

# IPLit Update July 2009

## Injury Prevention Information Centre

Social and Community Health, School of Population Health  
The University of Auckland

IPLit Update is a monthly bulletin to keep you up to date with the latest injury prevention research and best practice from New Zealand and around the world.

You are welcome to visit the Injury Prevention Information Centre and browse the collection.

The Injury Prevention Information Centre's website includes links to the IPLit – injury prevention literature database, INZED – the injury contacts directory and details for using the enquiry service.

Website at: <http://www.fmhs.auckland.ac.nz/soph/centres/ipic>  
Gay Richards: email: [injury@auckland.ac.nz](mailto:injury@auckland.ac.nz) or by phone: (09) 373 7599 x84640  
Full contact details can be found at the end of IPLit Update

## This Week

[Te Wiki o te Reo Māori](#)

[National Rail Safety Week](#)

## Upcoming Events

**9 August International Day of Indigenous People**

**12 August Hoodie Day - United Nation's International Youth Day**

**Library Week – [Watch this Space](#)**

**7 September [Safety NZ Week](#) begins**

## 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. IPNANZ members are reminded that they have free access to the *Injury Prevention* journal via the IPNANZ website – <http://www.ipnanz.org.nz> . If you have forgotten your IPNANZ login details, please contact Val Norton at IPNANZ: email: [v.norton@ipnanz.org.nz](mailto:v.norton@ipnanz.org.nz) or call 04 472 2562 The Injury Prevention Information Centre may be able to supply you with hard copies of resources listed here, but will be constrained by copyright in some cases. Your organisation's library may hold some of these resources or they can be obtained through your local public library via interlibrary loan. Please contact me if you have difficulty obtaining a particular item.

Search the [IPLit](#) database for injury prevention research resources selected for their relevance to the New Zealand environment. For more injury prevention articles from around the world, search [SafetyLit](#)

## Reference

8207

Kinsella, K., He, W.

**An aging world: 2008** [Report] Washington, D.C. U.S. Census Bureau, June 2009, 204pp.

International population reports, P95 / 09-1

This report provides detailed information on life expectancy, health, disability, gender balance, marital status, living arrangements, education and literacy, labour force participation and retirement and pensions among older people around the world. The report was prepared by the US National Institute on Aging and the US Census Bureau. New Zealand is included in some statistical tables. The prevalence of injury and disability among the ageing population is discussed.

Online at: <http://www.census.gov/prod/2009pubs/p95-09-1.pdf>

Website: <http://www.eldis.org/go/topics/resource-guides/ageing-populations&id=44155&type=Document>

8203

National Occupational Health and Safety Commission (NOHSC)

**Australian occupational health and safety thesaurus** [Thesaurus] 3rd ed. Canberra, ACT: National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC) March 2003, 236pp. ISBN: 1 920763 06 6

This thesaurus includes guidelines for its use, a hierarchical structure of preferred terms and an alphabetical list of preferred terms and non-preferred terms. It should be noted that the use of "accident" within this thesaurus may not be appropriate in New Zealand.

Online at: [http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/5C2FCFD3-E03E-46F2-99A0-1738EFCE1C63/0/AOHST\\_e3.pdf](http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/5C2FCFD3-E03E-46F2-99A0-1738EFCE1C63/0/AOHST_e3.pdf)

8202

Safe Work Australia.

**Comparison of workers' compensation arrangements in Australia and New Zealand** [Report]

Canberra, ACT: Safe Work Australia, April 2009, 224pp. ISBN: 978-0-642-32854-0

This report provides a background to the evolution of workers' compensation arrangements in Australia (encompassing eight states and territories and three Commonwealth schemes) and New Zealand, and discusses the way that each scheme deals with key aspects such as the size and nature of the schemes, coverage, benefits, return to work provisions, self-insurance, common law, dispute resolution and cross-border arrangements. Information is as at 30 June 2008.

Online at: [http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/2F9B1EA6-7E2A-407C-AA52-99D0F6B2D0C5/0/Comparison\\_of\\_Workers\\_Compensation\\_Arrangements\\_in\\_Aust\\_and\\_NZ\\_2008.pdf](http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/2F9B1EA6-7E2A-407C-AA52-99D0F6B2D0C5/0/Comparison_of_Workers_Compensation_Arrangements_in_Aust_and_NZ_2008.pdf)

Website: <http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/swa/WorkersComp/WorkersCompInformation/>

8205

Statistics New Zealand.

**Mapping trends in the Auckland region** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. Statistics New Zealand, June 2009, 102pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-31587-5

This report presents background data on some fundamental social, demographic, and economic trends affecting people in the Auckland region (where one in three New Zealanders live). It focuses particularly on geographical patterns, and how these are changing over time. Chapter headings:

Interpreting the maps; Population change; Population growth; Population density;

Ethnicity; Population mobility; 0–14 population; 65+ population; Households and families; Education;

Income; Commuting; Housing; Labour force; Graphical summary; Summary. A useful reference resource for those working in this region.

Online at: <http://www.stats.govt.nz/NR/rdonlyres/83B27760-1324-4C27-BF19-5D486318A87D/0/Mappingthetrendssmallsize.pdf>

Website: <http://www.stats.govt.nz/people/population/auckland-regional-council-project/default.htm>

## Alcohol / Drugs

5238

**Addiction** [Journal] London: Blackwell Publishing, ISBN: 096-52140

Latest issue: **July 2009, 104(7)**

Journal of the Society for the Study of Addiction. Selected articles are indexed in this database.

Location: Journals

Website: <http://www.addictionjournal.org/>

8213

Cashman, C.M., ruotsalainen, J.H., Greiner, B.A., Beime, P.V., Verbeek, J.H.

**Alcohol and drug screening of occupational drivers for preventing injury** [Cochrane Review]

**The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews**, 2009, Issue 2

Authors' conclusions: "There is insufficient evidence to advise for or against the use of drug and alcohol testing of occupational drivers for preventing injuries as a sole, effective, long-term solution in the context of workplace culture, peer interaction and other local factors. Cluster-randomised trials are needed to better address the effects of interventions for injury prevention in this occupational setting"

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD006566.pub2>

5650

**alcohol.org.nz** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. Alcohol Advisory Council of New Zealand Te Kaunihera  
Whatatupato Waipiro o Aotearoa, ISBN: 1175 2831

Latest issue: **June 2009, 10(2), 16pp.**

Quarterly newsletter published by the Alcohol Advisory Council of New Zealand (ALAC), available online and in print. News and research on initiatives intended to reduce alcohol related harm throughout the community, including Maori, Pacific people and youth.

Location: Journals

Website: <http://www.alac.org.nz/ALACsMagazine.aspx>

8173

McAvoy, B.R.

**Brief alcohol interventions (BAIs) in primary care populations are effective in reducing alcohol consumption in men** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, April 2007

Pearls, no. 13

This issue considers the question: Are brief alcohol interventions (BAIs) in primary care populations effective in reducing alcohol consumption?

PEARLS are succinct summaries of Cochrane Systematic Reviews for primary care practitioners. They are funded by the New Zealand Guidelines Group.

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Location: Electronic Source

Online at:

[http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/13\\_Brief%20alcohol%20interventions.doc.pdf](http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/13_Brief%20alcohol%20interventions.doc.pdf)

Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

8170

McAvoy, B.R.

