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THEATRE NEW ZEALAND – DARGAVILLE LITTLE THEATRE OUT OF MIND

This musical is a commentary of the condition of the Mental Health system in 20th Century New Zealand, based on and inspired by real life stories. Ella Irene Lamont is a Mental Health Nurse, who trained at Tokanui Mental Hospital in South Waikato in 1952. As she examines the textbooks of instruction that is to form her thinking and behavior as a Mental Health Nurse, stories of life at Tokanui weave in and around her. Each story has a unique experience, and together, they form a collective voice of the complexities of Mental Health (diagnosis and treatment, attitudes and assumptions) during this time.

