

# YOUTH ENGAGEMENT PARTICIPATION DESCRIPTION

## Who can attend?

**Youth leaders and advocates aged 14 – 25 years.**

### Youth active in their community and networks who:

- Support and advocate on behalf of young people facing challenges including welfare, behavioural, social and protection issues.
- Regularly work with young people offering practical and emotional support.
- Problem solve and are team players.
- Culturally aware and respectful of diverse communities.
- Understand the barriers of youth particularly from Maori, Pacific and Ethnic communities in using services and solutions to overcome these barriers.

### The aims of the one day regional workshop is to:

- Update an information resource for New Zealand Youth published in 2012 (<http://www.southlandmulticultural.co.nz/files/2012042690547-1335387947-0.pdf>).
- Inform the development of an APP which will include relevant information on youth support services, welfare support, suicide prevention, racism and discrimination, bullying and harassment, safety information, linking with local youth organisations.
- Educate about youth rights and responsibilities and the enquiries and complaints process.

### Regions:

Workshops will be held in Porirua, Palmerston North, Hastings, Nelson, Christchurch, Dunedin, Whangarei, Mt Roskill, Counties Manukau, Gisborne, Rotorua, Hamilton.

### Costs:

Workshops are free to attend and meals provided. Limited spaces and registration essential.

### When:

Saturday 11 March 2017

9:00am - 4:00pm

Venue: Copthorne Hotel Palmerston North.  
110 Fitzherbert Ave, P.N.

### Register at:

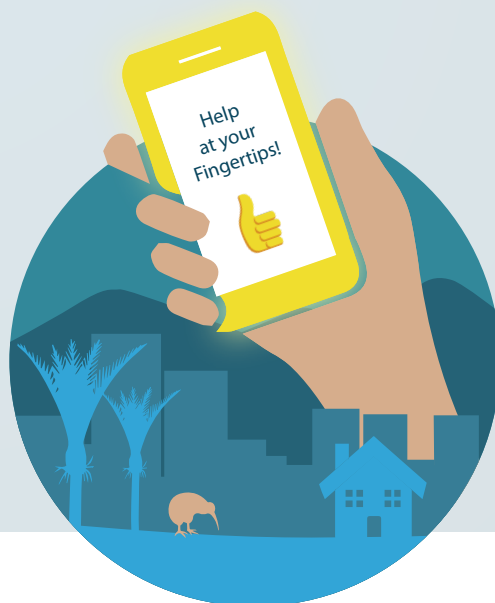
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**Hui E!**  
Community Aotearoa