Isolation major issue for rural women, study finds

The partners behind the much-delayed redevelopment of Bay of Islands Hospital, Kellogg rural scholar Nadine Porter surveyed 115 women living in rural areas and felt isolated. (RNZ)

More than half of the 115 rural women questioned in a recent survey said they experienced social isolation and sought ways to combat it such as via the IT Health Board newsletter, click here.

The Northland Health and Social Innovation Awards are returning in November. Preference will be given to those participating in the 5th Year Rural Clinical Scholarships to present a formal report to the Trustees (within a timeframe to be determined by the Trustees). These scholarships, and other scholarships under consideration, are part of a wider Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship and the biennial Pat Farry Trust Scholarships. The trust considers applications for two scholarships; the annual Pat Farry Rural Health Education Trust Travelling Scholarship and the biennial Pat Farry Trust Scholarships.

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