforcement guidelines for dealing with intoxicated persons under the Sale of Liquor Act 1989.

Location: Books and Reports - Alcohol

## Children

662 [Newsletter]

**Wanganui Child Injury Prevention Project: CIPP Newsletter**, Wanganui: Public Health Centre, Good Health Wanganui,

Latest issue: **no.37, March 2007, 4pp.**

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Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

6538 [Newsletter]

**Swim for Life**, Wellington: Water Safety New Zealand,

Latest issue: **March 2007, 1.5**

E-newsletter of Water Safety New Zealand. Published irregularly, available in electronic format.

Online at: [http://www.swimforlife.org.nz/SFLnews/SFL\\_News\\_1.5.htm](http://www.swimforlife.org.nz/SFLnews/SFL_News_1.5.htm)

Website: <http://www.watersafety.org.nz/news/waterwise.asp>

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**Child safety good practice guide** [Guidelines]

EuroSafe,

This electronic resource provides links to good practice guides in a number of injury prevention areas relevant to children. Although they are designed for a European Union audience, the guides provide references to research and case studies which should be relevant to all working in this area. There is a brief description of this resource in Injury Issues Monitor, no.38, p.18

Website: <http://www.eurosafe.eu.com/csi/eurosafe2006.nsf/www/VwContent/I4goodpracticeguide.htm>

6658

Simpson, J.C., Turnbull, B.L., Stephenson, S.C.R., Davie, G.S.

**Correct and incorrect use of child restraints: Results from an urban survey in New Zealand** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 260-63

This paper reports on the rates and error type in child restraint use among drivers transporting children aged

0 - 8 years in the greater Wellington region and examines factors which may influence the misuse of child restraints.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600678219>

6601

Gittelman, M.A., Pomerantz, W.J., Laurence, S.

**An emergency department intervention to increase booster seat use for lower socioeconomic families** [Article]

*Academic Emergency Medicine*, April 2006, 13(4): 396-400

US study which compared the effectiveness of no intervention, brief education, and brief education with free booster seat with installation by obtaining self-reported booster seat use one month after intervention. Provision of a free and installed booster seat appeared to be the only effective intervention.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1197/j.aem.2005.11.002>

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Scott, D., Barker, R., Hockey, R.

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Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/monitor/monitor38.pdf>

6644

DeVoe, J.F., Peter, K., Noonan, M., Snyder, T.D., Baum, K.

**Indicators of school crime and safety: 2005** [Report] Washington, D.C. National Center for Education Statistics Bureau of Justice Statistics, November 2005, 206pp.

The eighth in a series of annual reports produced by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) in the U.S. Department of Education and the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) in the U.S. Department of Justice that present the most recent data available on school crime and student safety in the United States.

Online at: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubs2006/2006001.pdf>

6608

**Road accident involvement of children from ethnic minorities** [Report] London: Department for Transport, August 2002, 210pp. Road Safety Research Report, no.19

This report reviews the UK and international literatures on the accident involvement of ethnic minority children relative to their majority culture peers. The review shows that, in almost all countries where data are available, children of ethnic minority background do suffer substantially increased risk of pedestrian injury relative to the norms for the country as a whole. The trend is international and applies to countries as diverse as the United States, Sweden, Israel, Singapore and New Zealand. In the UK, children of Asian ethnic origin appear to be disproportionately vulnerable. The definition of ethnic minorities is discussed and research relating to Maori and Pacific children in New Zealand is included.

Website: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/pgr/roadsafety/research/rsrr/theme1/roadaccidentinvolvementofchi4740>

6598

**Safe haven? A national survey of parents' home safety perceptions & actions** [Report] Washington, D.C. Home Safety Council, 2006,

Key findings from a national telephone survey conducted by the US-based Home Safety Council to assess parents' attitudes, perceptions and home safety actions. The findings are compared with the leading causes of home injury identified in The State of home safety in America which was published in 2004.

Location: Books and Reports - Children

Online at: [http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state\\_of\\_home\\_safety/sohs\\_haven\\_p001.pdf](http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state_of_home_safety/sohs_haven_p001.pdf)

6657

Moran, K., Stanley, T.

**Toddler drowning prevention: Teaching parents about water safety in conjunction with their child's in-water lessons** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 254-256

This New Zealand study evaluates a parent education programme conducted at the poolside while toddlers were involved in learn to swim classes. The aim of the programme was to improve parental knowledge of toddler water safety and address misconceptions of toddler water safety.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600678201>

## Disabilities

6596

**Work in progress 2006: The annual report from the Minister for Disability Issues to the House of Representatives on implementing the New Zealand Disability Strategy** [Annual report]

Wellington: Office for Disability Issues, Ministry of Social Development, December 2006, 1177-3049

Online at: <http://www.odi.govt.nz/documents/nzds/progress-reports/nzds-sixth-progress-report-2005-2006.pdf>

Website: <http://www.odi.govt.nz/nzds/progress-reports/july05-june06.html>

## Falls

6669

Brown, P., Willingale, J., Abdu-Aguye, S.

**Cost effectiveness of providing hip protectors to residential homes in New Zealand** [Report]

Auckland: Auckland Uniservices Ltd Centre for Health Services Research and Policy, University of Auckland, October 2006, 40pp.

Report prepared for the Accident Compensation Corporation.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external\\_ip/documents/internet/wim2\\_065107.pdf](http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external_ip/documents/internet/wim2_065107.pdf)

6662

Wijlhuizen, G.J., du Bois, P., van Dommelen, P., Hopman-Rock, M.

**Effect evaluation of a multifactor community intervention to reduce falls among older persons** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 25 - 33

An evaluation of this community intervention programme in The Netherlands found no significant reduction in falls among the participants.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600935189>

6603

Kreisfeld, R., Newson, R.

**Hip fracture injuries** [Report] Canberra: Department of Health and Ageing, November 2006, 24pp. NISU Briefing, no.8

This report examines hip fractures leading to hospitalisations and deaths in Australia during the year 2002-03. A summary of the findings is published in Injury Issues Monitor, no. 38, 1-2

Online at:

<http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat93.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat93.php>

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Kerse, N., Peri, K., Fitch, J.

**Hip protector compliance study: final report** [Report] Auckland: Auckland Uniservices Ltd, June 2006, 63pp.

Report prepared for the Accident Compensation Corporation.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external\\_ip/documents/internet/wim2\\_065106.pdf](http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external_ip/documents/internet/wim2_065106.pdf)

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Yardley, L., Donovan-Hall, M., Francis, K., Todd, C.

