

Achieving an Everyday Life: ACC's role in Enabling Injured People to Attain their Life Goals

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ACC's Strategic Direction

- 1.7 million claims
- 240,000 moderate claims
- 80,000 complex claims
- 3,000 ongoing lifetime claims
- More intensive management for 15% of claims



Rehabilitation Improvements 2000-2006



- Number of claimants requiring help > 12 months down 50%
- 87% back at work in 6 months (down 50%)
- Average time off work under 3 months (down 50%)
- 93% rehabilitated by 12 months



Rehabilitation Framework



Vision

Principles

Outcomes

Key elements



Framework Vision



Achievement of an everyday life



Framework Principles



- 1. Listen to and understand the person
- 2. Work with the person towards agreed rehabilitation pathway
- Mobilise support and services to help person achieve everyday life



Moving Towards



- 1. Sustainable employment
- 2. Supported independence
- Integrated service model
- 4. Comprehensive, opportune assessment
- Quality evidence-based treatment & rehabilitation
- 6. Integrated purchasing strategy



Working Together



- Home Health Association
- Ministry of Health
- DHBs
- ACC relatively small player in sector
- Co-ordinated approach
- Sustainable answers



Thank You



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