

# About communication cards

**The purpose of these cards is to ensure rainbow and takatāpui patients are referred to by their correct name and pronouns.**

The cards allow people to write down their chosen name and pronouns, which might differ from those on their medical records. The aim is to ensure transgender and non-binary people are treated with respect during their vaccination process.

# How to use the cards at vaccination centres

Please display the six A5 card options on the registration desk of the vaccination centre, alongside the existing communication cards for those who are deaf or hard of hearing.

They're reusable (to be written on with whiteboard marker).

A digital version of the cards will also be available for use or download at [www.vaccinateforauckland.nz](http://www.vaccinateforauckland.nz).

**Thank you for your inclusive support- it makes a big difference.**

*These cards are based on the work of the CCDHB equity team.*