**Older people's views of advice about falls prevention: a qualitative study** [Article]

*Health Education Research*, August 2006, 21(4)

This UK-based study aimed to gain an understanding of older people's perceptions of falls prevention advice, and how best to design communications that will encourage older people to take action to prevent falls. Focus groups and interviews were carried out with sixty six people aged between 61 and 94.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/her/cyh077>

## Family Violence

5849 [Newsletter]

**New Zealand Family Violence Clearinghouse Newsletter**, Christchurch: New Zealand Family Violence Clearinghouse, 8pp. 1177 147X

Latest issue: **March 2007, 3(1)**

In this issue: Evaluating the Waitakere Family Violence Court

New Initiative for the NZFVC Information Collection

Ngati Kahungunu Violence-Free Strategy

Local Domestic Violence Statistics (Hawke's Bay)

Current Family Violence Initiatives

A Review of: Family Violence and the Pro-Arrest Policy: A Literature Review

Publications Recently Added to the Clearinghouse Library

Useful Websites: Office for Women (Australia), and National Clearinghouse on Family Violence (Canada)

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.nzfvc.org.nz/PublicationDetails.aspx?publication=13744>

## Home

6674

Krahn, D., Barker R., Pandie, Z., Hockey, R., Spinks, D., Pitt, R.

**Envenomation** [Article]

*Injury Bulletin (QISU)* March 2007, no.95: 1-6

Analysis by QISU of injuries caused spiders, snakes, bees and wasps, ticks, jellyfish and other dangerous creatures.

Location: Journals

Online at: [http://www.qisu.org.au/module\\_newsletter/files/Issue095.pdf](http://www.qisu.org.au/module_newsletter/files/Issue095.pdf)

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**Safe haven? for older adults. Examining the home safety practices and perceptions of those caring for an older adult** [Report] Washington, D.C. Home Safety Council, 2006,

Results of a survey conducted for the US-based Home Safety Council. See also The state of home safety in America, 2004.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state\\_of\\_home\\_safety/sohs\\_haven\\_p002.pdf](http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state_of_home_safety/sohs_haven_p002.pdf)

## Injury Prevention

596 [Journal]

*Injury Issues Monitor*, Bedford Park, SA: Research Centre for Injury Studies, Flinders University of South Australia, 1039-4885

Latest issue: **January 2007, no.38, 24pp.**

Occasional publication. Significant articles are indexed.

In this issue: Hip fracture injuries; Falls from playground equipment; Spinal cord injuries 2004-05; Burns and scalds; [Australian] injury hospitalisations, 2003-04; [Australian] injury deaths 2003-04; Deaths at work; Hospitalised injury Australia's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people; 8th Australian Injury Prevention Conference report; Harrison's story: the use of emergency department injury surveillance data to effect change in the community; Child safety good practice guide; Aboriginal people travelling better? the 3rd indigenous road safety forum.

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no going back: driveways; Safe2go; Profile: Margaret Tunbridge  
Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

5960 [Newsletter]

***New Zealand Injury Control Bulletin***, Auckland: Injury Prevention Research Centre, University of Auckland, 1172 8159

Latest issue: ***March 2007, no.37***

In this issue: Chris Cairns promotes rail safety; Work begins on injury prevention online database; Foundation Certificate Course 2007; New opportunity to gain the Foundation Certificate in Injury Prevention - Te Aho Tapu through extramural study; Injury prevention research resources now just a click away; IPNANZ membership directory search; Safe2Go carseat program a nation-wide success; International suicide prevention experts come together for national symposium; Whanau nui swim lessons take off in Manukau; Changes at IPRC; Survey to evaluation New Zealand's safety culture; Council battles to lower school speeding limits; Six winners wanted for road safety awards; New standard to reduce child drownings; Largest ever trial of problem solving therapy in attempted suicide being done in New Zealand; NICB farewells editor Helen Bourne

Published three times per year covering a range of injury prevention issues and initiatives in New Zealand

Location: NZICB Folder

Online at: <http://www.health.auckland.ac.nz/ipc/pdf/icb37.pdf>

Website: <http://www.health.auckland.ac.nz/ipc>

6089 [Newsletter]

***icphso update***, Germantown, MD: International Consumer Product Health and Safety Organization,

Latest issue: ***January - February 2007 issue 1, 9pp.***

Newsletter of US based ICPHSO, published three times per year. ICPHSO, founded in 1993, is an organization dedicated to addressing health and safety issues related to consumer products marketed globally. North American focused but with some international content.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.icphso.org/newsletters/2007Jan-feb.pdf>

Website: <http://www.icphso.org/newsletter.html>

6650 [Newsletter]

***George Research: Newsletter of the George Institute for International Health***, Sydney: The George Institute for International Health, University of Sydney, 1833-3656

Latest issue: ***Issue 5, March 2007, 8pp.***

Research at the George Institute, based in Sydney, Australia, focuses on the causes and effects of chronic disease and injury, in collaboration with researchers across 30 countries.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: [http://www.thegeorgeinstitute.org/shadomx/apps/fms/fmsdownload.cfm?file\\_uuid=29CE6701-04A9-192C-70F6-083090122D6F&siteName=i ih](http://www.thegeorgeinstitute.org/shadomx/apps/fms/fmsdownload.cfm?file_uuid=29CE6701-04A9-192C-70F6-083090122D6F&siteName=i ih)

Website: <http://www.thegeorgeinstitute.org/i ih/media-and-publications/publications/newsletters.cfm>

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Passmore, J.W., Ozanne-Smith, J., Meddings, D.R., Duan, L.L.

**Capacity building for injury prevention in China pilot evaluation of World Health Organization's TEACH-VIP curriculum** [Article]

***International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion***, March 2007, 14(1): 57 - 59

Location: E-journals

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6616

Harrison, J.

**Smiles all round at the 8th Australian Injury Prevention conference: Conference report** [Article]

*Injury Issues Monitor*, January 2007, 38: 13-15, 23-24

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/monitor/monitor38.pdf>

6663

Nilsen, P., Bourne, M., Coggan, C.

**Using local injury surveillance for community-based injury prevention: an analysis of Scandinavian WHO Safe Community and Canadian Safe Community Foundation programmes** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 35 - 43

This study examined the extent to which local injury data were collected, documented, analysed, linked to injury prevention action and used for evaluation among WHO Safe Communities in Scandinavia (25 programmes) and the Canadian Safe Community Foundation (SCF) network (16 programmes).

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600864447>

6665

Mitchell, R., Haddrill, K.

