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Identify available support

Identify the support and services that the student is eligible for through a needs assessment. Whaikaha, the Ministry for Disabled People, maintains a list of organisations that provide needs assessment for people with a disability across Aotearoa.

If you are looking for support because you or someone you care for has a disability ... A good place to start is to get on the phone to one of our Needs Assessment Service Coordinator (NASC) organisations.

Source:

[Needs assessment services – Whaikaha Ministry of Disabled People](https://www.waikaha.govt.nz/assessments-and-funding/needs-assessment-services/)
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