



# KEEP CALM AND REDUCE THE HARM

You are invited to our regional alcohol forum

*‘Making the most out of our new liquor laws’*

**When:** Thursday 23rd May 2013, 9.30am – 3:30pm (Registration including tea and coffee from 9:00am)

**Where:** Fickling Convention Centre, 546 Mt Albert Road, Three Kings, Auckland

This forum will provide updates and opportunities to discuss how we can make the most out of the new liquor laws and will also include a special focus on Local Alcohol Policies.

Specifically, we will cover:

- **The new Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012** – overview + key aspects
- **Local Alcohol Policies and other regional/national issues** – what the evidence says and how do we relate this into practical advice + what else is happening in this area around the country
- **Regional planning** - an update on the development of an Alcohol Harm Reduction Plan for Auckland
- **Local action** – how do we get the ‘local’ in our Local Alcohol Policy

There will also be a presentation from Auckland Council on the process they are undertaking to develop a Local Alcohol Policy for the Auckland region.

The day will conclude with workshops to look at what we want for Auckland’s Local Alcohol Policy and how we can assist the community to effectively take part in the Council’s consultation process.

*As always, the forum is also a great opportunity for information sharing and networking with friends and colleagues from around the region. Nau Mai Haere Mai... We hope to see you there!*

For organisational and catering purposes please RSVP using the registration form attached by Friday 17th May 2013 to Suzanne Lopes by phone: (09) 520 7036, fax: (09) 520 7175, post: PO Box 99407 Newmarket, Auckland 1149 or email: [suzanne@ahw.org.nz](mailto:suzanne@ahw.org.nz).