

I am advised that Creative New Zealand has funded Touch Compass Dance Trust through contestable project funding for the following artistic initiatives:

Project Title	Funding	Year
LAB 4 2005	\$18,330	2004/05
Improv-e	\$23,531	2005/06
Acquisitions 2006	\$60,640	2005/06

Touch Compass Dance Trust is a charitable organisation providing performances and training for people of all abilities.

Creative New Zealand also funds Arts Access Aotearoa through its Recurrently Funded Organisations Portfolio. Arts Access Aotearoa received \$278,000 in the 2005, 2006 and 2007 calendar years (and has been offered this level of funding again for 2008) to deliver programmes that provide access to marginalised communities in accordance with Arts Access Aotearoa's own objectives, rather than funding for specific artform initiatives.