

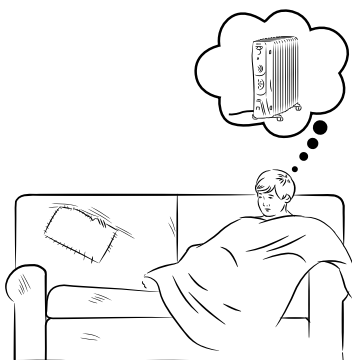
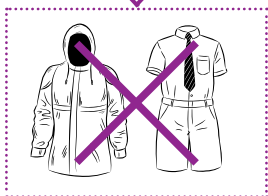
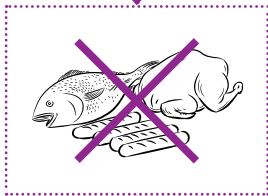
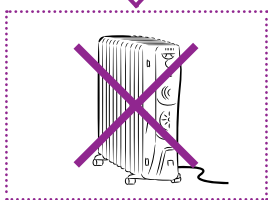
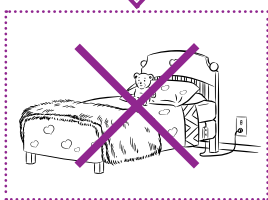
# Material Hardship

Material hardship means kids going without the things most New Zealanders consider essential

**180,000** KIWI KIDS REGULARLY GO WITHOUT THE THINGS THEY NEED **17%** THAT'S

**ON THE KIDS IN MATERIAL HARDSHIP ARE MISSING OUT ON THE THINGS THEY NEED**

**THESE KIDS ARE IN HOUSEHOLDS WHERE AT LEAST 6 OF THESE 16 ITEMS AND SERVICES ARE NOT AFFORDABLE**



## THEY MISS OUT ON...

- » A meal with meat, fish or chicken (or vege equivalent) at least every second day
- » Two good pairs of shoes
- » Clothes for a special occasion
- » A good bed

## THEY CUT BACK ON A LOT OF...

- » Fresh fruit and veges
- » Meat
- » Replacing worn out clothes
- » Ways to keep warm
- » Visits to the doctor
- » Trips to the shops and other local places
- » Repair or replace broken or damaged appliances

## THEY CAN'T PAY BILLS...

- » Vehicle registration, insurance, Warrant of Fitness
- » Rates, electricity, water

## FINANCIAL STRESS...

- » Borrowing from friends or family more than once in the last year for essentials
- » Could not pay an unexpected bill of \$500 within a month without borrowing
- » Feel very limited when thinking about buying clothes or shoes for self (mum and dad)