

NZCOM CONSENSUS STATEMENT

Alcohol and Pregnancy

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There is no known safe level of alcohol consumption during pregnancy. Therefore parents planning a pregnancy and women who are pregnant should be advised not to drink alcohol.

Resources

- Alcohol Advisory Council of New Zealand (ALAC)
PO Box 8391
Auckland
www.alcohol.org.nz
- Foetal Alcohol New Zealand Trust
PO Box 99 407
Newmarket Auckland
Telephone 520 7037
E-mail fanz@ihug.co.nz
- Alcohol Healthwatch
PO Box 99 407
Newmarket Auckland

References

Title: Alcohol and Pregnancy

Author: Foetal Alcohol New Zealand Trust

Source: PO Box 99 407
Newmarket Auckland

Title: Foetal Alcohol Syndrome and Foetal Alcohol Effects

Author: Foetal Alcohol New Zealand (FANZ)

Source: PO Box 99 407
Newmarket Auckland

Title: Foetal Alcohol Syndrome Information Kit

Author: Foetal Alcohol New Zealand Trust

Source: PO Box 99 407
Newmarket Auckland

Title: Women and Alcohol

Author: Alcohol Advisory Council of New Zealand

Source: PO Box 5023
Wellington

Title: Alcohol in Pregnancy

Author: Plant, M L

Source: MIDIRS Midwifery Digest, December 2000 Pg 443-447

Title: ALAC Resource List
Author: Alcohol Advisory Council of New Zealand
Source: PO Box 5023
Auckland
E-mail central@alac.org.nz

The purpose of New Zealand College of Midwives Consensus Statements is to provide women, midwives and the maternity services with the profession's position on any given situation. The guidelines are designed to educate and support best practice.

All position statements are regularly reviewed and updated in line with evidence-based practice.