Healthy Ageing Strategy

Priority actions for implementation 2019–22

A RESPECTFUL END OF LIFE Te mate rangatira i ngā tau whakamutunga o te hunga pakeke



The priority actions for this area of focus continue from the first phase of implementation. These actions will be managed and monitored as part of a dedicated stream of work on palliative care. This work stream is currently being developed.

In addition stakeholders concluded that a focus on the workforce should be a priority for the next phase.

23. Build a greater palliative care workforce closer to home.

LEAD: Ministry of Health

24. Improve the quality and effectiveness of palliative care.

24a Work with the Palliative Care Advisory Panel to implement the actions from the 2016 Review of Adult Palliative Care Services.

LEAD: Ministry of Health

24c Support the implementation of Te Ara Whakapiri: Principles and guidance for the last days of life.

LEAD: Ministry of Health

KEY PARTNER: DHBs

24d Progress options for a national survey of patient and family and whānau carers' experiences of the care provided at the end of life to ensure person centred care.

LEAD: Ministry of Health

KEY PARTNER: Health Quality & Safety Commission