**WHO Safe Communities - should we expand the definition of a 'community'?** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 60 - 63

This paper describes the application of the WHO Safe Communities model to communities (other than geographically based ones) to identify and progress water safety initiative in New South Wales. This follows the authors' identification of rock fishers, Chinese-speaking residents and tourists, and residents of rural and remote areas as being the "communities" most at risk of drowning in NSW.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600775585>

## Injury Surveillance

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*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 57 - 59

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DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600980599>

6656

Molcho, M., Harel, Y., Pickett, W., Scheidt, P.C., Mazur, J., Owerpeck, M.D., Violence and Injury Writing Group.

**The epidemiology of non-fatal injuries among 11-, 13- and 15-year old youth in 11 countries: findings from the 1998 WHO-HBSC cross national survey** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, September 2006, 13(4): 205-211

A cross-country comparison of injury rates, contexts and consequences based on surveys conducted in 11 countries, mostly in Europe, but including Israel, Canada and the United States.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600864421>

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**Estimating the number of work-related traumatic injury fatalities in Australia 2003-04** [Report]

Australian Safety and Compensation Council, August 2006, 46pp. 0 642 32641 X

This report presents the results of a study undertaken by the Australian Safety and Compensation Council (ASCC) to develop an estimate of the number of work-related fatalities that occurred in Australia during 2003–04. The scope of the project comprises all work-related traumatic fatalities. That is, all persons fatally injured as a result of their own or others' work activity or work factors. More specifically this includes all employees, self-employed workers/contractors, bystanders, volunteer workers, fatalities that occurred at a private residence where work activity was involved, fatal work-related traffic accidents, commuting/journey claims, compensated and non-compensated cases, and work-related criminal activity such as homicides. A brief summary of this report is published in Injury Issues Monitor, no.38, p.11.

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: [http://www.ascc.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/96BF3DDD-0979-49BC-84C470541F968E1E/0/FatalitiesEstimateReport2003\\_04.pdf](http://www.ascc.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/96BF3DDD-0979-49BC-84C470541F968E1E/0/FatalitiesEstimateReport2003_04.pdf)

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Berry, J., Harrison, J.E.

**Hospital separations due to injury and poisoning, Australia 2003-04** [Report] Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, January 2007, 152 pp. 978 1 74024 644 6 Injury research and statistics series no.30

Falls, transport-related injury, intentional self-harm and assault are common causes of hospitalised injury in the Australian community. Injuries due to these and other causes are described, in terms of case numbers and rates, by age and sex, remoteness of usual residence, length of stay in hospital, external causes of injury, and other characteristics. For a brief overview of this report see Injury Issues Monitor, no.38, p.6-7

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2007/injcat88.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2007/injcat88.php>

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Helps, Y.L.M., Harrison, J.E.

**Hospitalised injury of Australia's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, 200-02** [Report]

Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, November 2006, 103pp. 978 1 74024 631 6

Injury Technical Paper series, no.8

This is a technical report on Australian hospital separations due to injury and poisoning for 2000-01 and 2001-02, focussing on cases identified as being Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons. A brief summary of this report is published in Injury Issues Monitor, no.38, p.12

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat94.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat94.php>

6610

Henley, G., Kreisfeld, R., Harrison, J.E.

**Injury deaths, Australia 2003-04** [Report] Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, January

2007, 132pp. 978 1 74024 645 3 Injury research and statistics, no.31

This report describes injury mortality in Australia between July 2003 and June 2004 . It includes information about the major causes of injury such as transport-related deaths, suicide and accidental falls. The data provided in relation to each cause include age and sex, State and Territory differences, trends over time, and other associated factors. A brief summary of this report is published in Injury Issues Monitor, no.38, p.8-10

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2007/injcat89.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2007/injcat89.php>

6605

Injury Prevention Research Unit.

**Leading causes of death and hospitalisation** [Electronic source] Dunedin: Injury Prevention Research Unit (IPRU), University of Otago

Ten leading causes of death - New Zealand 1994 - 2000

Ten leading causes of hospitalisations - New Zealand 2000 - 2001

Replaces Fact Sheets 13 & 24

Location: IPRU publications

Online at: <http://www.otago.ac.nz/ipru/Stats/LC10FNZ3.html>

<http://www.otago.ac.nz/ipru/Stats/LC10MNZ3.html>

Website: <http://www.otago.ac.nz/ipru/Stats/Lead.html>

6661

Cameron, C.M., Kliwer, E.V., Purdie, D.M., McClure, R.J.

**Long-term mortality following injury in working-age adults: a systematic review** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 11 - 18

The aim of this systematic review was to quantify the effect of being injured, compared with not being injured, on long-term mortality in working age adults. Eleven cohort studies were included in this review.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600890103>

6614

Henley, G., Harrison, J.

**New external cause categories in fifth edition of ICD-10 AM** [Report] Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, July 2006, 6pp. NISU Briefing, no.4

The 5th edition of the Australian Clinical Modification of the 10th revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10-AM) has been published, and will be used to code cases discharged from Australian hospitals from 1 July 2006. This briefing report summarises the changes.

Location: Books and Reports - Injury Surveillance

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injicat85.pdf>

6659

Boufous, S., Finch, C.

**Record linkage: a tool for injury prevention research** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 267 - 269

This paper discusses the importance of record linkage for injury research, highlights previous applications in this area and examines some of the

challenges of linking data for injury prevention and control. The research relates to record linkage work conducted in New South Wales.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600711929>

6660

Passmore, J.W., Ozanne-Smith, J., Clapperton, A.

**True burden of drowning: compiling data to meet the new definition** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 1 - 3

This study compares drowning rates based on data from Australia and the United States using commonly reported codes, and those revealed by use of the full range of drowning codes in ICD version 10. This reveals considerable underestimation of the burden of drowning.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600935148>

6663

Nilsen, P., Bourne, M., Coggan, C.

**Using local injury surveillance for community-based injury prevention: an analysis of Scandinavian WHO Safe Community and Canadian Safe Community Foundation programmes** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 35 - 43

This study examined the extent to which local injury data were collected, documented, analysed, linked to injury prevention action and used for evaluation among WHO Safe Communities in Scandinavia (25 programmes) and the Canadian Safe Community Foundation (SCF) network (16 programmes).

