

GO4YOUR LIFE

WAIRARAPA CHARTER



OUR VISION

An environment where individuals and whānau are supported to achieve their maximum health and wellbeing.

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Cancer Society
Carterton District Council
Education Support Services
Greater Wellington Regional Council
Māori Health Committee
Māori Women's Welfare League
Masterton District Council
Ministry of Social Development
National Heart Foundation
Ngāti Kahungunu Ki Wairarapa
Pasifika Wairarapa
Rangitāne O Wairarapa
REAP
Regional Public Health
Smokefree Wairarapa
South Wairarapa District Council
Sport Wellington - Wairarapa
Supporting Families Wairarapa
Te Peka O Ruamahanga
Te Peka O Wairarapa
Te Hauora Runanga O Wairarapa
Te Oranga O Te Iwi Kainga
Wairarapa Community
Primary Health Organisation
Wairarapa District Health Board
Wairarapa Road Safety Council
Whaiora
WOOPS (Wairarapa Organisation for Older Persons)
Work and Income

What is the purpose of the Charter?

We can achieve greater outcomes by working together. This Charter provides a platform for genuine collaboration within and between sectors. No legal relationship is established through the Charter but it confirms our mutual intentions to work together to achieve our vision.

What does it mean to be a signatory?

This agreement records our commitment to reduce the risk of developing long term health conditions by working together to reduce smoking rates, increase access to healthy food, increase opportunities for physical activity, support violence free families and increase mental wellbeing.

Where possible we will contribute our knowledge, resources and support to plan, implement, monitor and evaluate the initiatives and activities that are part of the strategy.

In addition, we commit to support each other and to ensure that our practice reflects this common purpose, as we lead the way with our actions and words.

We strive to provide a healthy workplace for our own staff, clients and the public.

We commit to leading by example; ensuring that our organisation's policies and programmes have a positive impact on our physical and mental wellbeing.

Who can sign the Charter?

The work necessary to ensure that our lifestyles are healthy by reducing smoking, improving nutrition, increasing physical activity and supporting families to be violence free is wide ranging and requires multiple actions by multiple players.

Any group, organisation, network or business with a commitment to creating an environment that supports good health for people in the Wairarapa, can sign the charter and be involved.

THIS INCLUDES:

Local government, health agencies (public health, primary care, secondary care, NGOs), social services, government departments, recreation providers, employers and workplaces, education sector (early childhood, primary, secondary and tertiary), food service industry, community organisations and many more.

An invitation to become a signatory is open until 30th October 2009.

For more information or to become a signatory
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