



Could you be addicted to your pain medication?

The University of Auckland is conducting research about peoples' experiences with becoming addicted to opioid pain medications. We are interviewing people who are using certain types of pain relief – either prescribed by a doctor or purchased over-the-counter from pharmacies.

We would like to find out about your use of opioid pain relief, whether you think you have become dependent on it, whether you have looked for help or think you might need help, and what has been or would be useful for you.

A \$40 MTA or Westfield Voucher will be given to you at the interview.

If you or someone you know is taking an **opioid** medication such as **morphine, codeine, oxycodone, fentanyl, methadone, DHC, pethidine, tramadol, Nurofen Plus® or Panadeine®** regularly and have found it difficult to stop, this study may be of interest to you.

If you would like more information, please contact the researcher:

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This study has the approval of the NZ Health and Disability Ethics Committee (Approval number 16/NTA/211)