**Case management for people with substance abuse disorders can improve linkage with relevant services** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, April 2008

Pearls, no. 52

This issue considers the question: Is case management helpful for people with substance abuse disorders?

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Online at:

[http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/52\\_Case%20managementsubstance%20abuse%20disorders.pdf](http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/52_Case%20managementsubstance%20abuse%20disorders.pdf)

Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

8230

Sundborn, G., Metcalf, P.A., Gentles, D., Scragg, R., Schaarf, D., Dyll, L., Black, P., Jackson, R.  
**'From kava to lager'--alcohol consumption and drinking patterns for older adults of Pacific ethnic groups, and Europeans in the Diabetes Heart and Health Study (DHAHS) 2002-2003, Auckland New Zealand** [Article]

*Pacific Health Dialog*, Auckland. N.Z. 2009, 15(1): 47-54 ISBN: 0958239932

This paper describes and compares alcohol consumption and drinking patterns for Pacific ethnic groups (Samoan, Tongan, Niue, Cook Islands) and European New Zealanders by gender participating in the 2002-03 Diabetes Heart and Health Study (DHAHS). This research was conducted by researchers at the School of Population Health, The University of Auckland. Use the web link below to read the SafetyLit abstract.

Website:

[http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds\[\]=citjournalarticle\\_108543\\_26](http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds[]=citjournalarticle_108543_26)

8210

Moreira, M.T., Smith, L.A., Foxcroft, D.

**Social norms interventions to reduce alcohol misuse in University or College students** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

The purpose of this intervention review was to determine whether social norms feedback reduces alcohol misuse in university or college students. Authors' conclusions: "WF (web/computer feedback) and IFF (individual face-to-face feedback) are probably effective in reducing alcohol misuse. No direct comparisons of WF against IFF were found, but WF impacted across a broader set of outcomes and is less costly so therefore might be preferred. Significant effects were more apparent for short-term outcomes (up to three months). For mailed and group feedback, and social norms marketing campaigns, the results are on the whole not significant and therefore cannot be recommended."

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD006748.pub2>

## Children

8187

Safekids New Zealand.

**Boosters in a nutshell: a guide for injury prevention professionals** [Booklet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, 2009, 8pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger/Safekids%20Boosters%20in%20a%20nutshell%20FINAL.pdf>

8186

Safekids New Zealand.

**Child motor vehicle passenger injuries: effectiveness of belt positioning booster seats: factsheet** [Fact sheet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, April 2009, 2pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Factsheets/Safekids%20MVCP%20Injuries%20Booster%20Seats%20Factsheet%20April%202009.pdf>

8185

Safekids New Zealand.

**Child motor vehicle passenger injuries: factsheet** [Fact sheet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, April 2009, 2pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Factsheets/Safekids%20Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger%20Injury%20factsheet%20April%202009.pdf>

8193

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Child restraints: fact sheet 7** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, February 2009,

Factsheet 7

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/07.html>

8190

Safekids New Zealand.

**Childhood cutting and piercing injury: factsheet** [Fact sheet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, April 2009,

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Factsheets/Safekids%20Child%20Cutting%20Piercing%20Injury%20Factsheet%20April%202009.pdf>

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**Children** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. Office of the Children's Commissioner, ISSN: 1178-3379

Latest issue: **Winter 2009, no.69, 22pp.**

Quarterly newsletter of the Office of the Children's Commissioner. Includes news and views relating to children's rights and the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Highlights recently published reports on these topics. Available free in hard copy and online.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.occ.org.nz/publications/newsletter>

8178

Duncanson, M.J., Smith, D.A.R., Davies, E.

**Death and serious injury from assault of children aged under 5 years in Aotearoa New Zealand: A review of international literature and recent findings** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. Office of the Children's Commissioner, June 2009, 24pp

Online at:

[http://www.occ.org.nz/data/assets/pdf\\_file/0016/6343/OCC\\_Deathand\\_seriousinjury2009\\_040609.pdf](http://www.occ.org.nz/data/assets/pdf_file/0016/6343/OCC_Deathand_seriousinjury2009_040609.pdf)

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**Health Education Research**, February 2009, 24(1): 32-41

The authors conclude that a home safety intervention targeted at deprived areas addressing the barriers of cost and needing help to fit equipment was only partially successful in reducing inequalities in safety practices. Other strategies will be required to reduce inequalities especially in relation to functioning smoke alarms.

Location: Journals

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

8220

Beasley, S.W.

**Driveway accidents in New Zealand** [Editorial]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 3 July 2009, 122(1298)

The author notes that New Zealand has the highest reported rate of driveway accidents in the world and little has changed since an article on this issue was published almost seven years ago. This editorial introduces an article on this topic in this issue of the NZMJ by Hsiao and colleagues.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3681/>

8214

Duperrex, O., Blackhall, K., Burri, M., Jeannot, E.

**Education of children and adolescents for the prevention of dog bite injuries** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 2

Authors' Conclusions: "There is no direct evidence that educational programmes can reduce dog bite rates in children and adolescents. Educating children who are less than 10 years old in school settings could improve their knowledge, attitude and behaviour towards dogs. Educating children and adolescents in settings other than schools should also be evaluated. There is a need for high quality studies that measure dog bite rates as an outcome. To date, evidence does not suggest that educating children and adolescents is effective as a unique public health strategy to reduce dog bite injuries and their consequences." Only two studies met the criteria to be included in this review and neither study reported on injury outcome, that is any change in dog bite rates.

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD004726.pub2>

8221

Hsiao, K., Newbury, C., Bartlett, N., Dansey, R., Morreau, P., Hamill, J.

**Paediatric driveway run-over injuries: time for redesign** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 3 July 2009, 122(1298), 8pp.

The authors reviewed cases of driveway run-over injuries in Auckland between 2001 and 2005, analysing demographics, accident and environmental characteristics, and parental awareness.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3679/>

8192

Segedin, E.

**Restraint of the school-aged passenger: the role of the booster seat** [Presentation] March 2008, 44pp.

A presentation from the 2008 Safekids Leadership conference. This presentation includes detailed information supporting the call for children under 148cm tall and up to 12 years of age to use booster seats.

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/downloads/Safekids%20Presentations/Role%20of%20the%20Booster%20Seat.%20Dr%20Liz%20Segedin.pdf>

7346

**Rise** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Social Development, ISSN: 1178-4717

Latest issue: **July 2009, no.7, 33pp.**

This is the Ministry of Social Development's flagship magazine showcasing its activities. It is available in hard copy and can be downloaded in two parts - see link below. It is also available as a Word document from the website. The theme of this issue is Unity.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/rise-issue-seven.html>

Website: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/index.html>

8191

Safekids New Zealand.

**Safekids Information Centre bibliography: a selection of items related to cutting & piercing injury prevention** [Bibliography] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, March 2009, 4pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Cutting%20Piercing/Safekids%20Child%20Cutting%20Piercing%202009%202010%20Bibliography.pdf>

8188

Safekids New Zealand.

