Historic Heritage Inventory



Waihi Hospital



Location: 16 Toomey Street, Waihi

Heritage Status

Historic Places Trust Registration Number: 4663 Historic Places Trust Category: Category 2 - Registered Historic Place HDC Heritage Category: A - Heritage Feature. National or Outstanding Regional Significance Other:

Physical Description: Wooden turn of the century building with gabled entrance and an open air corridor which runs along the flanks of the hospital.

Other known names:

Notable features:

Style:

Materials: timber, corrugated iron

Date of Construction: 1902

History: The four foundation stones were laid on the 9th August 1902. It was officially opened by Rt Hon. R. J. Seddon on the 17th May 1903. The building has since been extended although the original complex remains intact.

District Plan Schedule

Number: HAU018

Heritage Category: A

Heritage Type:

- Wahi Tapu
- Cultural Landscape
- Building
- Group of Buildings
- □ Structure
- Monument
- Historic Place
- Archaeological Site
- Other

Date Period: 1881-1910

Significance:

- Archaeological
- Architectural
- Cultural
- Historic
- Scientific
- Technological

Thematic Context

- Maori
- Early Settlement
- Industry
- Extraction
- G Forestry
- Agriculture
- □ Transport
- Communication
- □ Commerce
- Residential
- Social/Cultural
- Civic
- Health
- Educational
- Church/yard
- Other

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Architect: Edward Bartley Designer: Builder: Engineer:

History of changes: Various additions and alterations on Council file in 1952, 1954, 1988 and 1997. Also has a small brick chapel (includes undertakers room?) in the grounds.

Condition: good

Integrity: substantially intact

Current Uses:

Former Uses: Hospital

Registered owner:

Legal Description: Lot 1 DPS 82209 (Alt Legal Description) Lot 1 DPS 313751

Reference Source: Barber, L. (1985) *No Easy Riches: A History of Ohinemuri County, Paeroa and Waihi 1885-1985.* Ray Richards Ltd, Auckland.

Associated Pictures:



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