

# You are invited to...

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**HARM** to  
*harmony*

*Mai Te Tūkino Ki Te Hāmaria*

A two day symposium with a special focus on addressing the impacts of alcohol on the lives of women, and the burden of alcohol-related injuries and violence in New Zealand.

**Tuesday 13th and Wednesday 14th November 2012**

**9.00am – 4.30pm**

**(Registration including tea and coffee from 8.15am)**

**Waipuna Conference Centre, 58 Waipuna Road, Mt. Wellington, Auckland**

Join us, our international guests, New Zealand experts and sector leaders for two days of information sharing, discussion, collective planning and networking.

**International guests:** ▶ Dr Evelyn Gillan, Chief Executive, Alcohol Focus Scotland.  
▶ Caterina Giorgi, Manager, Policy and Research, Foundation for Alcohol Research and Education Ltd (FARE), Australia.

**Day 1 “The Harm: Who Hurts and How”** will present the key findings from research on alcohol and women and alcohol-related injuries and violence. Recommendations will be put forward for a more effective response to the associated burden of harm. There will be interactive response sessions allowing feedback and discussion on the findings and key issues raised.

**Day 2 “Our Road to Harmony: Achieving Transformation”** will provide an opportunity to consider best practice and learn from overseas experiences. Facilitated work-stream sessions will provide an opportunity for participants to identify priorities and strategies for more effectively reducing New Zealand's alcohol harm burden.

For more programme details – see [www.ahw.org.nz](http://www.ahw.org.nz)

The symposium is free. For organisational and catering purposes registration is required.  
**Please RSVP to Suzanne Lopes, Alcohol Healthwatch email: [suzanne@ahw.org.nz](mailto:suzanne@ahw.org.nz)  
Ph (09) 520 7036 or Fax: (09) 520 7175 by noon Thursday 8th November 2012**

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