

Health Sector Principles

Pae Ora - Healthy Futures

The health sector should be equitable, including equitable outcomes for Māori

The health sector should engage with Māori, population groups, and others to reflect their needs and aspirations

The health sector should provide opportunities for Māori to exercise decision-making authority

The health sector should provide choice of quality services to Māori and other population groups

The health sector should protect and promote people's health and wellbeing

Pharmac's Strategic Framework

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Pae Ora
Healthy Futures

Mauri ora
(healthy individuals)
Protect, promote, and improve the health of all New Zealanders

Whānau ora
(healthy families)
Achieve equity in health outcomes among New Zealand's population groups, including by striving to eliminate health disparities, in particular for Māori

Wai ora
(healthy environments)
Build towards pae ora (healthy futures for all New Zealanders)

Our mandate

To secure the best health outcomes that are reasonably achievable from pharmaceutical treatment and from within the amount of funding provided

Health Sector Outcomes
Interim Government Policy Statement

Embedding Te Tiriti o Waitangi across the system

Achieving equity in health outcomes

Laying the foundations for the success of the system

Developing the workforce of the future

Keeping people well and independent in their communities

Ensuring a financially stable health system

Our vision

He Rongoā Pai, He Ahu Pae Ora

Through our work with medicines, vaccines, medical devices, and related products, we will *"build on our existing foundations and work together towards a future of health and wellbeing for our whānau."*

Our strategic priorities

Where we are focusing our efforts to make the biggest impact to the health sector outcomes

Strategic management of the Combined Pharmaceutical Budget

Enhanced assessment & decision-making

Strategic management of medical devices

Our values
Ngā uaratanga

