# Text version of A3: Initial stocktake of disability data sources

This A3 shows the main sources of New Zealand data in relation to disabled people.

Policy, service planning and practice (informed by social investment principles) – is informed by:

Disability Strategy Outcomes Framework and reporting on the UNCRPD – which is informed by two clusters of data: Disabled people’s experiences; and Disability-related supports and services.

Note: Information/data in blue [with a double \*\*] is currently included in the Integrated Data Infrastructure (IDI). Information in red [with a double XX] is in Stat NZ’s business plan for inclusion. All national surveys and government administrative data could eventually be added into the IDI.

**National Surveys include the following:**

* XX Disability Survey 2013 (every 10 years)
* XX General Social Survey 2017 (every 2 years)
* \*\* Household Labour Force Survey 2017 (every June quarter)
* Mental Health Monitor 2015, 2016, 2018
* \*\* New Zealand Health Survey (continuous/annual results)
* Household Travel Survey (continuous/annual results)
* Crime & Victims Survey (pilot 2017, annual survey from 2018)
* XX Census 2018 (every 5 years)
* Te Kupenga 2018 (every 10 years).

**Time Series Reports, such as:**

* HRC: *Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture annual reports* since 2007/2008
* IMM: *Making disability rights real* reports since 2011/2012.

**Qualitative Data, such as:**

* Report on the human rights of disabled people in NZ (2010)
* Disability rights in NZ (2012)
* Disability rights in NZ: Youth (2013)
* Disability rights in NZ: Media (2013)
* Disability rights in NZ: Participation & poverty (2015)
* Disability rights in NZ: Acceptance in society (2015)

*These reports are Government funded, but independently commissioned and reported on by the Disabled Peoples’ Organisations Coalition.*

**Government administrative data includes:**

*HNZC:* Stores information about modifications to Social Housing properties.

*ACC:* Stores data on injury related needs and other factors relevant to recovery, including profiling whether the client will require lifelong support. Clients whose disability may not be the result of an accident or is unrelated to a brain, spinal, amputee or burns injury, are not identified in the data.

*MSD:* Holds information on clients receiving:

* Job Support for a health condition or disability
* Supported Living Payment
* Disability Allowance

Social Housing includes some information on housing needs.

*MoH:* Has various data bases with information on:

* providers of Health & Disability Services
* delivery of hospital inpatient and day-patient health services, including by disability
* Disability Support Services clients
* \*\* services to non-admitted patients
* \*\* claims and payment information for pharmaceuticals
* Mental health services and outcomes achieved for consumers
* deafness notification data (from 2010)

*MoE:* Holds data on:

* The Ongoing Resourcing Scheme
* Students who receive a specialist education service
* Resource Teacher Learning & Behaviour (provides support to students in years 1-10 with learning and/or behavioural difficulties)
* Students’ NCEA qualifications and school engagement (eg suspensions)
* Tertiary students who’ve self-reported disability at enrolment.