

Support from disability and health organisations

Information and advice regarding other disabilities and health conditions that can occur in conjunction with epilepsy is available through several support organisations. These include:

AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD)

There are various regions where <u>Autism New Zealand</u> can provide information, advice and support for people living with autism spectrum disorder and those who care for them.

BRAIN INJURY

<u>Brain Injury New Zealand</u> provides information and referrals in support of all Australians living with brain injury.

<u>Parent 2 Parent</u> is an organisation that fosters peer support networks to help people with acquired brain injury and their families.

CEREBRAL PALSY

<u>Cerebral Palsy society</u> works with people with cerebral palsy and people with similar disabilities and their carers.

DOWN SYNDROME

<u>New Zealand Down Syndrome Association</u> is the national voice for people with Down syndrome and their families.

FRAGILE X SYNDROME

<u>Fragile X New Zealand</u> serves its members and aims to improve the wellbeing of New Zealanders affected by Fragile X disorders through providing support to them and their families.









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PALLISTER-KILLIAN SYNDROME

<u>Pallister-Killian Syndrome Foundation of Australia</u> has been established to provide help and support to individuals diagnosed with PKS and their families as well as raising awareness and providing information to the medical community.

PRADA-WILLI SYNDROME

<u>Prader-Willi Syndrome Australia</u> is a self-help group comprising people born with Prader-Willi Syndrome, parents, friends and interested professionals.

RETT SYNDROME

<u>Rett New Zealand</u> seeks to improve the quality of life for persons with the syndrome and their families, and be of assistance to anyone interested in the disorder.

TUBEROUS SCLEROSIS COMPLEX

<u>Tuberous Sclerosis Complex New Zealand</u> empowers people affected by this condition through access to the best treatment options, up to date information and support.

More information about <u>epilepsy-related syndromes</u> and links to some <u>international support</u> <u>organisations</u> is available here.



