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Tena koutou nga roopu

RE: COVID19 UPDATE

What a fantastic job Aotearoa has done over the COVID 19 pandemic and being responsive to the alert levels. We are excited to hear the announcement on Monday the 8th of June from our Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern regarding the possibility of moving into level 1.

What does that mean for Mana o te Tangata trust if the decision is made that we move into level 1 next week? Firstly we will prepare and ensure our services are clean and safe for the delivery of programmes and face to face peer support. Then we will reopen our Palmerston North and Levin Centres on **Monday the 15th of June 2020**. Please remember we are still here via text, phone or you can have a booked appointment on-site if you need support before we reopen our centres.

The team is very excited about opening our centres and rerunning our programmes and being able to see everyone physically.

You still need to remember that if you are sick stay home. If you have cold or flu symptoms, call your doctor or Healthline and get tested.

Each centre will have health and safety procedures that they will implement. We will be very strict in hygiene precautions and ensuring that we don't have Tangata whaiora/Whanau or Kaimahi attending our centres if they are sick or have a cold and flu symptoms. We will ensure everyone's hygiene and washing and drying of hands are upheld at all times when participating in any of our centres.

We will be providing an update on Tuesday the 9th June to notify everyone confirming our opening date is going ahead for the Palmerston North and Levin centres. It will also be posted on Facebook our website, emails, texts and letters or by phone.

We are very eager to reopen, but we want to ensure everyone that we are all safe and prepared for this to roll out.

Nga mihi

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