**Safekids Information Centre bibliography: a selection of items related to motor vehicle child passenger safety** [Bibliography] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, March 2009, 4pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger/Safekids%20Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger%202009%202010%20Bibliography.pdf>

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**Safekids News** [Newsletter] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand

Latest issue: **no.45, June 2009, 8pp.**

In this issue: Keeping kids safe in cars; Education is invaluable, legislation is the key; new Safekids website; Safekids coalition workshops -09; In a recession can the Government afford booster seats?; Overcoming barriers to booster seats; Motor vehicle child passenger admissions; Child passenger injuries: almost 2 kids a day; NZ child injury statistical data publication released; New Safekids National Campaign Coordinator; Correctly installed restraints reduces injuries by up to 70%; New NZ Transport Agency Factsheet 7: Child Restraints; The higher you sit, the safer the fit; When buying booster...; Project plan: car seat checking clinics; New fire hazard for kids' nightwear; Electric blanket safety; Congratulations Dr. Parsons, Golden Foot Awards; Info Centre Update

Location: Journals

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20News/SafekidsNewsJune2009FINAL.pdf>

Website: [http://www.safekids.org.nz/index.php/pi\\_pageid/25](http://www.safekids.org.nz/index.php/pi_pageid/25)

8223

Escott, A., Elder, D.E., Zuccollo, J.M.

**Sudden unexpected infant death and bedsharing: referrals to the Wellington Coroner 1997–2006** [Article]

***New Zealand Medical Journal***, 3 July 2009, 122(1298), 10pp.

This article describes the factors associated with sudden unexpected death in infancy (SUDI), also known as SIDS, for which there was no clear medical diagnosis, referred to the Wellington-based coronial paediatric pathology service over the decade from 1997 to 2006. Unsafe sleeping environment and unsafe sleeping locations were identified as risk factors with Maori and Pacific infants over represented in the reported cases.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3686/>

8189

Randle, S.

**Trauma team update: motor vehicle child passenger admissions** [Article]

**Safekids News**, June 2009, no.45: 5

A quarterly update from the Starship Children's Health Service. These updates are intended to inform the injury prevention workforce about the injuries treated in Starship Hospital (Auckland) and any issues these raise. This update focuses on child passenger injuries over a 13 month period.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20News/SafekidsNewsJune2009FINAL.pdf>

## Disability

8198

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Disabilities and driving: fact sheet 31** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency,

February 2009

Factsheet 31

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/31.html>

## Falls

8168

McAvoy, B.R.

**Exercise improves balance in older people** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, November 2007

Pearls, no. 40

This issue considers the question: Are exercise interventions effective in improving balance in older people? PEARLS are succinct summaries of Cochrane Systematic Reviews for primary care practitioners. They are funded by the New Zealand Guidelines Group.

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Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

5564

Gillespie, L.D., Gillespie, W.J., Robertson, M.C., Lamb, S.E., Cumming, R.G., Rowen, B.H.

**Interventions for preventing falls in elderly people.** [Systematic Review]

**The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews**, 2009, Issue 2

This review, first published in 2003, has been withdrawn by the authors. It will be replaced by two new reviews. "Interventions for preventing falls in older people living in the community" has been published and is included in the IPLit database. "Interventions for preventing falls in older people in residential care facilities and hospitals" is nearing completion. Use the link below to view an archived version of the original review.

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD000340.pub2>

8216

Gillespie, L.D., Robertson, M.C., Gillespie, W.J., Lamb, S.E., Gates, S., Cumming, R.G., Rowe, B.H.

**Interventions for preventing falls in older people living in the community** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 2

Authors' conclusions: "Exercise interventions reduce risk and rate of falls. Research is needed to confirm the contexts in which multifactorial assessment and intervention, home safety interventions, vitamin D supplementation, and other interventions are effective."

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD007146.pub2>

8222

Parkin, L., Williams, S.M., Priest, P.

**Preventing winter falls: a randomised controlled trial of a novel intervention** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, Auckland, N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, 3 July 2009, 122(1298), 8pp.

The authors investigated the hypothesis that wearing socks over winter shoes would improve traction on icy footpaths. The research was conducted in Dunedin involving 30 pedestrians between the age of 18 and 70 (median age 21). The researchers conclude that wearing socks over shoes appears to be an effective and inexpensive method to reduce the likelihood of slipping on icy footpaths.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3683/>

## Family Violence

8215

Ramsay, J., Carter, Y., Davidson, L., Dunne, D., Eldridge, S., Feder, G., Hegarty, K.

Rivas, C., Taft, A., Warburton, A.

**Advocacy interventions to reduce or eliminate violence and promote the physical and psychosocial well-being of women who experience intimate partner abuse** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

Authors' conclusions: "Based on the evidence reviewed, it is possible that intensive advocacy for women recruited in domestic violence shelters or refuges reduces physical abuse one to two years after the intervention but we do not know if it has a beneficial effect on their quality of life and mental health. Similarly, there is insufficient evidence to show if less intensive interventions in healthcare settings for women who still live with the perpetrators of violence are effective."

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD005043.pub2>

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## Home

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Location: E-journals

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/her/cym083>

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Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3681/>

8183

Keall, M., Baker, M., Howden-Chapman, P., Cunningham, M., Cunningham, C.

**Healthy housing index pilot study final report.** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. He Kainga Oranga / Housing and Health Research Programme, Department of Public Health, University of Otago, March 2007, 83pp. The aim of this pilot study was to investigate the feasibility of creating a Healthy Housing Index (HHI), which is an indicator of housing condition related to the health of the occupants. It provides a measure of the 'healthiness' and 'safety' of a house or, conversely, provides a measure of how likely it is that occupants will suffer ill health or injuries due to housing factor(s). The most reliable method of surveying and calculating indices was explored in the pilot study, along with the development of an injury hazards sub-index, and the measurement of associations between this injury hazards index and home injury outcomes.

Location: E-journals

Online at:

<http://www.uow.otago.ac.nz/academic/dph/research/housing/publications/Final%20report%20HHI%20pilot.pdf>

Website: <http://www.uow.otago.ac.nz/academic/dph/research/housing/hhindex.html>

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Hsiao, K., Newbury, C., Bartlett, N., Dansey, R., Morreau, P., Hamill, J.

**Paediatric driveway run-over injuries: time for redesign** [Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 3 July 2009, 122(1298), 8pp.

The authors reviewed cases of driveway run-over injuries in Auckland between 2001 and 2005, analysing demographics, accident and environmental characteristics, and parental awareness.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3679/>

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Safekids New Zealand.

**Safekids Information Centre bibliography: a selection of items related to cutting & piercing injury prevention** [Bibliography]

Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, March 2009, 4pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Cutting%20Piercing/Safekids%20Child%20Cutting%20Piercing%202009%202010%20Bibliography.pdf>

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Escott, A., Elder, D.E., Zuccollo, J.M.

**Sudden unexpected infant death and bedsharing: referrals to the Wellington Coroner 1997–2006**

[Article]

*New Zealand Medical Journal*, 3 July 2009, 122(1298), 10pp.

This article describes the factors associated with sudden unexpected death in infancy (SUDI), also known as SIDS, for which there was no clear medical diagnosis, referred to the Wellington-based coronial paediatric pathology service over the decade from 1997 to 2006. Unsafe sleeping environment and unsafe sleeping locations were identified as risk factors with Maori and Pacific infants over represented in the reported cases.

Location: E-journals

Online at: <http://www.nzma.org.nz/journal/122-1298/3686/>

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## Injury Prevention

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**Community Update** [Newsletter] New Plymouth: New Plymouth Injury Safe

Latest issue: **June 2009, no.43: 2pp.**

Newsletter from New Plymouth Injury Safe, participating in the WHO Safe Communities programme.

