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Individual and collective action to improve rental housing in NZ.

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This seminar explores the ability of New Zealand tenants to access healthy housing through individual and collective action. It looks at how five tenant protest groups active over the last century affected housing policy and the housing of their members, and investigates whether tenants today can act to improve their housing. The case is made that improving rental housing requires interventions that account for power disparities, and that tenants are important allies in working towards healthier housing.



Elinor Chisholm recently completed a PhD with He Kainga Oranga, the Housing and Health Research Programme, at the University of Otago, Wellington.

Friday 15 July 12.30 to 1.15pm

Small Lecture Theatre, Level D, University of Otago Wellington

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