



How does Home Health connect to Whānau Ora?

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Whānau Ora

- Brand
- Model of practice
- History
- Policy



Taskforce on Whānau-centred Initiatives

- Model of service delivery that would place whānau at the centre
- Realisation of whānau potential
- Value for investment



Government Response

- January – report back to Minister Turia
- April – appointment of Minister responsible for Whānau Ora
- May – Budget 2010 provided for 134.3m over four years



Implementation

- Partnership of 3 government agencies led by Te Puni Kōkiri
- Governance Group & Regional Leadership Groups
- EOI
- Whānau Engagement, Innovation, Integration Fund



Whānau Ora Goals

- Self-managing
- Living healthy lifestyles
- Participating fully in society
- Confidently participating in te ao Māori
- Economically secure & successfully involved in wealth creation
- Cohesive, resilient and nurturing



Connections

- Recognition that people hold expertise about their own lives
- Recipients of care are contributors, may hold other valued social roles
- Workforce matters
- Relationships are key
- Contracting, monitoring & evaluation models influence what activity is seen as valid or important



Whānau-centred or Whānau Related ?

- Whānau are primary carers for whānau members
- Some Home Health care already takes place within a whānau-centred model of delivery
- Understanding of role of whānau, voice of whānau members
- Home Health contributes to overall whānau well-being



Whānau Ora & Home Health

- Emergent structures, roles and relationships
- Access to quality home health & community support services may be important part of whānau plans
- Local and regional variation
- Leadership important



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