

World Indigenous Suicide Prevention Conference 2016

Hosted by: Te Runanga o Ngāti Pikiao Trust
Venue: Rotorua Energy Events Centre, Queens Drive
Government Gardens Rotorua

Day one: Wednesday 1 June 2016

9:00-9.30	**Pōhiri / karakia - Official Welcome & Prayer** ***(Please gather outside the front of the building at 8.30am)***	
9.35-10:30	**Registrations-Morning Tea - Meet & Greet**	
10.35-10.45	Mayor Stevie Chadwick	*Welcome*
10:50-11.00	Donna Poynton *Chair of Te Runanga o Ngāti Pikiao Trust*	*Greetings from the Board*
11.05-11.35	Professor Tom Calma *Chancellor of Canberra University and the Co-Chair of Reconciliation Australia*	*Keynote Speaker*
11:40-12:00	Matthew Tūkaki *Chairman of the National Coalition for Suicide Prevention; Australia*	*Keynote Speaker*
12.05-12.35	Rangimarie Naida Glavish *Māori Health Tribal Leader*	*Keynote Speaker*
12.35-1.15	**Lunch** **Entertainment - Rotorua Primary School Middle Syndicate Kapa Haka Group**	**Stage Manager / MC: Neihana Mackie**

Time	Whero	Kowhai	Totara	Rimu	Manuka
1.15-1.45	Professor Denise Wilson & Maria Baker *Te Kokonga Pouri: The Dark Corner of Indigenous Family Violence*	Rawiri Te Kowhai Horne *Mauritau, Mauriora: Ethos is alive and Thriving*	Mapihi Raharuhi *Whakawhānaungataga – Indigenous Partnerships*	Tonii Skeen *ALIVE & Kicking Goals!*	Dr Margaret Wilkie & Peter Houston *Using Digital Media to Tell Māori Stories of Suicide Prevention*
1.50-2.20	Dr Lily George, Paulette Wellington & Gayle Dowsett *He Ara Toiora: Building Hope and Resilience in*	Robbie Richardson *Ko te Taha Wairua te Ara Oranga*	Anthony & Ngaree Ah Kit *Saving Our People's Lives is About Getting Things Done Our Way*	Ken Taiapa *Participatory Action Research: A Rich View on Youth*	Lovey Ratima, Zion Tauamiti & Rudolph Diaz *Whaiora Online*

	Ngātiwai Taitamariki (youth)			*Development*	
2.25-2.55	Kiritahi Firmin and Penelope Patea *Wahine Ora – Empowering the Leadership of Our Flaxroots Women*	Witireia Ashby *Wairuatanga*	Janine Dureau and Dwesmond Wiggan-Dann *Kimberley Aboriginal Young Leaders*	Scott DeMuth *Cultural and Language Revitalisation and the Prevention of Native American Suicide*	Eliza Snelgar, Darryl Gregory and Pania Thompson *CASA Te Rerenga*

3.00-3.20	**Afternoon tea**	**Stage Manager / MC: Neihana Mackie**
3.25-3.55	Kaumatua 'Te Reo Māori' Couch *Facilitated by Tawini Rangihau*	*This session is translated for non-speaking Māori language speakers*
4.00-4.30	Adele Cox *Indigenous Health Researcher and Consultant*	*Keynote Speaker*
4.35-5.05	Mike King *Key to Life Charitable Trust*	*Keynote Speaker*
5.10	Karakia Whakamutunga (end of day prayers)	



Day two: Thursday 2nd June 2016

7:00-8:30	**Registration**	
8:30-8:35	Karakia	*Kaumatua*
8:40-9:10	Emeritus Professor Sir Mason Durie *Conference Patron*	*Opening address*
9:15-9.25	Hon Te Ururoa Flavell *Minister of Parliament*	*Minister of Māori Development, Whānau Ora and Associate Minister of Economic Development*
9.30-10:20	William Hawk Birdshead *Native American Spiritual leader and Scholar*	*Keynote Speaker*

