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For questions about the Dilworth Trust Board's response to historical abuse, please visit <u>dilworthresponse.org.nz</u>.



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other than financial redress will be available under the Dilworth **Redress Programme?**

(+)Is it proposed that Dilworth would apologise directly to a former student for the abuse?

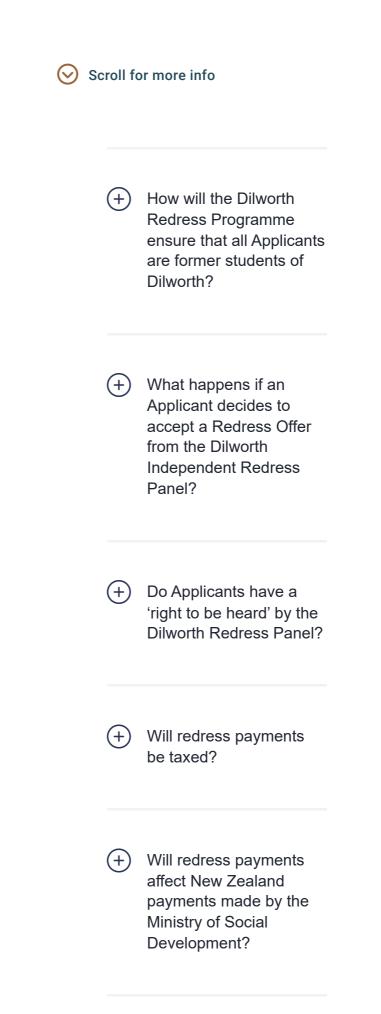
(+)Why should I consider the Dilworth Redress Programme rather than wait for a government programme, or take other action?

(+)What financial redress is available as part of the **Dilworth Redress** Programme?

How will financial (+) redress be determined for each Applicant?

answered here, please get in touch via the Contact Form or call the **Dilworth Redress** Programme office on 0800 888 744 (Monday-Friday 9am-5pm) and we will do our best to answer it for you.

If you have a question that is not



Eligibility

(+) Why do the Dilworth **Redress Programme** Terms say that a redress application can be made for sexual abuse by another student "where sexual abuse of that student was made known to a Dilworth representative who then failed to take reasonable steps to prevent further instances of abuse, or where the sexual abuse was otherwise encouraged or permitted by a Dilworth representative"?

- + What is the definition of 'serious physical abuse' in the Dilworth Redress Programme Terms?
- What happens if a former student who had suffered abuse has died?
- Can family members of deceased former students who had

eligible former student is incapacitated and is unable to make an Application for Redress? Can another person make a claim on his behalf?

Dilworth Redress Programme Processes

- (+) Would an applicant need a lawyer to help prepare their application?
- + Can an Applicant have access to the same support person for both the Dilworth Redress Programme and the Dilworth Independent Inquiry?
- + What financial assistance will be available to help Applicants?
- If an Applicant is given financial assistance to help pay legal costs, for travel in relation to completing his

financial redress the Applicant might be awarded?

Are any interim payments provided?

The Redress Panel is conscious the impact that the timing of determinations has on applicants to the Redress Programme. To address this situation, two Interim Awards of NZ\$10,000 each have been made to qualifying redress applicants meeting the following steps:

- He has completed his application form and Statutory Declaration;
- He has a full report written about his case by his Redress Facilitator;
- He has his application lodged with the Panel by his Redress Facilitator; and
- 4) The Panel has determined the applicant meets the eligibility requirements for redress under the Terms of Reference for the Redress Programme,

- Would an Applicant need to interact with Dilworth School or the Dilworth Trust Board if they apply for redress?
- Does the Dilworth Redress Programme require Applicants to undergo an independent psychological assessment?

Timeframe

 When will the Dilworth Independent Redress
 Panel begin making determinations?

> The Dilworth Independent Redress Panel is committed to making fair and equitable decisions and is faced with not only the largest but the first substantial redress programme in New Zealand. It commenced making Determinations/Offers in March 24 and will do so continually over the following months. The Redress Panel is entirely independent of Dilworth School and Dilworth Trust Board.

- Does the Dilworth Redress Programme cover abuse committed at any time?
- (+) What is the suggested end date for the Dilworth Redress Programme, or a cut-off date after which claims cannot be lodged?

Legal advice for Applicants

- (+) Do I need legal advice before registering for the Dilworth Redress Programme?
- (+) Will the Dilworth Redress Programme pay if I choose to seek legal advice before registering for the Dilworth Redress Programme?
- + Do I need legal advice before submitting an

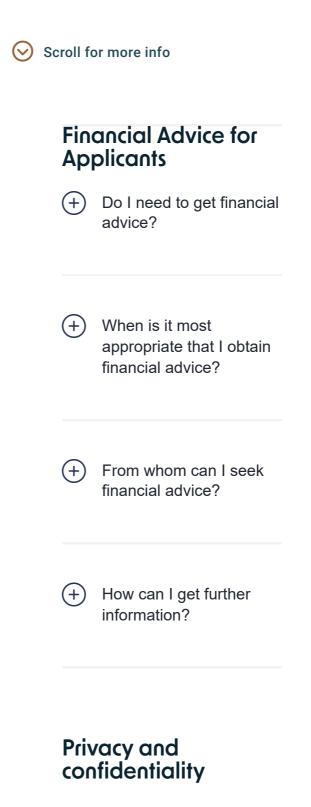


Programme pay if I choose to seek legal advice before submitting my Application to the Dilworth Independent Redress Panel?

- + Do I need legal advice prior to signing the Settlement Agreement?
- (+) Will the Dilworth Redress Programme pay for my legal advice before signing the Settlement Agreement?
- (+) Do I need legal advice prior to rejecting a Redress Offer?
- + Will the Dilworth Redress Programme pay for my legal advice if I decide to accept or reject my Offer/Determination and Settlement Agreement?



From whom can I seek



You can find out about the way we collect personal information in our <u>Privacy Statement</u>.

 Will the Dilworth Trust Board be notified when an applicant registers



Board be notified when an Applicant receives a Redress Offer from the Dilworth Independent Redress Panel?

- How will the Dilworth Redress Programme use personal information an Applicant provides?
- (+) How will the information an Applicant provides to the Dilworth Redress Programme be kept secure?
- From whom will the Dilworth Redress
 Programme collect
 personal information?
- (+) What will happen to an Applicant's personal information once the Dilworth Redress Programme is completed?



Inquiry?

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