



**TE TOMOKANGA
A CAMHS EVALUATION TOOL
FOR AN INDIGENOUS POPULATION**

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Background

There is a lack of an CAMHS evaluation tool able to take account of the more holistic approach to the attainment of mental health that characterises a Maori world





Methodology

Aim

- Survey construct validation
Youth Services Survey for Families (YSS-F – 21) modification
Te Whare Tapa Wha inclusion
- Pilot Survey
Caregivers of children who had accessed the six CAMHS (three service types) in the Midland Health Region

Participants

- Survey completed by 168 Caregivers recruited from the six participating CAMHS





Results

• Validity and Reliability	• Alpha
(7) Whanau Involvement	0.88
(5) Satisfaction with services	0.69
(4) Access (Convenience)	0.71
(2) Cultural sensitivity	0.84
2) Satisfaction with Intersector Collaboration	0.38

•Survey

Satisfaction with CAMHS delivery was associated with whānau involvement and the importance of culture and spirituality





Conclusion

- Te Tomokanga is a cultural responsive tool for continuous service improvement and quality CAMHS provision for Maori
- Utilised with Te Tomokanga Framework of engagement and participation: Caregivers perspectives
- Need for Rangatahi perspectives





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