



Help – when you need it most

Find information about what to do, and services that might be available to you, following the death of a loved one

Te Hokinga ā Wairua – End of Life Service provides information and support to guide you and your whānau through this difficult time.



Use the checklist to find out what to do in the first days, weeks and months following a death



Navigate a range of options and services, and find out who can support you



Check to see whether you're eligible for any financial assistance



Learn more about wills and administering an estate

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online, anytime**

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First days

- 👤 Let people know
- 👤 Choose a funeral director
- 👤 Take bereavement leave
- 👤 Find a will
- 👤 Choose a final resting place
- 👤 Plan a service
- 👤 Choose a celebrant
- 👤 Find grief support

First weeks

- 👤 Register the death
- 👤 Check what financial help you can get
- 👤 Find grief support

First months

- 👤 Work through the affairs of someone who has died
- 👤 Tell the bank so their accounts are frozen
- 👤 Cancel any benefits or pensions
- 👤 Cancel their drivers licence and passport
- 👤 File a final tax or estate return
- 👤 Find grief support

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