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600864447>

## Māori

6179 [Newsletter]

**HRC Panui**, Auckland: Health Research Council,

Latest issue: **March 2007, 4pp.**

The Health Research Council / Te Kaunihera rangahau Hauora o Aotearoa newsletter highlighting Māori health research funding, findings and related issues.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/Panui%20March%202007%20FINAL.pdf>

Website: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/root/Publications/Periodicals.html>

## Mental Health

5301 [Newsletter]

**Public Health Perspectives**, Wellington: Ministry of Health, 1174 3522

Latest issue: **10(3), March 2007, 12pp.**

Focuses on public health and health promotion initiatives of the Ministry of Health. Injury Prevention related items included in this issue: New support unit to assess health impacts; Older people's health chart book published; Depression ads show strong and positive results

Location: Journals

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/891/\\$File/PHPMar07.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/891/$File/PHPMar07.pdf)

Website: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/wpg\\_index/Publications-Public+Health+Perspectives+-+back+issues](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/wpg_index/Publications-Public+Health+Perspectives+-+back+issues)

## Occupational Injury

5708 [Newsletter]

**Safety Lines**, Wellington: Engineering Safety Unit, Department of Labour

Latest issue: **December 2006, no.72**

Engineering Safety Newsletter. Quarterly publication highlighting engineering safety issues and training. Online only.

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/slides-72.html>

Website: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/94.shtml>

6636 [Newsletter]

**Construction Bulletin**, Wellington: Department of Labour

Latest issue: **no.31, February 2007, 3pp.**

Occasional health and safety bulletins for the construction industry. This issue: Moving plant on construction sites. See the website link for a list of all topics covered since 1998.

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/pdfs/const031.pdf>

Website: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/514.shtml>

6637

**Accident Alerts series** [Website]

Wellington: Department of Labour,

This Department of Labour webpage provides links to its Accident/Incident Alert publications and selected similar publications from other agencies such as Worksafe (Western Australia). These bulletins provide description of workplace accidents, resulting in fatalities or serious injuries, and their causes.

Website: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/522.shtml>

6631

**Benefits of comprehensive patient handling programmes** [Fact sheet]

*Health Bulletin*, Wellington: Department of Labour, January 2007, no.27, 5pp.

A synopsis of five international cases studies of effective patient handling programmes and commentary on current research in this area.

Location: V/F - Backs

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/hb-27-benefits.html>

6615

**Estimating the number of work-related traumatic injury fatalities in Australia 2003-04** [Report]

Australian Safety and Compensation Council, August 2006, 46pp. 0 642 32641 X

This report presents the results of a study undertaken by the Australian Safety and Compensation Council (ASCC) to develop an estimate of the number of work-related fatalities that occurred in Australia during 2003–04. The scope of the project comprises all work-related traumatic fatalities. That is, all persons fatally injured as a result of their own or others' work activity or work factors. More specifically this includes all employees, self-employed workers/contractors, bystanders, volunteer workers, fatalities that occurred at a private residence where work activity was involved, fatal work-related traffic accidents, commuting/journey claims, compensated and non-compensated cases, and work-related criminal activity such as homicides.

A brief summary of this report is published in *Injury Issues Monitor*, no.38, p.11.

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: [http://www.ascc.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/96BF3DDD-0979-49BC-84C4-70541F968E1E/0/FatalitiesEstimateReport2003\\_04.pdf](http://www.ascc.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/96BF3DDD-0979-49BC-84C4-70541F968E1E/0/FatalitiesEstimateReport2003_04.pdf)

6635

**Farm airstrips and associated fertiliser cartage, storage and application. Safety guideline** [Guidelines]

Wellington: Civil Aviation Authority Department of Labour, December 2006, 55pp. 0-478-28088-2

This guideline provides safety information for those in the agricultural and aviation industries who are involved with top-dressing. It covers farm airstrips; the business of producing, carting and storing fertiliser; and how that affects the final application of that fertiliser by top-dressing aircraft.

Location: Books and Reports - Farm Safety

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/pdf/topdressing2006.pdf>

Website: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/topdressing.shtml>

6630

**Manual handling fact sheet** [Fact sheet]

*Health Bulletin*, Wellington: Department of Labour, January 2007, no.28, 3pp.

A guide to preventing back injuries and pain for employers and employees with links to related ACC and Department of Labour resources.

Location: V/F - Backs

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/hb-28-manualhandling.html>

6633

**Physical hazards fact sheet - cold strain project** [Fact sheet]

*Health Bulletin*, Wellington: Department of Labour, January 2007, no.22, 5pp.

The aim of this project is to increase awareness of the hazards of cold strain, and increase the level of control measures used. This fact sheet is intended for use as a resource for inspectors visiting places of work where there is a risk of a cold strain condition developing as opposed to a simple comfort issue.

Location: V/F - Occupational Safety & Health

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/hb-22-coldstrain.html>

6632

**Physical hazards fact sheet - heat strain project** [Fact sheet]

*Health Bulletin*, Wellington: Department of Labour, January 2007, no.23, 4pp.

The aim of this project is to increase awareness of the hazards of heat strain, and increase the level of control measures used. This Fact sheet is intended for use as a resource for inspectors visiting places of work where there is a risk of a heat strain condition developing as opposed to a simple comfort issue.

Location: V/F - Occupational Safety & Health

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/hb-23-heatstrain.html>

6634

**Physical hazards fact sheet - thermal comfort project** [Fact sheet]

*Health Bulletin*, Wellington: Department of Labour, January 2007, no.21, 4pp.

The aim of this project is to increase awareness of thermal comfort, and increase the level of control measures used. Thermal comfort is a condition of the mind, which expresses satisfaction with the thermal environment. This fact sheet explains that many factors determine how hot is too hot to work, or how cold is too cold to work.

Location: V/F - Occupational Safety & Health

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/publications/series/hb-21-thermalcomfort.html>

6594

Martin, P.J., Harvey, J.T., Culvenor, J.F., Payne, W.R., Else, D.

**Victorian nurses back-injury prevention project. Evaluation report** [Report] Melbourne: Policy and Strategic Projects Division, Department of Human Services, December 2004, 65pp.

"This evaluation confirms the significance of the Victorian Nurses Back Injury Prevention Project (VNBIPP). There is clear evidence of reductions in the claims incidence rate, days lost due to injury, and workers compensation costs, attributable to the implementation of nurses' back injury prevention programs based on No Lifting principles and supported by the VNBIPP intervention. These findings are consistent with the findings of the previous evaluation in 2002." from Executive Summary.

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace - Back Injuries

Online at: [http://www.health.vic.gov.au/nursing/downloads/vnbipp\\_report\\_dec\\_04.pdf](http://www.health.vic.gov.au/nursing/downloads/vnbipp_report_dec_04.pdf)

Website: <http://www.health.vic.gov.au/nursing/promoting/backinjury.htm>

6638

**Working at heights. Department of Labour Health and Safety position paper** [Guidelines] Wellington:

Department of Labour, 21 December 2006, 2pp.

