



# POLICY STANDARD 1

## *IDENTIFIED NEED*

### **POLICY:**

Pablos Art Studios Incorporated provides mental health service users with the opportunity to participate in a safe; structured art focused studio and gallery. By developing the artistic skills of our members, our mission is to assist people to integrate further into the community.

### **PROCEDURE:**

Pablos artists may be referred from mental health services or have heard about the services we offer via word of mouth, articles in community newspapers, brochures – which are regularly distributed around the Wellington region in public places such as libraries. All Pablos artists are or have been mental health service users or have had an experience of mental illness, and must have a support person which they can provide the contact details of.

### **OUTCOME:**

Pablos service is based on an identified need in the community.

### **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:**

- Pablos brochure
- Pablos application form