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Course cost per participants:

\$600 (GST incl)

Payment to: Massey University  
Sheryl Kirikiri  
School of Health and Social Services  
Massey University  
PB 11222  
Palmerston North

Organisation/Individual to be charged:

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Organisation Address:

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**Te Aroha Noa  
Community Services  
and Massey University**



**The Spinaflex Effect  
Working with Strengths-Based Practice**

**A three day workshop  
26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> July 2010**

**Course developed by Te Aroha Noa and The  
Practice Research and Professional  
Development Hub  
School of Health and Social Services  
Massey University  
Palmerston North**

# Te Aroha Noa and Massey University Making a Difference in Your Practice

## 3 Day Workshop on Strengths-Based Practice

### Strengths-based Practice Workshop

- This is an interactive and experiential workshop.
- Learning is enhanced by the use of real experiences, rather than role play situations, in practice sessions.
- Participants will therefore need to come prepared to share experiences with other participants in practice sessions, in pairs or groups.

TIME: 9.30 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. Day one  
9.00 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. Day two  
9.00 a.m. - 4.00 p.m. Day three

DATES: 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, and 28<sup>th</sup> July 2010

COST: Registration \$600

Registrations close 25<sup>th</sup> June 2010

VENUE: Te Aroha Noa Community Services  
12-26 Brentwood Avenue  
Palmerston North

There is space for 20 participants in the workshop.

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This workshop will explore a framework practice that has been developed at Te Aroha Noa Community Services:

- Developing Integrated Practice.
- Working Collaboratively.
- Strength-Based Practice.
- Building a Culture of Care.
- Bicultural Practice.
- Reflective Practice.
- Community Led Development.
- Emerging Practice.
- Strategies for the ongoing development and integration of strengths-based practice in participants' work with people and within their organisations.

This workshop provides participants and practitioners with opportunities to work differently within their practice.

### Facilitators

#### Te Aroha Noa Community Services

The Te Aroha Noa Community Services team offers you over 70 years combined experience in strengths-based practice. The team members include Bruce Maden, Barbara Stuckey, Ange Watson and Sheryll Horn and Robyn Munford from Massey University.

Te Aroha Noa Community Services is a community development organisation based within Highbury, Palmerston North. Te Aroha Noa Community Services has continued to refine its practice over the last 18 years through community led initiatives and has evolved an integrated, two generational, reflective model of practice which is strongly influenced by strengths-based practice. These integrated

services include Adult Education, an Early Childhood Centre, Family/ whanau development, Counselling, Home Interaction Programme for Parents and Youngsters (HIPPY), Strategies for Kids Information for Parents (SKIP), research, community craft, aerobics and gym.

#### Bruce Maden

Chief Executive Officer, Te Aroha Noa Community Services

Bruce completed his Masterate Applied (Social Work) in 1976. His specialist interest was in community development, an interest that has provided a pivotal focus throughout his career.

For the past 19 years he has provided leadership to Te Aroha Noa Community Services, an integrated multi-disciplinary community development agency situated in the heart of the lower socio-economic and culturally diverse western suburbs of Palmerston North. Bruce has strong interests in Family Therapy, Strengths Based Practice, Adult learning, Counselling and Social Work Education, Community Development, Practice Research and Spiritual Direction. In 2006 he was sponsored by the Tindall Foundation on a study tour to Canada to examine Collaborative Community Led Development initiatives.

Bruce is a visionary leader and innovative thinker who deeply believes that communities must be involved in the development of the services influencing their lives and in them discovering solutions to the issues affecting them.

#### Barbara Stuckey

B.Ed, Dip Couns, H.Dip Tchg, TTC, MNZAC

Over the past 15 years Barbara has been involved in management Te Aroha Noa Community Services and has provided leadership and supervision to the Counselling Team. Her passion has been to develop best possible practice for the community it serves.

She has been involved in Counsellor Education, therapeutic courses and groups, ACC Sexual Abuse Counselling and Relationship, Individual and Family Therapy. Her work uses a Strengths Based approach weaving in other methods to enhance the therapeutic relationship. She is passionate about her work and offers inspiration, encouragement and empowerment to her colleagues, students and those she works within the community.