Department of Labour Health and Safety position paper, v.2.

Location: V/F - Occupational Safety & Health

Online at: <http://www.osh.dol.govt.nz/order/catalogue/pdf/heightspositionpaper-v2.pdf>

6629

**Workplace health and safety strategy for New Zealand to 2015: Rautaki mō- te Haumarū me te Hauora o te Wāhi Mahi mō - Aotearoa ki te 2 015. Snapshot of progress 2005/06** [Strategy document]

Wellington: Department of Labour, November 2006, 34pp. 0-478-28081-5

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

## Older People

6669

Brown, P., Willingale, J., Abdu-Aguye, S.

**Cost effectiveness of providing hip protectors to residential homes in New Zealand** [Report] Auckland: Auckland Uniservices Ltd Centre for Health Services Research and Policy, University of Auckland, October 2006, 40pp.

Report prepared for the Accident Compensation Corporation.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external\\_ip/documents/internet/wim2\\_065107.pdf](http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external_ip/documents/internet/wim2_065107.pdf)

6662

Wijlhuizen, G.J., du Bois, P., van Dommelen, P., Hopman-Rock, M.

**Effect evaluation of a multifactor community intervention to reduce falls among older persons** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 25 - 33

An evaluation of this community intervention programme in The Netherlands found no significant reduction in falls among the participants.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600935189>

6603

Kreisfeld, R., Newson, R.

**Hip fracture injuries** [Report] Canberra: Department of Health and Ageing, November 2006, 24pp. NISU Briefing, no.8

This report examines hip fractures leading to hospitalisations and deaths in Australia during the year 2002–03. A summary of the findings is published in *Injury Issues Monitor*, no. 38, 1-2

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat93.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat93.php>

6668

Kerse, N., Peri, K., Fitch, J.

**Hip protector compliance study: final report** [Report] Auckland: Auckland Uniservices Ltd, June 2006, 63pp. Report prepared for the Accident Compensation Corporation.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external\\_ip/documents/internet/wim2\\_065106.pdf](http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external_ip/documents/internet/wim2_065106.pdf)

6642

Boston, J., Davey, J.A. (eds).

**Implications of population ageing: opportunities and risks** [Book] Wellington: Institute of Policy Studies, 2006, 388pp. 1877347140

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

6607

Dunbar, G., Holland, C.A., Maylor, E.A.

**Older pedestrians: a critical review of the literature** [Report] London: Department for Transport, June 2004, 210pp. Road Safety Research Report, no.37

This report reviews literature relevant to the impact of the ageing process on pedestrian safety.

Online at: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/pgr/roadsafety/research/rsrr/theme1/olderpedestriansacriticalrev4738>

6600

Yardley, L., Donovan-Hall, M., Francis, K., Todd, C.

**Older people's views of advice about falls prevention: a qualitative study** [Article]

*Health Education Research*, August 2006, 21(4)

This UK-based study aimed to gain an understanding of older people's perceptions of falls prevention advice, and how best to design communications that will encourage older people to take action to prevent falls. Focus groups and interviews were carried out with sixty six people aged between 61 and 94.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/her/cyh077>

6599

**Safe haven? for older adults. Examining the home safety practices and perceptions**

**of those caring for an older adult** [Report] Washington, D.C. Home Safety Council, 2006,

Results of a survey conducted for the US-based Home Safety Council. See also *The state of home safety in America*, 2004.

Location: Books and Reports - Older People

Online at: [http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state\\_of\\_home\\_safety/sohs\\_haven\\_p002.pdf](http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/state_of_home_safety/sohs_haven_p002.pdf)

## Pacific People

*No items this month*

## Public Health & Health Promotion

5301 [Newsletter]

**Public Health Perspectives**, Wellington: Ministry of Health, 1174 3522

Latest issue: **10(3), March 2007, 12pp.**

Focuses on public health and health promotion initiatives of the Ministry of Health. Injury Prevention related items included in this issue: New support unit to assess health impacts; Older people's health chart book published; Depression ads show strong and positive results

Location: Journals

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/891/\\$File/PHPMar07.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/891/$File/PHPMar07.pdf)

Website: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/wpg\\_index/Publications-Public+Health+Perspectives+-+back+issues](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/wpg_index/Publications-Public+Health+Perspectives+-+back+issues)

5658 [Journal]

**Social Policy Journal of New Zealand / Te Puna Whakaaro**, Wellington: Ministry of Social Development / Te Manatuu Whakahiato Ora,

Latest issue: **November 2006, issue 29**

Published three times per year by the Ministry of Social Development covering a wide range of social issues including health inequalities, family violence and working with communities. Available in print and online.

Online at: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/publications/journal/29-november-2006/index.html>

Website: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/publicatins/journal/index.html>

5963 [Newsletter]

**New Zealand Evidence-based Healthcare Bulletin**, 12pp.

Latest issue: **February 2007, 8(1)**

Published by the New Zealand Guidelines Group, New Zealand Health Technology Assessment and the New Zealand Branch of the Australasian Cochrane Centre.

Location: E-journals

Website: [http://www.nzgg.org.nz/index.cfm?fuseaction=fuseaction\\_17](http://www.nzgg.org.nz/index.cfm?fuseaction=fuseaction_17)

6287 [Newsletter]

**He Korero**, Wellington: Learning Media,

Latest issue: **issue 24, March 2007, 1pp.**

Consumer focused newsletter highlighting public health and health promotion resources. Published for the Ministry of Health by Learning Media Ltd. Delivered with Public Health Perspectives.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.healthed.govt.nz/news/hekorero24.aspx>

Website: <http://www.healthed.govt.nz>

## Recreation and Sport

6654

Fradkin, A.J., Gabbe, B.J., Cameron, P.A.

**Does warming up prevent injury in sport? The evidence from randomised controlled trials?**

[Article]

**Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport**, 2006, 9(3): 214-220

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jsams.2006.03.026>

6674

Krahn, D., Barker R., Pandie, Z., Hockey, R., Spinks, D., Pitt, R.

**Envenomation** [Article]

**Injury Bulletin (QISU)** March 2007, no.95: 1-6

Analysis by QISU of injuries caused spiders, snakes, bees and wasps, ticks, jellyfish and other dangerous creatures.

Location: Journals

Online at: [http://www.qisu.org.au/module\\_newsletter/files/Issue095.pdf](http://www.qisu.org.au/module_newsletter/files/Issue095.pdf)

6613

Flood, L., Harrison, J.

