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Kia ora FANNZ

**A story for FASD Awareness Day**

*On 9/9 we are sharing a story from one of our storytellers, Yasmine, a 19 year old from West Auckland who talks about being involved in the binge drinking culture and how finding out she was pregnant she knew she had to stop drinking. Here’s is our FB page, people can jump in give us a like and check out our videos*  [www.facebook.com/buzzednz](http://www.facebook.com/buzzednz)

The Buzzed FB page [www.buzzed.co.nz](http://www.buzzed.co.nz) is a social media site of *‘Stories that stimulate conversation on the real impact of alcohol other drugs that inspire’* hosted by Community Action, Youth and Drugs (CAYAD) Auckland.

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**Action for 17 year olds coinciding with the 17th International FASD Awareness Day**

<http://justspeak.org.nz/3246-2/>  Include all children in our youth justice system: An open letter to PM John Key and Cabinet Ministers

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**Awareness Day FACTS from Canadian experts**

The real dangers of drinking while pregnant. How much damage can one glass of wine really do? Weve got the facts on FASD, the most common preventable developmental disability…[**READ MORE** in TODAY’S PARENT](http://www.todaysparent.com/pregnancy/the-real-dangers-of-drinking-while-pregnant/)

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**A ‘please watch’ story from WA**

Watch this profoundly moving video made by Kiwi paediatrician Raewyn Mutch who is currently leading a FASD prevalence study at the Banksia Hill Detention Centre in Perth, Western Australia. Watch the video on Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/176914698>

Don’t have the Vimeo app? Get it from the App Store: <http://bit.ly/vimeo_ios>

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**New Canadian FASD Research announced for FASD Awareness Day**

Canadian researchers are one step closer to uncovering a biomarker associated with fetal alcohol spectrum disorder after identifying distinct patterns associated with the DNA of children who were exposed to alcohol in the womb. [Read More](http://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/british-columbia/ubc-led-study-makes-key-fetal-alcohol-spectrum-disorder-discovery/article31707658/) from the Globe and Mail Sept 4 2016.

**Note:** Apologies for the error with the attached document in the previous FASDAY update. A link to the correct version of the NDHB Special Edition for FASD Awareness Day can be found on the [FANNZ homepage](http://www.fan.org.nz/)

Ka kite ano

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