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Ageism

Auckland needs more public toilets to cater for aging population urban planner says. (Stuff, 15 November)

Ageism in tech: younger generation not immune (Information Age, 24 November)

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Concern over high unemployment rate for Kiwis with disabilities (Newshub, 12 November)

Gender Equality

New Zealand firms up gender problem (Bloomberg, 6 November)

Should New Zealand offer some academic roles only to women? (RNZ, 9 November)

Women miss out on New Zealand screens top jobs (Stuff, 14 November)

Gender Equality summit in Iceland (ABC News, 29 November)

Gender Equality in Sport Is the New Final Frontier for Women (The Wire, 29 November)

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How the ‘Yes’ vote will impact workers and HR (The Conversation, 15 November)

Same-sex marriage bill passes in Australian Senate (The Guardian, 29 November)

The Yogyakarta Principles have just been updated for the first time in 10 years (Gay Star News, 29 November)

Auckland school shows support for seven teenagers transitioning from girls to boys (Stuff, 12 November)

Māori

Māori woman candidate targeted in billboard attack (RNZ, 13 November)
Native Affairs Exclusive: High Court ruling overturns decision to ban girl from Māori language education (MTV, 14 November)

Book on Ngati Porou carving a winner (Scoop, 14 November)

NZQA to review process for Māori exam paper availability (MTV, November 24, 2017)

New Zealand broadcasters refuse to stop using Māori words (The Guardian (UK) 28 November)

Miss Universe New Zealand rocks traditional Māori tā moko onstage (Newshub, 28 November)

Auckland Council misses Māori wellbeing opportunities (RNZ, 28 November)

Māori Music making its mark (RNZ, 30 November)

Mental Health
Surge in mental health needs at Otago University (RNZ, 6 November)

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There's a need for more Pasifika teachers in Auckland, educators say (Stuff, 13 November)

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New Zealand considers visa for Climate 'Refugees' from Pacific Islands (Jakarta Globe, 29 November)