**Hospitalised basketball and netball injuries** [Report] Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, July 2006, 20pp. NISU Briefing, no.3

This briefing is a short overview of basketball and netball related hospitalisations in Australia in the 2002 / 2003 financial year. It is an extension of the basketball and netball chapter found in the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare report by the same authors on hospitalised sports injury

Location: Books and Reports - Sports Injuries

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injicat84.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injicat84.php>

6651

McManus, A., Stevenson, M., Finch, C.

**Incidence and risk factors for injury in non-elite netball sport** [Article]

**Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport**, 2006, 9(1-2): 119-124

An Australian based study of the incidence and risk factors among netball players.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jsams.2006.03.005>

6645

Northey, G.

**Interpreting human and horse interactions: equestrian injuries: a review of the literature** [Literature review] Wellington: Accident Compensation Corporation, 2006, 99pp.

Location: Books and Reports - Recreation / Sports Injuries

Online at: [http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external\\_ip/documents/internet/wim2\\_065272.pdf](http://www.acc.co.nz/wcm001/groups/external_ip/documents/internet/wim2_065272.pdf)

6655

Finch, C., Cassell, E.

### **The public health impact of injury during sport and active recreation**

[Article]

*Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport*, 2006, 9(6): 490-497

The aim of this study was to determine the public health impact of injury during sports and active recreation injury in a select population in Australia. Horse riding, cricket and soccer were found to have the highest injury rates in this population.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jsams.2006.03.002>

## **Research Issues**

5651 [Newsletter]

**HRC News**, Auckland: Health Research Council of New Zealand Te Kaunihera Rangahau Hauora o Aotearoa,

Latest issue: **March 2007, issue 55, 16pp.**

Newsletter of the Health Research Council, published irregularly. Available online and in print, this publication includes articles about the full range of HRC-funded research, health research methods, funding news, research policy, and research promotion

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/HRC%20NEWS%20March%20FINAL.pdf>

Website: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/root/Publications/Periodicals.html>

6179 [Newsletter]

**HRC Panui**, Auckland: Health Research Council,

Latest issue: **March 2007, 4pp.**

The Health Research Council / Te Kaunihera rangahau Hauora o Aotearoa newsletter highlighting Māori health research funding, findings and related issues.

Location:

Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/Panui%20March%2007%20FINAL.pdf>

Website: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/root/Publications/Periodicals.html>

3808

Health Research Council of New Zealand.

**Implementing Research. A guideline for health researchers.** [Report] Auckland: Health Research Council of New Zealand, 2006,

Includes - Intellectual Property; Research and Clinical practice; Case studies;Public Health; Changing policy; Media advocacy; Getting good media coverage

Location: Books and Reports - Research

Online at:

<http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/HRC%20Implementing%20guidelines%20FINAL%20.pdf>

6612

Bradley, C., Harrison, J.

**Planning and testing CATI-based injury prevention population surveys** [Report] Canberra: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, July 2006, 38pp. 1 74024 584 9 Injury Technical Paper series, no.7

This paper discusses the testing and further development of an injury CATI module submitted to the CATI Technical Reference Group, a subcommittee of the Australian National Public Health Information Working Group.

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat83.pdf>  
Website: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/pubs/reports/2006/injcat83.php>

6659

Boufous, S., Finch, C.

**'Record linkage: a tool for injury prevention research** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 267 - 269

This paper discusses the importance of record linkage for injury research, highlights previous applications in this area and examines some of the challenges of linking data for injury prevention and control. The research relates to record linkage work conducted in New South Wales.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600711929>

## Road Safety

5302 [Newsletter]

*Land Transport News*, Wellington: Land Transport New Zealand, 1176 841X

Latest issue: **March 2007, issue 25, 8pp.**

In this issue: Tourism industry meeting the challenge - "Operation Scenic"; Flashing lights at zebra crossing in Auckland; Minister backs campaign to reduce speeding near schools; New rules for heavy-vehicle breaks now in force; More help for older drivers; Wanted - six winners; Rules for consultation; NZ Cycling Conference 2007 - getting there by bike

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/publications/land-transport-news/issue-25.pdf>

Website: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/publications/land-transport-news/index.html>

6619

Harrison, J.

**Aboriginal people travelling better? The 3rd indigenous road safety forum.** [Article]

*Injury Issues Monitor*, January 2007, 38: 19-20

Report on this forum held in the Kimberley region of Western Australia in October 2006.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nisu.flinders.edu.au/monitor/monitor38.pdf>

6658

Simpson, J.C., Turnbull, B.L., Stephenson, S.C.R., Davie, G.S.

**Correct and incorrect use of child restraints: Results from an urban survey in New Zealand** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 260-63

This paper reports on the rates and error type in child restraint use among drivers transporting children aged 0 – 8 years in the greater Wellington and examines factors which may influence the misuse of child restraints.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600678219>

6601

Gittelman, M.A., Pomerantz, W.J., Laurence, S.

**An emergency department intervention to increase booster seat use for lower socioeconomic families** [Article]

*Academic Emergency Medicine*, April 2006, 13(4): 396-400

US study which compared the effectiveness of no intervention, brief education, and brief education with free

booster seat with installation by obtaining self-reported booster seat use one month after intervention. Provision of a free and installed booster seat appeared to be the only effective intervention.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1197/j.aem.2005.11.002>

6670

Bayly, M., Regan, M., Hosking, S.

**Intelligent transport systems and motorcycle safety** [Report]

Melbourne: Monash University Accident Research Centre, July 2006, 76pp. 0732623294 Report no.260

This study aimed to identify existing and emerging Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) that have the potential to enhance motorcycle rider safety.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.monash.edu.au/muarc/reports/muarc260.pdf>

6607

Dunbar, G., Holland, C.A., Maylor, E.A.

**Older pedestrians: a critical review of the literature** [Report]

London: Department for Transport, June 2004, 210pp. Road Safety Research Report, no.37

This report reviews literature relevant to the impact of the ageing process on pedestrian safety.

Online at: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/pgr/roadsafety/research/rsrr/theme1/olderpedestriansacriticalrev4738>

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Keall, M., Newstead, S., Scully, J.

