



**Strengthening the
Wellbeing and
Safety of Our
Kaumātua and Kuia.
Your Wellbeing is
Our Priority**

Tiaki Tīpuna



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About Us

Tiaki Tīpuna provides culturally grounded and strengths-based services to kaumātua (elders) and kuia (female elders) in our communities. We are committed to combating elder abuse, neglect, and isolation while promoting the mana and dignity of our older generations.

Our Services

Culturally Grounded Support

We provide practical, emotional, and cultural aid to kaumātua and kuia facing abuse or neglect. Our aim is to help our elders maintain their dignity and control over their lives.

Who We Serve

Kaumātua and Kuia

We are here for all elders in our communities who may face challenges related to abuse, neglect, isolation, or family violence.

Why Choose Tiaki Tīpuna?

Culturally Safe and Respectful

Our team understands and values Ngāti Porou tikanga, ensuring all aid is delivered in a culturally sensitive manner.



Comprehensive Assessment

Our kaimahi conduct thorough evaluations of client wellbeing, safety, and support needs, integrating ngā tikanga Māori principle into our practice.



Client-led Support Plan

We develop and implement support plans tailored to each client's unique needs and circumstances, in collaboration with their whānau.



Whānau and Community

We empower whānau by offering support services that ensure the safety and wellbeing of our elders.



Awareness and Education

We conduct community education initiatives to raise awareness of elder abuse prevention and promote healthy whānau relationships.



Safety Planning

Immediate safety planning is a critical part of our work, especially for those at risk of elder abuse or family violence..



Holistic Community Coordination

We work closely with whānau, hapū, iwi services, health providers, and community agencies to ensure comprehensive and coordinated support.



Holistic Approach

We treat the whole person, not just the symptoms, working to restore mana and promote well-being through compassion and understanding.

Help is Available

If you or someone you know is facing elder abuse or needs support, do not hesitate to reach out to us. Together, we can ensure the safety and wellbeing of our kaumātua and kuia.