# **One-day session includes:**

- What has happened and why
- Understanding your risk factors
- Taking control of your future heart health
- Making sense of cholesterol and blood pressure numbers
- Managing physical activity
- Medications and symptom management
- Eating for heart health
- Where to go for further support or information

#### **DOES ONE-DAY SEEM TOO LONG?**

Sessions can be split into two half-days, Please call and discuss.

#### **FREE LUNCH PROVIDED**

# For dates and booking details

Email tonia.talbot@nbph.org.nz

Or visit www.nbph.org.nz/healthy-hearts

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# **What is Healthy Hearts?**

**Healthy Hearts** is a one-day programme that is the next stage in your heart treatment and recovery (sometimes referred to as **Cardiac Rehabilitation**).

It aims to build your confidence so you can make the best choices and decisions about your future heart health.

Research has shown that programmes such as **Healthy Hearts** can reduce the likelihood of further heart problems or re-admissions to hospital, and is therefore an important part of your recovery.

## Who can benefit?

Anyone who has recently been discharged from hospital following a heart attack, heart procedure or heart surgery and family/whānau/support person. Sessions are held around the region and delivered in a relaxed, informal way.



## What's in it for me?

- Receive up-to-date information/advice on your condition/treatment & medications
- Your questions answered by specialists
- Practical guidelines for physical activity and eating for heart health
- Listen to, or share with others who have faced, or are facing similar issues
- An opportunity for your family/whānau or support person to be involved in your care and recovery
- Coming to terms with what has happened, and gaining confidence to move forward

#### What others have said about the day: \_

"Very helpful, feeling more confident now"

"Learnt more on this day than over 10 years and 5 heart attacks"

"I thought I knew everything but now realise I didn't"

"Fantastic course - wish we had known/done it sooner"

"The course answered many questions, I will be coping a lot better now"

"Really good to hear from others in same boat"

"Very relevant and worthwhile tips"

# **Need a different option?**

You can receive **The Heart Guide Aotearoa** which is a home-based rehabilitation guide with support from the **Community Education Coordinator** (Heart & Diabetes)



Both options are FREE and provided by Nelson Bays Primary Health with support from Nelson Hospital Cardiology staff and The Heart Foundation.

To find out more or to discuss your options, please contact:

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