Contact Channa Perry at NPIS to receive this newsletter by email.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Website: <http://www.npis.org.nz/newsletters.htm>

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**Healthy housing index pilot study final report.** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. He Kainga Oranga / Housing and Health Research Programme, Department of Public Health, University of Otago, March 2007, 83pp.

The aim of this pilot study was to investigate the feasibility of creating a Healthy Housing Index (HHI), which is an indicator of housing condition related to the health of the occupants. It provides a measure of the 'healthiness' and 'safety' of a house or, conversely, provides a measure of how likely it is that occupants will suffer ill health or injuries due to housing factor(s). The most reliable method of surveying and calculating indices was explored in the pilot study, along with the development of an injury hazards sub-index, and the measurement of associations between this injury hazards index and home injury outcomes.

Location: E-journals

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**Injury Control Alberta** [Newsletter] Edmonton, Alberta: Alberta Centre for Injury Control and Research, ISSN: 1481-8817

Latest issue: **July 2009, 11(11), 4pp.**

Newsletter of the Alberta Centre for Injury Control and Research based at the School of Public Health, University of Alberta. Find issues via Newsletters link on the Centre's homepage. The Alberta Centre for Injury Control & Research has just published three updated fact sheets on Injuries in Alberta, Children and Youth - injuries in Alberta and Seniors - injuries in Alberta. The graphics used to present this information may be of interest. Click on the Injury Facts / Data Reports link on the home page (link below) to access these reports.

Website: <http://www.acicr.ualberta.ca/>

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Spinks, A., Turner, C., Nixon, J., McClure, R.

**The "WHO Safe Communities" model for the prevention of injury in whole populations.** [Systematic Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

A systematic review was conducted to determine the effectiveness of the Safe Communities model to prevent injury in whole populations, or targeted sub-groups of populations. This 2009 version of the review includes new studies and the conclusions have been amended. Authors' conclusions; "There is marked inconsistency in the results of the studies included in this systematic review. While the frequency of injury in some study communities did reduce following their designation as a WHO Safe Community, there remains insufficient evidence from which to draw definitive conclusions regarding the effectiveness of the model. The lack of consistency in results may be due to the heterogeneity of the approaches to implementing the model, varying efficacy of activities and strategies, varying intensity of implementation and methodological limitations in evaluations. While all communities included in the review fulfilled the WHO Safe Community criteria, these criteria were too general to prescribe a standardised programme of activity or evaluation methodology.

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD004445.pub2>

## Injury Surveillance

8201

Inoue, N., Baker, R., Scott, D..

**A 5 year review of information requests to QISU** [Article]

*Injury Bulletin (QISU)* June 2009, no.106: 1-4

Location: Journals

Online at: [http://www.qisu.org.au/modcore/CurrentBulliten/backend/upload\\_file/Bulletin\\_106.pdf](http://www.qisu.org.au/modcore/CurrentBulliten/backend/upload_file/Bulletin_106.pdf)

Website: <http://www.qisu.org.au/modcore/PreviousBulliten/frontend/index.asp>

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Randle, S.

**Trauma team update: motor vehicle child passenger admissions** [Article]

*Safekids News*, June 2009, no.45: 5

A quarterly update from the Starship Children's Health Service. These updates are intended to inform the injury prevention workforce about the injuries treated in Starship Hospital (Auckland) and any issues these raise. This update focuses on child passenger injuries over a 13 month period.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20News/SafekidsNewsJune2009FINAL.pdf>

## Māori

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**HRC Panui** [Newsletter] Auckland. N.Z. Health Research Council

Latest issue: **April 2009, 8pp.**

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

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/Panui%20April%202009.S.pdf>

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

8184

Coupe, N.M., Hatcher, S.

**Whakamomori: Māori deliberate self-harm presentations to three Auckland public hospitals** [Article]  
*He Pūkenga Kōrero: A Journal of Māori Studies*, 2007, 8(2): 5-9

## Mental Health

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Marsh, L., McGee, R., Nada-Raja, S., Williams, S.

**Brief report: Text bullying and traditional bullying among New Zealand secondary school students** [Article]

*Journal of Adolescence*, 2009, epub

This research conducted by researchers at the Injury Prevention Research Unit, University of Otago reports the results of an online survey of secondary school students in New Zealand. Use the web link to read the SafetyLit abstract.

Location: E-journals

Website:

[http://www.safelylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds\[\]=citjournalarticle\\_108126\\_24](http://www.safelylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds[]=citjournalarticle_108126_24)

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.adolescence.2009.06.001>

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**Mental health aspects of women's reproductive health: a global review of the literature** [Literature review] Geneva, Switz. World Health Organization, 2009, 181pp. ISBN: 978 92 4 156356 7

Online at

[http://whqlibdoc.who.int/publications/2009/9789241563567\\_eng.pdf](http://whqlibdoc.who.int/publications/2009/9789241563567_eng.pdf)

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McAvoy, B.R.

**Music therapy for depression may improve mood** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, May 2008,

Pearls, no. 67

This issue considers the question: How effective is music therapy for depression?

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Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

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Ministry of Health.

**Preventing and minimising gambling harm 2010-2016: consultation document:**

**Six-year strategic plan; three-year service plan; problem gambling needs assessment; and problem gambling levy calculations** [Consultation Document] Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Health, July 2009, 72pp  
ISBN: 978-0-478-31948-4

The Ministry of Health is seeking written submissions on the Ministry's Preventing and Minimising Gambling Harm 2010-2016: Consultation Document, which includes a six-year strategic plan 2010-2016, a three-year service plan 2010-2013, a problem gambling needs assessment, and problem gambling levy calculations over the 2010-2013 period. Read the document or view the webpage for more information. Submission forms are available from the webpage. Consultation closes on 21 August 2009.

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9057/\\$File/gambling-harm-consultation-jul09.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9057/$File/gambling-harm-consultation-jul09.pdf)

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Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

# Occupational Injury

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Cashman, C.M., ruotsalainen, J.H., Greiner, B.A., Beime, P.V., Verbeek, J.H.

**Alcohol and drug screening of occupational drivers for preventing injury** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 2

Authors' conclusions: "There is insufficient evidence to advise for or against the use of drug and alcohol testing of occupational drivers for preventing injuries as a sole, effective, long-term solution in the context of workplace culture, peer interaction and other local factors. Cluster-randomised trials are needed to better address the effects of interventions for injury prevention in this occupational setting"

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD006566.pub2>

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National Occupational Health and Safety Commission (NOHSC)

**Australian occupational health and safety thesaurus** [Thesaurus] 3rd ed. Canberra, ACT: National Occupational Health & Safety Commission (NOHSC) March 2003, 236pp. ISBN: 1 920763 06 6

This thesaurus includes guidelines for its use, a hierarchical structure of preferred terms and an alphabetical list of preferred terms and non-preferred terms. It should be noted that the use of "accident" within this thesaurus may not be appropriate in New Zealand.

Online at: [http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/5C2FCFD3-E03E-46F2-99A0-1738EFCE1C63/0/AOHST\\_e3.pdf](http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/5C2FCFD3-E03E-46F2-99A0-1738EFCE1C63/0/AOHST_e3.pdf)

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Safe Work Australia.

