

# **Insurance**

# Managing your financial risk - expect the unexpected!



# Only insure what you cannot afford to lose or replace

What if it cost \$400 per year to insure your \$10,000 van plus your surfboards?

If they got stolen would you have enough money to replace them without insurance?

## Avoid the sting

Your insurance needs will change at different stages of your life.

Do your homework, check the tides, avoid jellyfish, and review your insurance needs frequently.

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## Types of insurance

Debt insurance: Mortgage and loan repayments.

Disability insurance: Trauma or critical illness, total or permanent disability.

General insurance: Motor vehicle, home, household contents, travel, boat.

Health insurance: Doctors visits, specialist and private hospital care.

Income protection: Income replacement, redundancy insurance.

Life insurance: Pays out on the death of the person insured.

Self-insurance: Emergency fund or group/whānau-based insurance or a will.

Only 57% of New Zealanders have life insurance

Less than 20% of New Zealanders have income protection insurance

95% have both home and car insurance