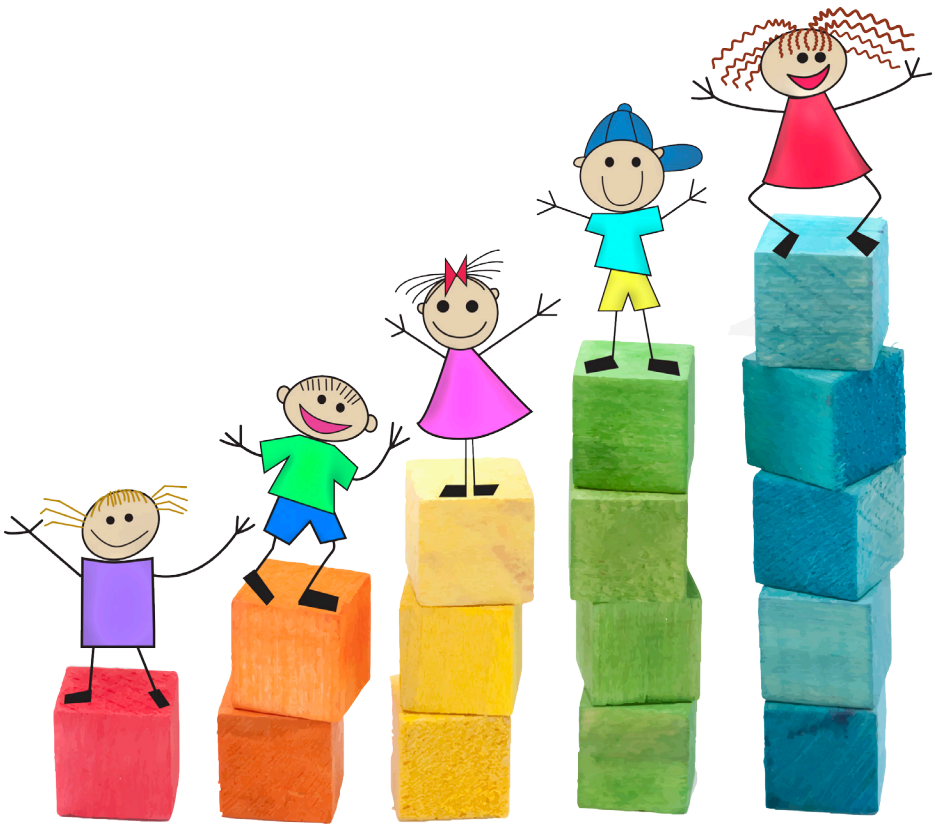


North Shore Child Focus Group

Step Up For Children – sharing responsibility to keep children safe



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About

Child Focus Group (CFG) was formed in October 2010 with the overarching goal of strengthening the Auckland North community's ability to effectively support children who have been affected by family violence and prevent them from further abuse by enhancing existing systems, increasing community ownership and the service response wrapped around families and whanau.

Vision

Thriving children and whanau in healthy safe relationships.

Purpose

- ❑ To raise awareness about family violence and its effects on children and encourage the community to get organised to prevent it
- ❑ To provide a forum for information exchange, sharing best practices, devising strategies for provision of better services for children who have suffered family violence and preventing further abuse
- ❑ To help improve inter-agency co-ordination, collaboration and communication between groups working for families and children in the family violence sector
- ❑ To work in a way that acknowledges the principles of Te Tiriti o Waitangi

- ❑ To support and facilitate collaborative dialogue, projects, and campaigns that aim to reduce and prevent family violence and protect children
- ❑ Enhancing services through the provision of meetings, forums, training, and project development
- ❑ Strengthening and improving the responsiveness towards children of the family violence service providers
- ❑ To ensure that legislations such as the Privacy Act 1993, Official Information Act 1982, Public Health and Disability Act 2000 are adhered to



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Te Runanga Ratonga Hapori o Te Raki-Pae-Whenua

Membership

Auckland Council
Waitemata District Health Board
North Shore Police
Child Youth & Family
NZ Defence Force
(*Devonport Naval Base*)
Auckland District Health Board
Barnardos
Heart for Youth Trust
Bays Youth Community Trust
Safer North Community Trust
Change Works
Strengthening Families North Shore
Bluelight
Auckland Dyspraxia Trust
Kids Link
Whanau Marama
Pakuranga Health Camp
Family Works
Takapuna North Community Trust
Gracegate
Auckland North Community
and Development
North Harbour Living Without Violence
Salvation Army
De Paul House
Autism NZ
SHINE
North Shore Women's Centre
North Shore Leisure Centre
Youthline
Albany Community Coordinator
City Impact Church
Te Puna Whanau Ora Network Alliance
Auckland University
Social Worker in Schools
Kaipatiki Youth Development Trust
Home & Family Counselling
Footsteps
Tui Centre
Relationships Aotearoa

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