



## Manawhenua ki Waitaha

### 2019 Chairperson Annual General Meeting Report

It is hard to believe that a whole year has passed. MKWCT mahi has been extremely busy in this space. We continue to hold our three contracts with CDHB - scholarships, training and appointments process.

Special thanks to Ruth for achieving an analytical process to our selection committee to achieve .....

The Canterbury health system has responsibilities under Te Tiriti o Waitangi to measure and monitor the equity of health outcomes and address health inequities experienced by Maori living in the CDHB catchment:

- MKWCT has an iwi mandated treaty relationship with CDHB
- MKWCT sit strategically across the Canterbury clinical health sector to make recommendations on how Canterbury health system can achieve health equity for Maori

MKWCT annually review their strategic plan to align across all alliance strategic direction.

The MOU signed between MKWCT Runanga Chairs and CDHB Chair in 2012, is reviewed by the perspective Chairs to align with strategic directions. It is decided (2019) to wait for the new Board members to come into play to complete this review. meanwhile MKWCT continues to build their Board to Board relationships.

Current Trustees are:

- Te Rūnanga o Kaikoura - Jaana Kahu
- Te Ngāi Tūāhuriri Rūnanga - Michelle Turrall (Teputi Tumuaki)
- Ōnuku Rūnanga - Wendy Dallas-Katoa (Tumuaki) ALT Ngaio Tuari
- Te Taumutu Rūnanga - Toriana Hunt (Kaitiaki Moni)
- Te Hapū o Ngāti Wheke – Tumanako Stone-Howard ALT Christina Henderson
- Koukourārata – Ngaire Briggs ALT Elizabeth Cunningham
- Wairewa Rūnanga - Ana Rolleston ALT Marie Kipa

MKWT has three contractual obligations with CDHB:

- Scholarships - for the 2018/2019 51 applications from health and social disciplines studying in Waitaha have received a workforce development scholarship in health
- Training - in 2018/2019 MKWCT supported Maui Collective two day conference for Maori working in health across Canterbury; leadership and governance training for Maori working in the health sector; MKWCT Trustees and Alternates provided an Institute of directors training

- Appointments - as MKWCT have an appointments process for Maori sitting within the health sector as in the relationship chart. These positions formulate in a Maori caucus group to look at equity outcomes across all DHB health work plans

**MOH** John Whaanga (Ngati Kahunganunu) is the new Deputy Director General Maori health. MKWCT hosted a morning on vision for Maori health question and answer time on 11 July 2019 with 99 attending.

Te Ora (Maori Medical Practitioners) Report on stage one kaupapa Maori inquiry Wai2575 addresses findings that the primary health care system in New Zealand:

- has failed to achieve Maori health equity
- is not 'fit for purpose' for the achievement of equity
- inadequately resources Maori primary health organisations and health providers
- provides no ability to exercise *tino rangatiratanga* in the design and delivery care

**TE RAUTAKI HAUORA** - Ngai Tahu Health and Wellbeing. MKWCT supports the five key strategies of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu whanau health and wellbeing as set out in Te Rautaki Hauora strategy.

**TE MATAU MAUI COLLECTIVE** - Maori and Pacific NGO Providers. MKWCT sit alongside Te Matau Maui Collective as a contracted NGO provider of CDHB, to also support and develop a collective wellbeing strategy, workforce development and data analysis.

**MAORI MENTAL HEALTH** - Te Korowai Atawhai - Maori mental health workforce. MKWCT is working with Kaumatua Maurice Gray, Hector Matthews - Executive Director Maori and Pacific health, and Pou whirinaki of mental health Ruru Hono..... on a strategic responsive direction to address the fundamental mental health disparity that exist for Maori. MKWCT believes this strategic plan should be based on a more comprehensive review of Maori mental status and the CDHB responsiveness to meeting Maori mental health needs.

**FACILITY DEVELOPMENT** - CDHB Rebuild. MKWCT have been consulted, advised and working with CDHB design teams to look at the rebuild of:

- ASB main hospital
- Riki Manual and Fayne Robinson are leading the carvings and the narrative of the Pou. The narrative has been supported by manawhenua. The pounamu that shall sit at the entrance was gifted by Ngati Waewae
- The opening of outpatients. Riki Manual has carved two carvings on site 'coming together of two tides'.

Facility development and rebuild:

- MKWCT sits strategically across all hospital rebuilds facilitating cultural narratives and the relationship between kaumatua, Tuahuriri and Kaiwhakairo (Riki Manual and Fayne Robinson)
- ASB main hospital - a blessing to allow the workforce to enter the building scheduled for November/December 2019
- The mama and pepe building in Hillmorton Hospital - the architect designers have been given to Tuahiwi for consultation

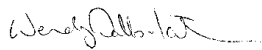
**An emerging issue** is ongoing, dialogues still happening with appropriate plaques, cultural narratives and who makes decisions on naming still to be decided

- A full presentation by the facility designers, architects, planners and project managers will take place at MKWCT Board Hui to be held on 19 November at Te Whare o Te Waipounamu, 15 Show Place. We extend a warm welcome for Papatipu Runanga interested to be part of the conversation.

To conclude, there is much mahi to explore, action, develop and establish. Be sure to visit our website for updated miniti and latest panui.

*'Tē tōia, tē haumatia* Nothing can be achieved without a plan, workforce and way of doing things'.

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