

Table 2

Percentage of Respondents Who Reported Experiencing Traumatic Events

Type of Trauma	Total	Men	Women	NZ			Middle-aged		
				European	Maori	Younger	aged	Older	
Adult sexual assault									
Past	6.3	0.7	9.3**	6.3	7.0	8.4*	6.3*	2.3	
Recent	3.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.6*	0.3	0.2	0.0	
Child sexual assault									
Past	9.5	2.6	13.4**	8.2	12.7*	14.7**	7.4**	2.5	
Combat									
Past	3.6	9.7**	0.2	4.7*	2.2	1.0	1.1	11.9**	
Recent	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Domestic assault									
Past	12.7	6.0	16.5**	8.9	19.5**	17.8**	13.5**	2.3	
Recent	0.7	0.0	1.0	0.3	1.4	1.3	0.2	0.0	
Physical assault									
Past	9.9	14.2	7.6**	7.4	14.3**	14.0**	9.6**	2.8	
Recent	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.5	1.0	1.6	0.2	0.0	
Disaster experience									
Past	5.7	6.0	5.5	6.4	4.8	4.6	7.6	5.4	
Recent	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.3	

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Other hazard								
Past	6.7	8.0	5.9	6.6	6.2	5.1	9.3	5.9
Recent	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0
Motor vehicle accident								
Past	11.1	15.5**	8.7	9.6	14.1*	12.2	12.2	7.9
Recent	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.8	1.2	0.2	0.0
Other accident								
Past	9.8	17.4**	5.6	10.9	9.0	9.0	11.5	9.3
Recent	0.8	1.5	0.4	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.6
Secondary trauma								
Past	19.6	15.3	22.0**	18.8	21.5	23.8**	20.4**	10.7
Recent	2.7	2.1	3.0	2.1	3.6	3.8	2.4	0.8
Robbery or holdup								
Past	5.6	9.5**	3.4	5.1	6.4	6.6	6.3	2.8
Recent	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.3
Tragic death								
Past	22.5	17.7	25.2**	19.1	29.5**	24.5**	25.0**	15.8
Recent	2.9	1.9	3.4	1.8	4.6	4.4*	2.0	1.1

Note. Values represent percentages. Asterisks indicate significantly greater than counterpart, * $p < .05$. ** $p < .01$.

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