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# What are Changing Places?

Not all disabled people can use the standard accessible toileting facilities. **Changing Places** bathrooms contain specialised equipment such as ceiling hoists and height adjustable adult sized change tables for people with profound or complex disabilities. They also provide more space for those who need one or more carers to assist them.

## Why only Registered Users?

Access to all Changing Places facilities needs to be restricted to those that need them. There are many reasons for this, including:

- To help protect the room and specialised equipment from malicious damage
- To ensure the safety and wellbeing of those that don't know how to use such equipment
- To maximise the cleanliness and availability of the room for those that need it, when they need it

## What does it cost to Register?

Running the secured access system comes at a cost. Changing Places NZ is not currently Government funded and relies on its users to assist in covering those costs through a nominal charge – less than 50c a week. For more details on costs and how to register, please email us – register@ChangingPlaces.org.nz or see our website - www.ChangingPlaces.org.nz

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