

A better disability support system



Making sure the new disability support system works well

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This information is about work that is being done to make the **disability support system** better for disabled people.

System transformation is new work being done to **design** a new **disability support system**.



On the 20th July the New Zealand Government Ministers in Parliament released the new **disability support system design**.



Some more work still needs to be done to make the new **design** better.



On the 1st of July 2018 the new **disability support system design** will be ready to use in MidCentral New Zealand.

There will be more information at this website about the work being done:

<http://www.enablinggoodlives.co.nz/system-transformation/>



Making a better disability support system design

We need people to say how to make the **disability support system design** better.





To have your say about how to make the **design** better, you can join a:



- working group



- virtual testing group.

About working groups



Working groups will meet to make sure the new **disability support system design** will work well.



On the working groups there will be:

- disabled people



- people who work for Government



- family / whānau

- service providers



- people who know a lot about disabled people.



On every working group:

- one third of the members will be disabled people



- one third of the members will work for the Government.



A person can go on 3 working groups.



Working groups will meet for 3 to 5 days over 3 months.



About virtual testing groups

A **virtual testing group** is a group of people who will use **social media tools** to have their say.



The **virtual testing group** will tell us what they think will make the new **disability support system design** work well.



Virtual testing uses **social media tools** on computers and mobile phones.

Social media tools can be used to:

- have your say
- hear about what other people have to say.





Email, Facebook and Loomio are examples of **social media tools**.



Anybody can join a virtual testing group.



1 person can join as many virtual testing groups as they want to.

Social media tools will be used by everyone who joins a virtual testing group.

How to join a group

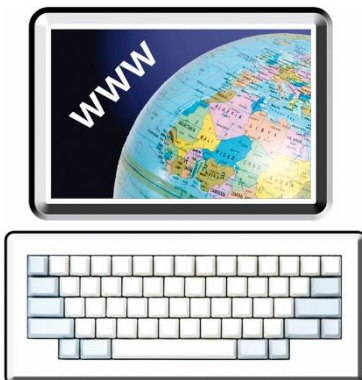


It is important that disabled people say how to make the new **disability support system design** work well.



We hope disabled people want to join the:

- working groups
- virtual testing groups.



Look at this website to find out what groups you can join:

<http://www.enablinggoodlives.co.nz/system-transformation/transformation-papers/system-transformation-updates/work-streams/>



To join a group, email us to say what groups you want to join:

STfeedback@moh.govt.nz



We look forward to working with you to make the new **disability support system design** work well.



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