**Projecting effects of improvements in passive safety of the New Zealand light vehicle fleet to 2010**

[Report] Melbourne: Monash University Accident Research Centre, August 2006, 31pp. 0732623286

Report no.258

This paper describes a methodology for projecting changes in casualty rates associated with passive safety features, based primarily on projections of the existing crashworthiness trends. Two potential interventions were considered: restriction on the importation of cars into New Zealand and restriction of government fleet vehicles to those with superior crashworthiness. However compared with the expected improvements over time these interventions appear to yield fairly modest savings. This research was funded by Land Transport New Zealand.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.monash.edu.au/muarc/reports/muarc251.pdf>

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**Road accident involvement of children from ethnic minorities** [Report] London: Department for Transport, August 2002, 210pp. Road Safety Research Report, no.19

This report reviews the UK and international literatures on the accident involvement of ethnic minority children relative to their majority culture peers. The review shows that, in almost all countries where data are available, children of ethnic minority background do suffer substantially increased risk of pedestrian injury relative to the norms for the country as a whole. The trend is international and applies to countries as diverse as the United States, Sweden, Israel, Singapore and New Zealand. In the UK, children of Asian ethnic origin appear to be disproportionately vulnerable. The definition of ethnic minorities is discussed and research relating to Maori and Pacific children in New Zealand is included.

Website: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/pgr/roadsafety/research/rsrr/theme1/roadaccidentinvolvementofchi4740>

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Tolmie, A., Thomson, J.A., O'Connor, R., Foot, H.C., Karagiannidou, E., Banks, M., O'Donnell, C., Sarvary, P.

The role of skills, attitudes and perceived behavioural control in the pedestrian decision-making of adolescents aged 11-15 years. [Report] London: Department for Transport, October 2006, 124p. 978 1 904763 64 2 Road Safety Research Report no.68

This report details two studies, conducted in the United Kingdom, designed to unravel what factors contribute most to increases in unsafe pedestrian behaviour between the ages of 11 and 15 years. Study 1 focused on whether young adolescents have limited skills for dealing with more complex traffic environments; and whether, in spite of this, they underestimate the difficulty of road-crossing decisions, and ignore signs that their performance is less adequate than they believe. Study 2 was designed to investigate the source of young adolescents' misperceptions of difficulty, and the relative impact of these and attitudes or other perceptions on pedestrian decision-making.

Online at: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/pgr/roadsafety/research/rsrr/theme1/pedestriandecisionmakingofad1770>

## Road Traffic Injury

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Watson, L., Cameron, M.

**Bicycle and motor vehicle crash characteristics** [Report] Melbourne: Monash University Accident Research Centre, September 2006, 105pp. 0732623219 Report no.251

Crashes involving 13,901 bicycle riders were matched to colliding motor vehicles and their drivers. These collisions were used to describe characteristics of bicycle crash circumstances, demographics and serious injury outcomes of both bicycle riders and motorists involved. Data based on police reported crashes in Victoria, Queensland, South Australia and Western Australian during 2000-2004.

Online at: <http://www.monash.edu.au/muarc/reports/muarc251.pdf>

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Delaney,, Newstead, S., Watson, L.

**The influence of trends in heavy vehicle travel on road trauma in the light vehicle fleet.** [Report]

Melbourne: Monash University Accident Research Centre, January 2007, 57pp. 0732623294 Report no.259

The results of this research highlight the importance of continuing to reduce heavy vehicle crash rates to offset projected growth in heavy vehicle travel and to deliver reductions in heavy vehicle related road trauma. A potential remedy to predicted increases in heavy vehicle related trauma is explored. This research was partly funded by the New Zealand Automobile Association and Land Transport New Zealand.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.monash.edu.au/muarc/reports/muarc259.pdf>

## Suicide and Deliberate Self-Harm

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**Australian self-harm statistics - key findings** [Fact sheet] Canberra: Auseinet, 2007, 3pp.

Fact sheet based on hospitalised self-harm statistics in Australia for the 2003-04 financial year. Links to full reports from which this summary is compiled can be found via the website link below.

Online at: <http://www.livingisforeveryone.com.au/files/stats/selfharmstats.pdf>

Website: <http://www.livingisforeveryone.com.au/statistics.php>

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**Australian suicide statistics, 2005 - key findings** [Fact sheet] Canberra: Auseinet, March 2007, 3pp.

Fact sheet summarising key trends and issues related to suicide in Australia in 2005. The full Australian Bureau of Statistics report can be accessed via the website link below.

Online at: <http://www.livingisforeveryone.com.au/files/stats/suicidestats.pdf>

Website: <http://www.livingisforeveryone.com.au/statistics.php>

6666

Beautrais, A., Fergusson, D., Coggan, C., Collings, C., Doughty, C., Ellis, P., Hatcher, S., Horwood, J., Merry, S., Mulder, R., Poulton, R., Surgenor, L.

**Effective strategies for suicide prevention in New Zealand: a review of the evidence** [Article]

***New Zealand Medical Journal***, 2 March 2007, 120 (1251), 13pp.

This paper provides a conceptual framework for classifying suicide prevention initiatives, reviews evidence for their effectiveness, and makes recommendations for initiatives to be undertaken as part of suicide prevention activities in New Zealand. The paper was prepared by members of the Suicide Research Network.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/120-1251/2459/>

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Mulder, R.

**Suicide prevention in New Zealand** [Editorial]

***New Zealand Medical Journal***, 2 March 2007, 120 (1251), 3pp.

Editorial by one of the members of the Suicide Research Network, highlighting the importance of the review of evidence for suicide prevention programmes published in this issue of the NZMJ. The issue of media reporting of suicide is raised in response to recent newspaper articles.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/120-1251/2463/>

## Violence

*No items this month*

## Water Safety

6538 [Newsletter]

***Swim for Life***, Wellington: Water Safety New Zealand,

Latest issue: **March 2007, 1.5**

E-newsletter of Water Safety New Zealand. Published irregularly, available in electronic format.

Online at: [http://www.swimforlife.org.nz/SFLnews/SFL\\_News\\_1.5.htm](http://www.swimforlife.org.nz/SFLnews/SFL_News_1.5.htm)

Website: <http://www.watersafety.org.nz/news/waterwise.asp>

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Maritime New Zealand.

**Maritime Accidents 2003 - 2004** [Report] Wellington: Maritime New Zealand, 2005, 1173-700X

Online at: [http://www.msa.govt.nz/publications/accidents/Accidents\\_2003-2004.pdf](http://www.msa.govt.nz/publications/accidents/Accidents_2003-2004.pdf)

6657

Moran, K., Stanley, T.

**Toddler drowning prevention: Teaching parents about water safety in conjunction with their child's in-water lessons** [Article]

***International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion***, December 2006, 13(4): 254-256

This New Zealand study evaluates a parent education programme conducted at the poolside while toddlers were involved in learn to swim classes. The aim of the programme was to improve parental knowledge of toddler water safety and address misconceptions of toddler water safety.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600678201>

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Passmore, J.W., Ozanne-Smith, J., Clapperton, A.

