

Tā tātou pūnaha mō te hauora me te hauātanga

Hauora Māori

Kua roa rawa tā tātou pūnaha mō te hauora me te hauātanga e ngere ana mā te Māori – e whitu tau te potonga iho o te ora e matapaetia ana mō te Māori tēnā i te Pākehā, ka mutu, o ngā mate i tōna tikanga ka taea te kaupare, ko te tāpara o ngā mate Māori tēnā i ngā mate Pākehā.

E whai ana ēnei whakahoutanga kia riro i te Māori te rangatiratanga e pā ana ki te hauora Māori, kia whānui ake hoki tōna mana puta noa i te pūnaha. Ehara i te mea e hāngai noa ana tēnei ki Te Tiriti o Waitangi, engari kē, e mea ana tēnei me rite tā tēnā, tā tēnā whai wāhi mai ki ngā hua pai mō te hauora.

He aha e panonitia ana?

Kei te Manatū Hauora me ia o ngā Poari Hauora ā-Rohe e 20 te haepapa e puta ai ngā hua tōkeke mō te Māori i tēnei wā. Ā muri ake nei, ka noho tonu te haepapa kia whakapai ake i ngā hua hauora Māori ki te katoa o ngā tōpūtanga, he nui ngā panonitanga whānui e whai ana kia noho pūmau, kia kōkiritia hoki e te pūnaha:

- Ka riro mā tētahi Māori Health Authority motuhake hou te haepapa kia eke te pūnaha hauora mā te Māori, mā roto i:
 - te mahi tahi ki te Manatū e tohutohu ai i ngā Minita mō te hauora Māori
 - te tuku tōtika atu i te pūtea ki ngā ratonga hauora auaha e aro ana ki te Māori (tae atu ki ngā ratonga kaupapa Māori)
 - te mahi tahi ki a Health NZ mō te whakamahere me te aroturuki i te whakarātanga o ngā ratonga hauora.
- Ka riro ki ngā Poari Mahi Tahi Iwi-Māori, tētahi tūranga motuhake – ka whai wāhi atu hoki te whakaaetanga o ngā whāinga matua ā-rohe ki a Health NZ.
- Ka noho te haepapa mō te whakapai ake i ngā hua hauora Māori, i te mana taurite hoki ki a Health NZ mā roto i te katoa o āna whakahaerenga ā-motu, ā-rohe, ā-wāhi anō hoki.
- Ka aroturuki tonu te Manatū Hauora i te āhua o tā te pūnaha whānui whakarato mā te Māori, me te mahi tahi ki te Māori Health Authority

He aha ai?

Kāore anō kia tutuki i ngā whakahoutanga o mua te rongoā i te korenga o ngā hua hauora i tōkeke ki te Māori. Ka whakamana ēnei whakahoutanga i tā te Māori waihanga pūnaha, whakatika tukanga hauora anō hoki kia whai hua ki te Māori.

Kua kounga tonu ētahi o ngā kaupapa e puta ana i te pūnaha o tēnei wā – pēnei i te whakatairangatanga 2020 mō te rongoā āraimate tarutawhiti me ētahi hononga ā-iwi e pakari

nei i ētahi pito o te motu – heoi anō, ehara ēnei i te hua o tētahi huarahi ā-motu, ārā, he pūnaha whakaputa hua ki te Māori.

Ka pēhea tōna āhua ā mua?

Ka kōtui te Mana Hauora Māori ki ngā Poari Mahi Tahī Iwi-Māori, ki ngā kaiwhakarato hauora Māori, ki ngā iwi, ki ngā hapū, ki ngā hāpori Māori anō hoki e mōhio ai ki ngā matea hauora o te Māori puta noa i Aotearoa. Mā tēnei e pakari ake ai ngā ratonga kaupapa Māori, e kaha ake ai te ohu mahi Māori me te kāhui kairato, e whāngai ai hoki i te auahatanga o ngā ratonga me ngā tauria e pai ake ai ngā hua ki a ngāi Māori.

I ia wāhi, mā te mahi tahī o ngā Poari Mahi Tahī Iwi-Māori ki ngā kaikōmihana Health NZ me ngā hāpori whānui e mōhio ai e rangona ana te reo o ngāi Māori, kāore hoki e tohea te whai kia tōkeke ngā hua hauora Māori.

Ka whai te kōtuinga o te Māori Health Authority me Health NZ i ngā ratonga e whai pakiaka ana i te ao Māori, e mōhio ai e urupare ana te pūnaha hauora whānui i ngā matea o ngāi Māori, i te taha o te taupori whānui.

Ki te tonoa he ratonga hou, ki te arotake rānei i ngā ratonga o tēnei wā, ka mahi tahī te Māori Health Authority ki a Health NZ e tika ai te kapo ake i ngā matea kanorau i roto i te waihanga i te ratonga me ngā whāinga mātāmua. Mēnā kāore e whakaea ana ngā ratonga i ngā matea o ngāi Māori, kua uru atu te Māori Health Authority ki te whakakaha i ngā pūkenga o ngā kaiwhakarato, ki te panoni hoki i ngā ratonga kia whai wāhi mai te katoa.

I te taha o te Manatū Hauora, ka waihanga te Māori Health Authority i tētahi rautaki me te ahunga o te pūnaha hauora, e noho tonu ai Te Tiriti o Waitangi hei kaiārahi mō ngā huarahi hauora.

He aha ā muri ake nei?

E pai ai tā te Māori Health Authority kōkiri i te rangatiratanga mō ngāi Māori i tā tātou pūnaha hauora, me tino whai wāhi mai a ngāi Māori ki te waihanganatanga.

Hei ngā marama e heke mai nei mahi tahī ai te kāwanatanga me ngāi Māori i te waihanganatanga o te Māori Health Authority, i ētahi atu āhuatanga whānui hoki o tā tātou pūnaha hauora hou, pēnei i te whakatūnga, te whakahaeretanga, me te whakarohenga o ngā Poari Mahi Tahī Iwi-Māori.

Ka whakatūria tētahi Mana Hauora Māori taupua hei rāngai kāwananganatanga ki roto i te Manatū Hauora i mua i te paunga o 2021. Otirā, ka whakahoro te kāwanatanga i te waihanganatanga o ngā tauria ā-wāhi mō te whakahaumanu matua, whakahaumanu hāpori anō hoki i ētahi wāhi, ko ētahi ka whai i ngā ara kaupapa Māori mō te whakahaumanu.

Kei te pīrangi ki ētahi anō kōrero?

Ko te roanga ake o ngā whakamārama e pā ana ki tēnei mahi me te ahunga o ngā waihanga hou mō te hauora kei te pae tukutuku a DPMC, kei te wāhi mō te Transition Unit:

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