**Comparison of workers' compensation arrangements in Australia and New Zealand** [Report]

Canberra, ACT: Safe Work Australia, April 2009, 224pp. ISBN: 978-0-642-32854-0

This report provides a background to the evolution of workers' compensation arrangements in Australia (encompassing eight states and territories and three Commonwealth schemes) and New Zealand, and discusses the way that each scheme deals with key aspects such as the size and nature of the schemes, coverage, benefits, return to work provisions, self-insurance, common law, dispute resolution and cross-border arrangements. Information is as at 30 June 2008.

Online at: [http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/2F9B1EA6-7E2A-407C-AA52-99D0F6B2D0C5/0/Comparison\\_of\\_Workers\\_Compensation\\_Arrangements\\_in\\_Aust\\_and\\_NZ\\_2008.pdf](http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/NR/rdonlyres/2F9B1EA6-7E2A-407C-AA52-99D0F6B2D0C5/0/Comparison_of_Workers_Compensation_Arrangements_in_Aust_and_NZ_2008.pdf)

Website: <http://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/swa/WorkersComp/WorkersCompInformation/>

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Allen & Clarke.

**Defining work-related harm: implications for diagnosis, rehabilitation, compensation and prevention**

[Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee (NOHSAC) 2009, 182pp. ISBN: 13 978-0-478-33340-4

NOHSAC technical report no.11

This report is designed to provide a thorough understanding of international concepts of work-related harm and the legal frameworks in which work-related harm is recognised in New Zealand and five other countries. The report discusses the implications of definitions of work-related harm for diagnosis, rehabilitation, compensation and prevention, and makes recommendations to help inform future decisions in this area.

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: <http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/NOH14653TechRepDoccomplete.pdf>

8226

Bohle, P., Buchanan, J., Cooke, T., Considine, G., Jakubauskas, M., Quinlan, M., Rafferty, M., Ryan, R.  
**The evolving work environment in New Zealand: implications for occupational health and safety**  
[Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee (NOHSAC) 2008,  
142pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-33317-6  
NOHSAC technical report no.10

This report examines how a changing labour market, workplace restructuring and workforce diversity is creating new occupational disease and injury risks and/or exacerbating existing ones in New Zealand. The report draws on previously published research and key informant interviews. This detailed technical report is accompanied by a brief summary report to the Minister of Labour (item no. 8227).

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Online at: [http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/Evolving\\_work\\_environments\\_-\\_Tech\\_Report\\_10.pdf](http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/Evolving_work_environments_-_Tech_Report_10.pdf)

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Gander, P., Pearce, N., Langley, J., Wagstaffe,

**The evolving work environment in New Zealand: implications for occupational health and safety: report to the Minister of Labour** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee (NOHSAC) 2009, 32pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-33371-8

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Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: <http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/EvolvingWork%14ReporttotheMinister.pdf>

Website: [http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/evolving\\_workplace/index.php](http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/evolving_workplace/index.php)

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Verbeek, J.H., Kateman, E., Morata, T.C., Dreschler, W., Sorgdrager, B.

**Interventions to prevent occupational noise induced hearing loss** [Cochrane Review Podcast]  
*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

Authors' conclusions: "There is low quality evidence that legislation can reduce noise levels in workplaces. The effectiveness of hearing protection devices depends on their proper use. There is contradictory evidence that HLPPs (hearing loss prevention programmes) are effective in the long-term. Even though case studies show that substantial reductions can be achieved, there is no evidence that this is realised in practice. Better implementation and reinforcement is needed. Better evaluations of technical interventions and long-term effects are needed. Audiometric and noise measurement data are potentially valuable for such studies." There is a podcast summary of this intervention review - follow the website link below.

Location: Cochrane Library

Website: [http://www.cochrane.org/podcasts/review\\_summaries/2009issue3/issue3\\_2009\\_noise.html](http://www.cochrane.org/podcasts/review_summaries/2009issue3/issue3_2009_noise.html)

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD006396.pub2>

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Legg, S., Battisti, M., Harris, L-A., Laird, I., Lamm, F., Massey, C., Olsen, K.

**Occupational health and safety in small businesses** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee (NOHSAC) 2009, 192pp. ISBN: 13 978-0-478-33341-1  
NOHSAC technical report no.12

Nine New Zealand case studies described in this report provide a useful corroborative description of many of the issues identified in this report) and of practical issues faced by small businesses in managing occupational health and safety. .

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: <http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/NOH14723TechReport12v4Allfinal.pdf>

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Department of Labour.

**Review of the Workplace Health and Safety Strategy for New Zealand to 2015 (WHSS): working paper. WHSS stock-take: detail and progress of activity 2005 - 2008** [Report] Wellington, N.Z.

Department of Labour, 2009, 44pp

This document provides background for the review of the Workplace Health and Safety Strategy which is currently in progress and due to be completed by the end of July 2009.

Online at: <http://www.whss.govt.nz/review/stock-take-report/whss-stocktake-2009.pdf>

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't Mannelje, A., Slater, T., McLean, D., Eng, A., Briar, C., Douwes, J.

**Women's occupational health and safety in New Zealand** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. National Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Committee (NOHSAC) 2009, 176pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-33370-1 NOHSAC technical report no.13

This report provides an overview of what is known about women's occupational health and safety in New Zealand, 46% of the employed population being female.

Location: Books and Reports - Workplace

Online at: <http://www.nohsac.govt.nz/documents/TechnicalReport13.pdf>

8175

Department of Labour.

**Workplace Health and Safety Strategy: outcome monitoring framework - document for consultation** [Strategy document]

Wellington, N.Z. Department of Labour, 2009,

The Government has launched a review of the Workplace Health and Safety Strategy. Closing date for submissions 15 May 2009. The review is due to be completed by the end of July 2009.

Online at: <http://www.whss.govt.nz/review/outcome-monitoring-framework/outcomes-monitoring-framework-2009.pdf>

Website: <http://www.whss.govt.nz/review/index.shtml>

## Older People

8207

Kinsella, K., He, W.

**An aging world: 2008** [Report] Washington, D.C. U.S. Census Bureau, June 2009, 204pp. International population reports, P95 / 09-1

This report provides detailed information on life expectancy, health, disability, gender balance, marital status, living arrangements, education and literacy, labour force participation and retirement and pensions among older people around the world. The report was prepared by the US National Institute on Aging and the US Census Bureau. New Zealand is included in some statistical tables. The prevalence of injury and disability among the ageing population is discussed.

Online at: <http://www.census.gov/prod/2009pubs/p95-09-1.pdf>

Website: <http://www.eldis.org/go/topics/resource-guides/ageing-populations&id=44155&type=Document>

8168

McAvoy, B.R.

**Exercise improves balance in older people** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, November 2007, Pearls, no. 40

This issue considers the question: Are exercise interventions effective in improving balance in older people? PEARLS are succinct summaries of Cochrane Systematic Reviews for primary care practitioners. They are funded by the New Zealand Guidelines Group.

PEARLS provide guidance on whether a treatment is effective or ineffective. PEARLS are prepared as an educational resource and do not replace clinician judgement in the management of individual cases.

Location: Electronic Source

Online at:

[http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/40\\_Exercise%20improves%20balance%20in%20older%20people\(RE\).pdf](http://www.cochranepriarycare.org/Files/PEARLS/40_Exercise%20improves%20balance%20in%20older%20people(RE).pdf)

Website: <http://www.cochranepriarycare.org>

8230

Sundborn, G., Metcalf, P.A., Gentles, D., Scragg, R., Schaarf, D., Dyllal, L., Black, P., Jackson, R.