**True burden of drowning: compiling data to meet the new definition** [Article]

***International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion***, March 2007, 14(1): 1 - 3

This study compares drowning rates based on data from Australia and the United States using commonly

reported codes, and those revealed by use of the full range of drowning codes in ICD version 10. This reveals considerable underestimation of the burden of drowning.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600935148>

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Mitchell, R., Haddrill, K.

**WHO Safe Communities - should we expand the definition of a 'community'?** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, March 2007, 14(1): 60 - 63

This paper describes the application of the WHO Safe Communities model to communities (other than geographically based ones) to identify and progress water safety initiative in New South Wales. This follows the authors' identification of rock fishers, Chinese-speaking residents and tourists, and residents of rural and remote areas as being the "communities" most at risk of drowning in NSW.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600775585>

## Youth

6283 [Newsletter]

**12 to 24**, Wellington: Ministry of Youth Development,

Latest issue: **Issus 7, March 2007: 8pp.**

Newsletter published six times per year highlighting youth issues and Ministry of Youth Development projects.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.myd.govt.nz/uploads/docs/12to24issue7.pdf>

Website: <http://www.myd.govt.nz/Publications/General/12to24newsletter.aspx>

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Molcho, M., Harel, Y., Pickett, W., Scheidt, P.C., Mazur, J., Owerpeck, M.D., Violence and Injury Writing Group.

**The epidemiology of non-fatal injuries among 11-, 13- and 15-year old youth in 11 countries: findings from the 1998 WHO-HBSC cross national survey** [Article]

*International Journal of Injury Control and Safety Promotion*, December 2006, 13(4): 205-211

A cross-country comparison of injury rates, contexts and consequences based on surveys conducted in 11 countries, mostly in Europe, but including Israel, Canada and the United States.

Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17457300600864421>

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McClellan, V.

**Evaluation of High on Life: a secondary school-based alcohol and other drug intervention initiative**

[Report] Wellington: Alcohol Advisory Council, June 2006, 77pp. 1-877373-16-8

This initiative was trialled in Wanganui during 2003 and 2004 and later adapted and implemented in Taranaki region. There is evidence that this initiative dramatically reduced drug-related suspension rates in participating schools.

Location: Books and Reports - Schools

Online at: <http://www.alac.org.nz/DBTextworks/PDF/HighOnLife-AL534.pdf>

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DeVoe, J.F., Peter, K., Noonan, M., Snyder, T.D., Baum, K.

**Indicators of school crime and safety: 2005** [Report] Washington, D.C. National Center for Education Statistics Bureau of Justice Statistics, November 2005, 206pp.

The eighth in a series of annual reports produced by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) in

the U.S. Department of Education and the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) in the U.S. Department of Justice that present the most recent data available on school crime and student safety in the United States. Online at: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubs2006/2006001.pdf>

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## Conferences

### New Zealand

#### 2007

26 April, Auckland

#### **Kids Trauma Conference**

Enquires: Jillian Flemming Phone 3797440 ext. 6381, or Rangi Dansey Phone 3797440 locator 93 6225

3-4 May, Christchurch

#### **ALAC Working Together Conference 2007**

Details at: <http://www.alac.org.nz/UpComingEvents.aspx>

10 May, Auckland

#### **Pacific Health Research Symposium**

Contact Ofa Dewes at: [o.dewes@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:o.dewes@auckland.ac.nz)

#### **New**

30 May, Auckland

#### **National Refugee Health Conference**

*From the Grassroots Up - Toward a Coordinated, Nationwide Blueprint for Refugee Health in New Zealand*

More information and registration at: <http://www.rc.org.nz/events.html>

28-29 June, Dunedin

#### **Body Matters: Children and Young People's Physical Well-being and Rights**

The physical well-being of children including: body image, care and protection, cultural perspectives, injury prevention, legal and UNCROC rights, violence, etc

More information at: <http://www.otago.ac.nz/CIC/events.php>

6-8 October. Wellington

**World Aquatic Babies Conference**

Call for abstracts closes 31 January 2007

More information at: <http://www.wabc2007.org.nz/presenters.html>

14-18 October, Rotorua

**3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Meeting of the International Network of Indigenous Health Knowledge and Development**

Contact: [internationalnihkd@jcu.edu.au](mailto:internationalnihkd@jcu.edu.au) See the INIHKD website at: <http://www.inihkd.org/Gatherings.html>

29-31 October, Napier

**2007 IPNANZ Conference**

Information coming soon at: <http://www.ipn.org.nz>

4-7 November, Auckland

**Combined APSAD and Cutting Edge Addiction Conference**

An Australasian conference with the theme: "Two nations, ten cultures

More information at: <http://www.twonationstencultures.co.nz/>

14-16 November, Hamilton

**New Zealand Association of Gerontology Conference**

Theme: Ageing: the everyday experience. Call for papers early 2007

More information at: <http://www.gerontology.org.nz/conference.html>

**2008**

20 – 23 October, 2008, Christchurch

**17<sup>th</sup> International Safe Communities conference**

More information at: <http://www.safecommunities.org.nz/conf/pre>

**Overseas**

**2007**

1-4 May, Adelaide, South Australia

**Australian Health Promotion Association 17<sup>th</sup> National Conference** Grass Roots to Global Action: Health Promotion in Challenging Environments

Preliminary information at: <http://www.healthpromotion.org.au>

11-15 June, Vancouver, Canada

**Canada 2007: the 19<sup>th</sup> IUHPE World Conference on Health Promotion and Health Education.** International Union of Health Promotion and Education Health promotion comes of age: Science, policy and practice for the 21<sup>st</sup> century

Details at: <http://www.iuhpeconference.org>

9-10 June 2007, Tehran, Iran

**Pre-conference workshop on road safety** Safer Road Transport, a joint programme with IIT (India)

Enquiries: <http://www.safety2007.info/workshop.aspx>

11-13 June, 2007, Tehran, Iran

**16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Safe Communities** Abstracts submission May 2006 to December 2006

Information at: <http://www.safety2007.info/>

**New**

8-31 August, Killarney, Ireland

**International Association for Suicide Prevention World Congress**

Preventing suicide across the lifespan: dreams and realities

More information at: <http://www.iasp2007.org/>

21-24 November 2007, Bangkok, Thailand

**4th Asian Regional Conference on Safe Communities**

Information at: <http://www.safethai2007.com/>

**2008**

15-18 March 2008, Merida, Mexico

**9th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion**

Abstracts submission November 2006 to June 2007

Information at: <http://www.safety2008mx.info/ing/index.html>

Further conferences are listed on the Safe Communities Foundation NZ website: <http://www.safecommunities.org.nz> and on many other websites with a specific injury or health focus.

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