# When a conversation is needed

Noticed a buddy on your site doesn't seem like their usual self?

Find a good place and time to talk...

It may feel uncomfortable, but it's important.

## Noticed more...

Anger, fear, anxiety, irritability, low mood?



### Is your buddy more withdrawn or quiet?

Noticed mood swings that are extreme?

#### Out of character?

Marked change in personality – changed thinking and/or behaviour?



#### Less involvement

Less socialising? Your buddy no longer takes part in previously enjoyed activites?



## Taking more risks?

Drinking more, taking more risks on or offsite?

Hungover at work or all the time?



## Problems with...

Concentration, distraction, memory?

Your buddy seems distant or avoiding?



#### **Experienced loss**

Your buddy may be going through a relationship breakup, lost someone close to them, or lost a job?

Connect with them, particularly if there has been a recent loss or change in life events.



#### Encourage the person to seek support:

- From their GP (don't have one? No worries, please call us)
- Call Building Wellness Taranaki **027 322 0606** (office hours)
- Free phone or text 1737 to talk to a trained counsellor 24/7