**'From kava to lager'--alcohol consumption and drinking patterns for older adults of Pacific ethnic groups, and Europeans in the Diabetes Heart and Health Study (DHAHS) 2002-2003, Auckland New Zealand** [Article]

*Pacific Health Dialog*, Auckland. N.Z. 2009, 15(1): 47-54 ISBN: 0958239932

This paper describes and compares alcohol consumption and drinking patterns for Pacific ethnic groups (Samoan, Tongan, Niue, Cook Islands) and European New Zealanders by gender participating in the 2002-03 Diabetes Heart and Health Study (DHAHS). This research was conducted by researchers at the School of Population Health, The University of Auckland. Use the web link below to read the SafetyLit abstract.

Website:

[http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds\[\]=citjournalarticle\\_108543\\_26](http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds[]=citjournalarticle_108543_26)

5564

Gillespie, L.D., Gillespie, W.J., Robertson, M.C., Lamb, S.E., Cumming, R.G., Rowen, B.H.

**Interventions for preventing falls in elderly people.** [Systematic Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 2

This review, first published in 2003, has been withdrawn by the authors. It will be replaced by two new reviews. "Interventions for preventing falls in older people living in the community" has been published and is included in the IPLit database. "Interventions for preventing falls in older people in residential care facilities and hospitals" is nearing completion. Use the link below to view an archived version of the original review.

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD000340.pub2>

8216

Gillespie, L.D., Robertson, M.C., Gillespie, W.J., Lamb, S.E., Gates, S., Cumming, R.G., Rowe, B.H.

**Interventions for preventing falls in older people living in the community** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 2

Authors conclusions: "Exercise interventions reduce risk and rate of falls. Research is needed to confirm the contexts in which multifactorial assessment and intervention, home safety interventions, vitamin D supplementation, and other interventions are effective."

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD007146.pub2>

8211

Liu, C.J., Latham, N.K.

**Progressive resistance strength training for improving physical function in older adults** [Cochrane Review Podcast]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

Authors' conclusions: This review provides evidence that PRT (progressive resistance strength training) is an effective intervention for improving physical functioning in older people, including improving strength and the performance of some simple and complex activities. However, some caution is needed with transferring these exercises for use with clinical populations because adverse events are not adequately reported" Its effectiveness in preventing injuries from falls was not evaluated. There is a podcast summary of this intervention review - follow the website link below to listen.

Location: Cochrane Library

Website: [http://www.cochrane.org/podcasts/review\\_summaries/2009issue3/issue3\\_2009\\_strength.html](http://www.cochrane.org/podcasts/review_summaries/2009issue3/issue3_2009_strength.html)

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD002759.pub2>

## Pacific People

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5651

**HRC News: newsletter of the Health Research Council of New Zealand** [Newsletter]

Auckland. N.Z. Health Research Council of New Zealand = Te Kaunihera Rangahau Hauora o Aotearoa  
Latest issue: **June 2009, issue 64, 24pp.**

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. Continues Newsletter. Health Research Council of New Zealand published 1990 - 2005. This issue highlights the 2009 HRC annual funding round results.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/HRCNews%20Jun09.pdf>

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

8179

HRC Pacific News [Newsletter] Auckland. N.Z. Health Research Council

Latest issue: April 2009, 6pp.

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

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/Pacific%20News%20Apr%2009.S.pdf>

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

## Public Health & Health Promotion

8204

Ministry of Health.

**Preventing and minimising gambling harm 2010-2016: consultation document:**

**Six-year strategic plan; three-year service plan; problem gambling needs assessment; and problem gambling levy calculations** [Consultation Document] Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Health, July 2009, 72pp  
ISBN: 978-0-478-31948-4

The Ministry of Health is seeking written submissions on the Ministry's Preventing and Minimising Gambling Harm 2010-2016: Consultation Document, which includes a six-year strategic plan 2010-2016, a three-year service plan 2010-2013, a problem gambling needs assessment, and problem gambling levy calculations over the 2010-2013 period. Read the document or view the webpage for more information. Submission forms are available from the webpage. Consultation closes on 21 August 2009.

Online at: [http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9057/\\$File/gambling-harm-consultation-jul09.pdf](http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/pagesmh/9057/$File/gambling-harm-consultation-jul09.pdf)

Website: <http://www.moh.govt.nz/moh.nsf/indexmh/preventing-and-minimising-gambling-harm-consultation>

8209

Genter, J.A., Donovan, S., Petrenas, B., Badland, H.

**Valuing the health benefits of active transport modes** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, 2008, 69pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-33455-5

NZ Transport Agency research report, 359

Injury risk is considered as part of this valuation of health benefits.

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/359.pdf>

Website: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/index.html>

## Recreation and Sport

7454

Drowning Prevention News, Views and Events [Newsletter] Auckland, N.Z. WaterSafe Auckland Inc. : Wai Ora, ISBN: 1175 3846

Latest issue: July 2009, 4pp.

This annual publication provides a comprehensive update on WaterSafe Auckland's activities, projects and initiatives, both within the community and schools. In this issue: Message from the Chairman; From the CEO; Wise up to the water campaign - 2008 - 2009; From the WAI Office; Drowning prevention at community level: New settler water safety strategy and priority action implemented, Whānau nui and whānau swim, East Health water safety project targeting Asian families; Kaiwhakahaere, Māori Drowning Prevention; Improving knowledge through evaluations, research and development; Schools, Integrated Aquatic Programme; Aquatic education - developing a sustainable approach.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.watersafe.org.nz/attachments/docs/wai-news-july-09-web.pdf>

## Research Issues

5651

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

6179

**HRC Panui** [Newsletter]

Auckland. N.Z. Health Research Council,

Latest issue: **April 2009, 8pp.**

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

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.hrc.govt.nz/assets/pdfs/publications/Panui%20April%2009.S.pdf>

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

8217

Edwards, P.J., Roberts, I., Clarke, M.J., DiGuseppi, C., Wentz, R., Kwan, I., Cooper, R., Felix, L.M., Pratap, S.

**Methods to increase response to postal and electronic questionnaires** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

Authors' Conclusions: "Health researchers using postal and electronic questionnaires can increase response using the strategies shown to be effective in this systematic review." Note this is an updated version of the systematic review referred to in Pearls (see below). It reaches the same conclusions as previously but now makes reference to electronic questionnaires.

Location: Electronic Source

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.MR000008.pub4>

8172

McAvoy, B.R.

**Response rates to postal questionnaires can be increased** [Article] Auckland, N.Z. Cochrane Primary Healthcare Field, May 2007

Pearls, no. 20

This issue considers the question: How can response rates to postal questionnaires be increased?

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Location: Electronic Source

Online at: [http://www.cochranepriamrycare.org/Files/PEARLS/20\\_response%20rates.doc.pdf](http://www.cochranepriamrycare.org/Files/PEARLS/20_response%20rates.doc.pdf)

Website: <http://www.cochranepriamrycare.org>

## Road Safety

8187

Safekids New Zealand.

