

Regional Public Health Planning Framework

Inputs

- Health status of the population
- Government
- Ministry of Health
- National Health Board
- District Health Boards
- Service Integration and Development Unit

Key Principles

- Focusing on the health of communities rather than individuals
- Influencing health determinants
- Prioritising improvements in Maori health
- Reducing health disparities, including a focus on Pacific people and vulnerable groups
- Basing practice on best available evidence
- Building effective partnerships across the health sector and other sectors
- Remaining responsive to new and emerging health threats

Core Functions

- Health assessment and surveillance
- Public health capacity development
- Health promotion
- Health protection
- Preventive interventions

Public Health Service Outcomes

- A healthier and more productive population
- Reducing health disparities, including a focus on Pacific people and vulnerable groups
- Improving Maori health
- Increased safeguards for the public's health
- A reduced burden of acute and chronic disease

Bold Goal: Halving the rate of avoidable hospital admissions for Maori, Pacific and children by 2021

Vision: Equitable, sustainable and healthy futures for all