Time	Whero	Kowhai	Totara	Rimu	Manuka
10.25-10.55	Dion Tatow *Lighting the Dark – Preventing Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Suicide*	Maria Baker & Mapihi Raharuhi *Ehara Taku Toa, He Toa Taki Tahi, Engari He Toa Takitini*	Grace Walker, Geneveine Wilson, Mauriora Takiari & Rongomaitawhiri Ah-Ching *National Rangatahi Suicide Prevention: Developed by Rangatahi for Rangatahi*	Tania Mataki and Representatives *"Tribal Collective Solutions for Generational Trauma and Adversity" Knowing Oneself: Culture is the Basis for Our Cultural Resilience Against Life's Adversities*	Maraea Pipi-Takoko & Paora Te Hurihanganui *PATH – Planning Alternative Tomorrows with Hope: A Visual Planning Tool for Wellbeing*
10:55–11.25	**Morning tea**			**Stage Manager / MC: Neihana Mackie**	
Time	**Whero**	**Kowhai**	**Totara**	**Rimu**	**Manuka**
11.25-11.55	Carla Cochrane *Connecting with the Strengths of Our Peoples: Youth Suicide Prevention in first Nations*	Paul Brown *Civilisation and Suicide Prevention*	Les Hokianga *My Darkness Will be Your Light*	Vicky McKenna & Michael McKenzie *The Kimberley Empowerment Healing and Leadership Programme*	Irene Walker *Te Purakau o Mauao – Caught by the Light*
11.55-12.25	Political Panel Discussions *Facilitated by Mapihi Raharuhi and Adele Cox* *(This panel will be selected at the*	Dr Keri Lawson Te Aho & Huriana Kopeke-Te Aho *Mā te Tumanako he Rangā*	Deanna Lodoux & Helga Hamilton *"iskwewak asokana e-osihtacik" or Woman Building Bridges*	Launa-Anne Smith & Maria Bradshaw *Addressing Racism as a Driver of Youth Suicide*	Tawhanga Nopera *Escaping the Escape Route: Finding Healing in the Digital Realm*

12.25-12.55	*conference by the facilitators).*		Whakataumatatanga Mareikura & Marie Waretini *Whakawatea*	Doreen Rihari *Kia Tipu Ake Ai Whānau: So that Whānau May Flourish and Grow*	Tanu Gago *Visibility Matters (Why Should I Use Condoms)*

12.55-1.30	**Lunch** **Rangatahi 'Te Reo Maori' (Māori language) Couch** *Facilitated by Kereama Wright* *(This session is translated for non-speaking Māori language speakers)*	
1.35-2.05	Heeni Morehu and Whānau *Lived experience*	*Keynote Speaker*
2.10-2.40	Dr Marcus Waters *Author and Film Maker*	*Keynote Speaker*
2.45 – 3.15	John Turi-Tiakitai *Takataapui Wellness*	*Keynote Speaker*
3.20 - 4.50	Joe Williams *Aboriginal Youth worker and Advocate*	*Keynote Speaker*
5.00	Karakia	*Kaumatua*
6pm	Conference Dinner *This is an additional cost to attend. Mitai Village staff are taking door sales at the conference.*	Mitai Māori Village 196 Fairy Springs Rd Rotorua



Final Day: Friday 3rd June 2016

7:30-8:30	**Registration**	
8:30-8:35	Karakia	*Kaumatua*
8:35-9:05	Emma Kutia, Apimaera Thomas, Leoma Tawaroa & Zion Tauamiti *Kia Piki te Ora Provider Collective*	*Keynote Speakers*
9:10-9.40	Professor Linda Waimarie Nikora *Waikato University Psychology Unit*	*Keynote Speaker*
9:45-10.15	Rosalie Kunoth-Monks *Human Rights Advocate and Aboriginal Tribal Leader*	*Keynote Speaker*
10:20-10.50	**Morning tea**	**Stage Manager / MC: Neihana Mackie**
10:55–11:30	Ngahihi-o-te-ra Bidois *Ancient Wisdom Modern Solutions for leaders*	*Keynote Speaker:*
11.35-11.55	Mauriora Tawaroa-Takiari and Rongomaitawhiri Ah-Ching *Indigenous Youth's Perspectives*	*Keynote Speakers*
12:00-12:30	Paora Te Hurihanganui *General Manager of Te Papa Takaro o Te Arawa*	*Keynote Speaker*
12.35-1.05	Deanna Ledoux *Indigenous Women's Campaigner and Child Welfare Advocate*	*Keynote Speaker*
1.10-1.45	**Lunch** **(Performances by Majic / Neihana / Rangimarie)**	**Stage Manager / MC: Neihana Mackie**
1.50-2.20	Maui Te Pou *Beyond the Horizon*	*Keynote Speaker*
2.25-2:55	Moe Milne *Indigenous Mental health Trainer and Advocate*	*Keynote Speaker*
3.00-3.30	Where to from here? - *Recommendations & Motions placed on the table* *(NB: Afternoon tea will be provided at the back of the room)*	*Michael Naera & Phyllis Tangitu*
3.35-4.00	Donna Poynton *Chair of Te Runanga o Ngāti Pikiao*	*Closing address* *(Handover Conference to another First Nations Host)*
4.00-4.20	Te Pikikōtuku and Te Hikuwai *Māori Cultural Group*	*Closing Ceremony*
4.25	Karakia	*Kaumatua (elder)*

"Ma te atua hai manaaki i a tātou katoa. Haere pai atu koutou kai runga i te aroha a Ngāti Pikiao."