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The Centre would like to share the first summary report from our Remote Participation project, following the preliminary forum we hosted on 6 March 2026.

The forum brought together disability and neurodivergence advocates, justice sector agencies, and members of the judiciary to discuss both the challenges and opportunities of remote participation for defendants who face barriers to effective participation in court. The summary report captures the key themes and insights that emerged from these discussions.

You can view the summary report on our website: <https://www.wgtn.ac.nz/cjinz/research/remote-participation-criminal-proceedings>

For future updates and project outputs, keep an eye on our LinkedIn page: <https://nz.linkedin.com/company/cjinz>

Ngā mihi nui
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