

APPENDIX 1 POU ORANGA WHAIORA EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN

Evacuation Plan for Te Whare Oranga O Kopūārau Addiction Residence:

- If danger is imminent with less than 30 minutes notice Immediate Evacuation to Higher Ground on Baird's Rd:
- Upon receiving a warning, prioritise the safety of the clients and staff.
- Gather essential supplies (Grab bags) including:
 - o tents,
 - o water, non-perishable food,
 - first aid, and medication kits.
 - o Flashlights, batteries and portable radio
 - Blankets, clothing
 - Personal hygiene items
 - Contact information
- Move all individuals to higher ground further up Baird's Rd, away from potential flooding or other hazards
- Set up temporary shelters using tents or other available resources.
- Ensure access to clean water and food supplies for everyone.
- Regularly assess the situation and adjust plans accordingly.
- 2. With warning or notice of at least 30 minutes Evacuate via State Highway 2 to Maromahue Marae: 271 Waiotahi Valley Road Waiotahe 3198
- Transport clients and staff to Maromahue Marae:
- Coordinate with local authorities and the Marae to ensure a smooth transition and adequate support for all evacuees.
- Set up temporary facilities at the Marae.
- Gather and transport essential supplies (Grab bags) including:
 - o water, non-perishable food,
 - first aid, and medication kits.
 flashlights, batteries and portable radio
 - o blankets, clothing
 - personal hygiene items
 - contact information
- 3. Discharge Clients and Send Them Home:
- If there is enough notice and it is safe to do so, consider discharging clients and sending them home with appropriate support.
- Provide clients with necessary medications and resources to ensure their safety and well-being until they can return to the facility.

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- Coordinate with transportation services to ensure clients can safely reach their homes.
- Maintain communication with clients and provide ongoing support as needed during the evacuation process.

4. General Preparedness Measures:

- Regularly review and update the evacuation plan based on changing circumstances and feedback from drills or real events.
- Train staff on evacuation procedures and ensure they are familiar with emergency protocols.
- Regularly maintain and check emergency supplies including food, water, first aid, and medication kits.
- Establish communication channels with local authorities, emergency services, and neighbouring facilities for coordination and support during emergencies.
- Conduct drills and exercises to practice evacuation procedures and identify areas for improvement.
- Develop a system for tracking clients and staff during evacuations to ensure everyone's safety and well-being.



