**Boosters in a nutshell: a guide for injury prevention professionals** [Booklet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, 2009, 8pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger/Safekids%20Boosters%20in%20a%20nutshell%20FINAL.pdf>

8193

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Child restraints: fact sheet 7** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, February 2009,

Factsheet 7

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/07.html>

8198

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Disabilities and driving: fact sheet 31** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, February 2009

Factsheet 31

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/31.html>

8197

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Head injuries and driving: factsheet 36** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, April 2009

Factsheet 36

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/36.html>

8195

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Kea crossings: school crossing points: factsheet 26** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, July 2009

Factsheet 26

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/26.html>

7826

**NZTA Research** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, ISSN: 1176 9157

Latest issue: **June 2009, issue 4, 8pp.**

Quarterly publication focusing on research funded by NZTA, formerly Land Transport New Zealand and Transit NZ.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/nzta-research/docs/nzta-04.pdf>

Website: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/nzta-research/index.html>

7769

**Pathways** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, ISSN: 1173-1826

Latest issue: **Issue 05, July 2009, 8pp**

This is the New Zealand Transport Agency (NZTA) newsletter replacing Land Transport News. Of interest in this issue - National Land Transport Programme 2009-12; Transport impacts the government wishes to achieve; Improving safety on Rimutaka Hill; The driver licence theory test is changing (going electronic); Permanent traffic lights signal change on the West Coast; Info day for slo field bus drivers a success; agricultural vehicles' guide 2009 available; New ads target young drink-drivers.

Location: Journals

Online at: <http://www.nzta.govt.nz/publications/docs/pathways-005.pdf>

Website: <http://www.nzta.govt.nz/publications/index.html>

8208

Turner, S., Tate, F.

**Relationship between road geometry, observed travel speed and rural accidents** [Report] Wellington, N.Z. NZ Transport Agency, 2009, 73pp. ISBN: 978-0-478-34601-5

NZ Transport Agency research report, 371

Using highway geometry, speed and crash data collected during 2005–2006 on six 20 km road sections located in Canterbury (SH73), Blenheim (SH1), Wanganui (SH3) and Whangerei (SH1), this research investigates the relationship between curve radii, the preceding speed environment and drivers' observed curve negotiation speeds. The observed free speeds are compared to the 'safe' speed, measured as a function of the design speed of each curve; the relationship between speed and crash occurrence is examined by relating crashes to the difference between observed and 'safe' speed.

Location: Books and Reports - Road Safety

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/371.pdf>

8192

Segedin, E.

**Restraint of the school-aged passenger: the role of the booster seat** [Presentation] March 2008, 44pp. A presentation from the 2008 Safekids Leadership conference. This presentation includes detailed information supporting the call for children under 148cm tall and up to 12 years of age to use booster seats. Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/downloads/Safekids%20Presentations/Role%20of%20the%20Booster%20Seat,%20Dr%20Liz%20Segedin.pdf>

631

**The Road Ahead** [Newsletter] Auckland. N.Z. RoadSafe Auckland, ISBN: 1171-0980

Latest issue: **July 2009, issue 47, 8pp.**

Published three times per year, focusing on road safety issues for the Auckland region.

In this issue: Explosive speeds continue in the region; Road safety for teenage mothers; Summer brings out more bikes; Teens encouraged on explore on bikes; New faces; Red light cameras produce results; Safer bends in Rodney; Tears of blood warn Easter motorists; Operation Sniper working; Hi-viz motorcycle campaign; Award winning pedestrian safety lights; Fatalities update - Auckland region; Invest in safer travel for kids; Win the "Walk it Bik it" road safety game.

Location: Journals

Website: <http://www.roadsafeauckland.org.nz/TheRoadAhead/>

8188

Safekids New Zealand.

**Safekids Information Centre bibliography: a selection of items related to motor vehicle child passenger safety** [Bibliography] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, March 2009, 4pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Resources/Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger/Safekids%20Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger%202009%202010%20Bibliography.pdf>

8196

New Zealand Transport Agency.

**Speed: how to use speed limits safely: factsheet 33** [Fact sheet] Wellington, N.Z. New Zealand Transport Agency, March 2009

Factsheet 33

Location: Electronic Source

Online at: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/factsheets/33.html>

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Website: <http://www.landtransport.govt.nz/research/reports/index.html>

## Road Traffic Injury

8186

Safekids New Zealand.

**Child motor vehicle passenger injuries: effectiveness of belt positioning booster seats: factsheet**

[Fact sheet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand, April 2009, 2pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Factsheets/Safekids%20MVCP%20Injuries%20Booster%20Seats%20Factsheet%20April%202009.pdf>

8185

Safekids New Zealand.

**Child motor vehicle passenger injuries: factsheet** [Fact sheet] Auckland. N.Z. Safekids New Zealand,

April 2009, 2pp.

Location: V/F - Child restraint

Online at:

<http://www.safekids.org.nz/Downloads/Safekids%20Factsheets/Safekids%20Motor%20Vehicle%20Child%20Passenger%20Injury%20factsheet%20April%202009.pdf>

## Suicide and Deliberate Self-Harm

8200

**Mental health aspects of women's reproductive health: a global review of the literature** [Literature

review] Geneva, Switz. World Health Organization, 2009, 181pp. ISBN: 978 92 4 156356 7

Online at: [http://whqlibdoc.who.int/publications/2009/9789241563567\\_eng.pdf](http://whqlibdoc.who.int/publications/2009/9789241563567_eng.pdf)

8184

Coupe, N.M., Hatcher, S.

**Whakamomori: Maori deliberate self-harm presentations to three Auckland public hospitals** [Article]

*He Pūkenga Kōrero: A Journal of Maori Studies*, 2007, 8(2): 5-9

## Violence

8229

Marsh, L., McGee, R., Nada-Raja, S., Williams, S.

**Brief report: Text bullying and traditional bullying among New Zealand secondary school students**

[Article]

*Journal of Adolescence*, 2009, epub

This research conducted by researchers at the Injury Prevention Research Unit, University of Otago reports the results of an online survey of secondary school students in New Zealand. Use the web link to read the SafetyLit abstract.

Location: E-journals

Website:

[http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds\[\]=citjournalarticle\\_108126\\_24](http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds[]=citjournalarticle_108126_24)

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.adolescence.2009.06.001>

## Water safety

7454

**Drowning Prevention News, Views and Events** [Newsletter] Auckland, N.Z. WaterSafe Auckland Inc. : Wai Ora, ISBN: 1175 3846

Latest issue: **July 2009, 4pp.**

This annual publication provides a comprehensive update on WaterSafe Auckland's activities, projects and initiatives, both within the community and schools.

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Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.watersafe.org.nz/attachments/docs/wai-news-july-09-web.pdf>

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[http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds\[\]=citjournalarticle\\_108126\\_24](http://www.safetylit.org/citations/index.php?fuseaction=citations.viewdetails&citationIds[]=citjournalarticle_108126_24)

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.adolescence.2009.06.001>

8214

Duperrex, O., Blackhall, K., Burri, M., Jeannot, E.

**Education of children and adolescents for the prevention of dog bite injuries** [Cochrane Review]

**The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews**, 2009, Issue 2

Authors' Conclusions: "There is no direct evidence that educational programmes can reduce dog bite rates in children and adolescents. Educating children who are less than 10 years old in school settings could improve their knowledge, attitude and behaviour towards dogs. Educating children and adolescents in settings other than schools should also be evaluated. There is a need for high quality studies that measure dog bite rates as an outcome. To date, evidence does not suggest that educating children and adolescents is effective as a unique public health strategy to reduce dog bite injuries and their consequences." Only two studies met the criteria to be included in this review and neither study reported on injury outcome, that is any change in dog bite rates.

