## Motor Neurone Disease New Zealand

"We offer support, information and advocacy to people living with Motor Neurone Disease, their families/whanau and carers as well as educational resources and support for the health professionals and service providers involved in their care."



## **Services Provided**

Our service is free and offered through a qualified and trained Support Advisor based in Auckland. Most support is provided by phone, text and email. The Support Advisor can offer in-person home visits to whanau living with MND in Northland a few times a year and is available to korero with extended whanau and health professionals at this time, if requested. Whanau huis can be arranged if you are visiting Auckland.

Our Support Advisor for the Northland area can assist you by:

- Providing information about MND when you have been newly diagnosed and as your condition progresses
- Helping you to understand the information and to apply it to your individual situation
- Helping you to understand and navigate the health system, identify and access services you may need both now and in the future
- Providing information, education and support to health professionals involved in your care
- Promoting communication and forming co-operative links between the individuals, carers and health service agencies involved in your care
- If requested, we can help to connect you with others who are also living with MND.

National newsletters are published quarterly and are available from our MND NZ webpage.

Please contact the Support Advisor for further information or assistance.



## **Key Northland Contact**

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Linking disability information to people and families in Northland tiaho.org.nz