

# Whānau Panui

## COVID-19/Coronavirus

### 14 May 2020

Kia ora e te whānau – we are playing it safe

We are now in Alert Level 2, which means there are less restrictions around our movements and how we operate our services. The Prime Minister has told us, ‘the virus is contained, but the risk of community transmission remains’. There is a risk that household spread could be happening and single or isolated cluster outbreaks.

In Alert Level 2, there are no workplace or household bubbles. We **must** prepare for the safe return of tangata from time with whānau, new tangata coming into our service, kaimahi returning from leave and the introduction of new staff as recruitment continues. We also know that some tangata will want to see whānau and close friends. We need to carefully balance the rights of tangata and their whānau with keeping all tangata and kaimahi safe.

- All **our offices re-open on Monday 18 May**. You will need to make an appointment to visit any of our offices
- If you have a whānaunga/relative living in one of our whare and you want to visit them you will need to let the whare know you would like to visit the whare. The Kaitaataki of the whare will discuss what needs to be done before a visit can take place. **If it is OK for you to visit** there will be strict infection control and contact tracing requirements.
- Check out our website [www.terooputaurima.org.nz](http://www.terooputaurima.org.nz) and our Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/terooputaurima/>
- We want to keep in touch with whānau so please make sure you give us all your updated **contact details**.
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**Kia haumarū**

**Stay Safe**



