

Nuku's story

Just like many New Zealanders, Housing First Christchurch client, Nuku was struggling and fell behind with rent payments. The situation turned from bad to worse when he was evicted and left with nowhere to go.

After three years of couch surfing and sleeping rough, he connected with Housing First and was offered immediate accommodation in a motel before being housed in his warm, modern central city apartment – a place he's called home for more than two years.

Nuku says it was the beginning of a new and better chapter in his life.

He is now studying towards a Social Work degree – a qualification that will enable him to support Christchurch's homeless community.

"I know what being homeless is like, I know how hard it can be to find the right support. I want to help people and use my experiences to inspire others to get back on their own positive pathway too".

**"Having my own place,
is more than just a roof
over my head.
It's a stable foundation
that's allowed me to
completely change
my life for the better."**

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Contact Us

We work with landlords to find suitable housing for our clients and take the stress out of day-to-day property management – help us change a life.

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Who is Housing First?

Housing First Christchurch supports our community's chronically homeless to live independently in their own homes.

If you have a suitable property to rent in Christchurch – particularly a 1-2 bedroom home – Housing First will find you tenants and manage your property for you. It's that simple.

The model we use is internationally recognised and is proven to make a real difference to people who are homeless.

Our approach is simple: provide the housing first, and then provide on-going wrap-around support that enables people to achieve their goals and sustain their tenancy.

Our collaborative approach

Housing First Christchurch is a collaboration of 6 organisations working together to support the chronically homeless in our community.

The strength of our multi-agency approach means we are able to provide ongoing and sustained wrap-around support when and where it's needed.

Housing First Christchurch's collaboration partners:

Te Whare Roimata Trust, Christchurch Methodist Mission, Ōtautahi Community Housing Trust, Christchurch City Mission, Emerge Aotearoa Group & Comcare Trust.