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD004726.pub2>

7346

**Rise** [Newsletter] Wellington, N.Z. Ministry of Social Development, ISSN: 1178-4717

Latest issue: **July 2009, no.7, 33pp.**

This is the Ministry of Social Development's flagship magazine showcasing its activities. It is available in hard copy and can be downloaded in two parts - see link below. It is also available as a Word document from the website. The theme of this issue is Unity.

Location: Journals - Miscellaneous

Online at: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/rise-issue-seven.html>

Website: <http://www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/journals-and-magazines/rise/index.html>

8210

Moreira, M.T., Smith, L.A., Foxcroft, D.

**Social norms interventions to reduce alcohol misuse in University or College students** [Cochrane Review]

*The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, 2009, Issue 3

The purpose of this intervention review was to determine whether social norms feedback reduces alcohol misuse in university or college students. Authors' conclusions "WF (web/computer feedback) and IFF (individual face-to-face feedback) are probably effective in reducing alcohol misuse. No direct comparisons of WF against IFF were found, but WF impacted across a broader set of outcomes and is less costly so therefore might be preferred. Significant effects were more apparent for short-term outcomes (up to three months). For mailed and group feedback, and social norms marketing campaigns, the results are on the whole not significant and therefore cannot be recommended."

Location: Cochrane Library

DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/14651858.CD006748.pub2>

## Courses

### New Date

2 – 4 November 2009, Wellington

**IPNANZ Foundation Certificate in Injury Prevention – Te Aho Tapu**

**Places still available.** Applications close 4 September. Information at:

<http://www.ipnanz.org.nz/page.php?p=36>

24 - 27 November 2009, Massey University, Palmerston North

**Community Based Rehabilitation for Acquired Brain Injury – Level 1**

For information, email: [national@brain-injury.org.nz](mailto:national@brain-injury.org.nz)

2-4 March 2010, Auckland

**IPNANZ Foundation Certificate in Injury Prevention – Te Aho Tapu**

Applications close 31 December 2009. Information at: <http://www.ipnanz.org.nz/page.php?p=36>

# Conferences

## New Zealand

### 2009

1-4 September, Dunedin / Otepoti

#### **Public Health Association Conference**

Research and Values: the underpinnings of public health practice

Information at: <http://www.dcms.co.nz/pha.html>

6-10 September, Auckland

#### **Traffinz 2009**

Act now for tomorrow: turning vision into a reality

Information at: [http://www.trafinz.org.nz/Conferences/Conference2009/programme\\_theme.html](http://www.trafinz.org.nz/Conferences/Conference2009/programme_theme.html)

9 -12 September, Wellington

#### **Cutting Edge 2009: Our place, our future**

National alcohol and addiction treatment meeting

Information at: <http://www.cmsl.co.nz/default,3065.sm>

10 -11 September, Wellington

#### **SPINZ National Symposium 2009**

Culture and suicide prevention in Aotearoa

Information at: [http://www.spinz.org.nz/page/spinz\\_100.php](http://www.spinz.org.nz/page/spinz_100.php)

29 September – 1 October, Auckland

#### **ATRF 2009, 32<sup>nd</sup> Australasian Transport Research Forum**

Information at: <http://www.atrf2009.co.nz/>

7 October, Auckland

#### **Dealing with Disclosure**

One day workshop run by Rape Prevention Education

Information at: <http://www.rapecrisis.org.nz/pdf/Dealing%20with%20Disclosures%20Flier.pdf>

7-9 October, Hoani Waititi Marae, Waitakere City

#### **IPNANZ Conference**

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

7-9 October, Wellington

#### **New Zealand Association of Gerontology & Age Concern New Zealand**

First combined conference. Theme: Living in an ageing society.

Information at: <http://www.confer.co.nz/ageing2009/papers.html>

12-13 November, New Plymouth

#### **7<sup>th</sup> New Zealand Cycling Conference**

Communities, connections and the economy

Preceded by Australian Bike Council meeting (11 Nov), followed by CAN Do weekend (14-15 Nov)

Call for abstracts closes 5 June 2009

Information at: <http://can.org.nz/conference/2009>

26 – 27 November, Wellington  
**New Zealand Water Safety Conference**  
Charting the future  
Information at: <http://www.watersafety2009.org.nz/>

## Overseas

### 2009

13-15 August 2009, Cali, Colombia  
**18<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Safe Communities  
Community Safety Policies as an Axis for Development**  
More information at: <http://www.cisalva.univalle.edu.co>

3 – 5 September, Magglingen, Switzerland  
**Sports Safety Conference**  
Information at: <http://www.kfv.at/departement-home-leisure-sports/conferences/sport-safety-conference/>

9 – 11 September, York, United Kingdom  
**International Research Council on the Biomechanics of Injury**  
Information at: <http://www.ircobi.org/conference.htm>

4 – 7 October, Baltimore, Maryland, USA  
**Association for the Advancement of Automotive Medicine – 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conferenc**  
Information at: <http://www.aaam1.org/annual/program.pdf>

18-20 October 2009, Beijing, China  
**5<sup>th</sup> Asian Regional Conference on Safe Communities**  
Theme: Safety, Health, Harmony, hosted by China Occupational Safety & Health Association (COSHA)  
<http://www.cosha.org.cn> First Announcement: <http://www.cosha.org.cn/upload/1224465633423324.pdf>  
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21-22 October, 2009, Karlstad, Sweden  
**Senior Safety, Future Challenges: Nordic conference**  
First Announcement and Call for Abstracts  
[www.phs.ki.se/csp/pdf/Conferences/2009\\_senior\\_safety\\_call\\_for\\_abstract.pdf](http://www.phs.ki.se/csp/pdf/Conferences/2009_senior_safety_call_for_abstract.pdf)  
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27 -31 October, Montevideo, Uruguay  
**XXV World Congress on Suicide Prevention**  
Theme: Suicide prevention in different cultures  
Information at: <http://www.iasp2009.org/>

1-4 November 2009, Darwin, NT, Australia  
**Australasian Professional Society on Alcohol and Other Drugs (APSAD) 2009 Conference**  
Theme: Living on the edge  
Call for abstracts closes 29 May 2009  
Information at: <http://www.apsadconference.com.au/>

5 – 6 November, Perth, Western Australia  
**Road Safety 2020: Smart Solutions, Sustainability, Vision**  
Information at: <http://www.acrs.org.au/activitiesevents/2009conference/>

## 2010

23-26 March, 2010, Sowon, Korea

### **19th International Conference on Safe Communities**

Sustainability of Safe Community Programs

Contact: [jpcho@ajou.ac.kr](mailto:jpcho@ajou.ac.kr)

### **Call for Abstracts Open**

7 – 10 September, Hawaii

### **Healing our Spirit Worldwide: the 6<sup>th</sup> Gathering**

Information at: <http://www.hosw.co.nz/HOSW2010Aotearoa.html>

This is the Aotearoa portal for this conference.

Call for Abstracts closes 8 September 2009.

### **Call for Abstracts Open**

21-24 September 2010, London, UK

### **10th World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion**

Call for abstracts closes 7 October 2009: <http://www.safety2010.org.uk/>

Many more conferences are listed on websites with a specific injury or health focus.

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