Market event

Primary Care

19 February 2025





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Nau mai, Haere mai

Welcome to ACC's Primary Care Market Event

Meet the team



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Note: This session is being recorded

Questions



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Access the content



We'll share the slides, recording, and Q&A

Agenda

Purpose

Primary Care today

3 Impact on the Scheme

The opportunity

5 Q&A

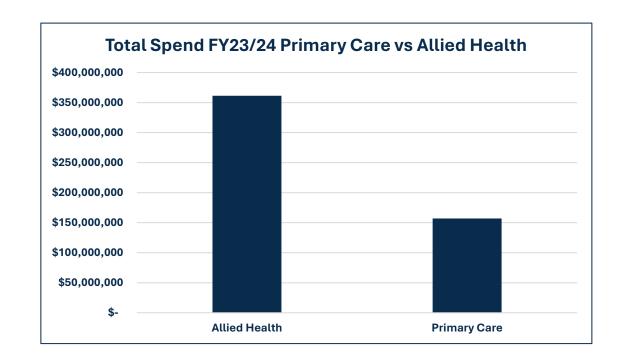


1. Purpose

We want to improve how we work with the health sector

We're starting with you because of your key role in injury recovery

- Our focus for 2025 is about how we work with the health sector
- We're starting with Primary Care because:
 - You play a key role in injury recovery;
 - You are of strategic importance to ACC;
 - You are the main entry point and key referral pathway for the Scheme;
 - We acknowledge we've underinvested in Primary Care.
- We need to find new and better ways of working together





2. Primary Care today

We understand the pressure you are under

As well as your importance in keeping patients and community safe and well

Primary Care sector under pressure

Including from: Uncertain financial sustainability, constrained workforce, high reports of burnout, increased pressure for care in the community

Impacts your ability to...

Keep patients, whānau, and community safe and well

Via your differentiated skillset: Understanding the whole patient, acting as a first point of contact in health system, providing all of life care, focusing on health promotion & prevention.

Contributes to...

Pressure on scheme sustainability

Given your crucial role to ACC: Scheme entry point, key recovery partner, medical certification pathway



We've heard your feedback and have made changes

But we acknowledge there is more work to do



You told us we need to...

Be culturally responsive

Be easier to work with

Simplify return to work processes

Reduce administrative burden

Provide more flexibility

Make you feel valued



So far we have...

Strengthened cultural safety policies

Provided learning opportunities and improved resources

Introduced telehealth rates

Introduced KonnectNet

Expanded GPMRI nationally

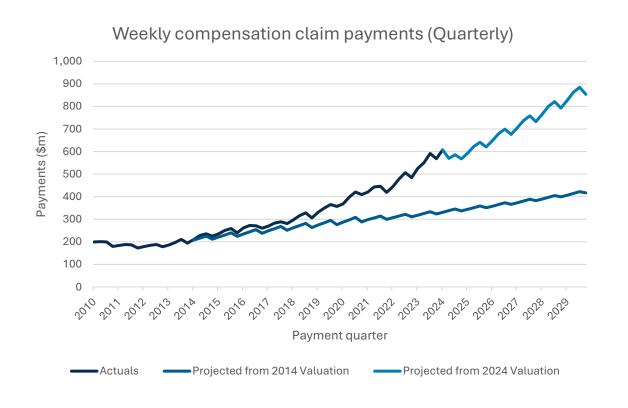
Adapted our case management model



3. Impact on the Scheme

Costs of providing entitlements have grown significantly in the past decade

This indicates worse recovery rates for clients and more pressure on the Scheme

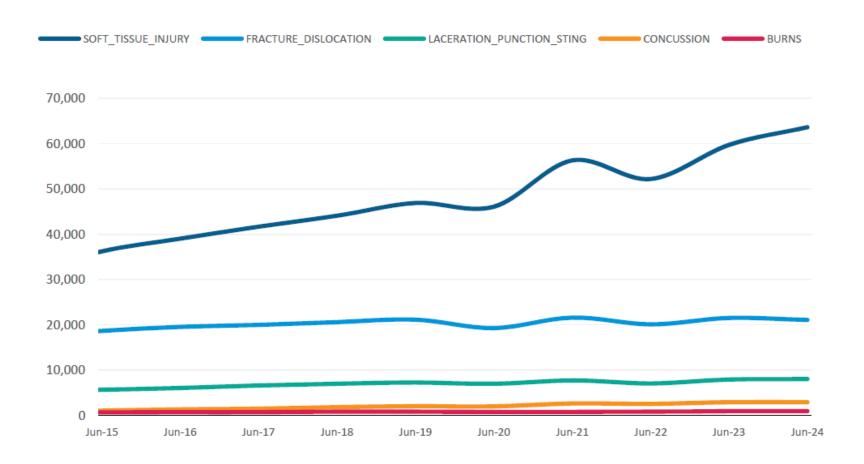


"...issues that, if left unaddressed, are likely to result in the next generation having to pay significantly higher levies and taxes to ensure the Scheme remains sustainable."

ACC Financial Conditions report



Soft tissue injuries make up an increasing share of weekly compensation volumes





The greatest impact of delayed recovery is on the individual

However, the ripple effects are felt by all of us

Recovery impacted by:

- Whānau situation
- Financial situation
- Wider socioeconomic conditions

Impacts on individual:

- Livelihood
- Relationships
- Physical wellbeing
- Mental wellbeing

Impacts on Whānau:

- Inter-generational consequences
- Strain on relationships

Impacts on society:

- Cost to employers
- Pressure on co-workers
- Increased demand on healthcare



4. The Opportunity

Opportunity one - Your ideas

How can we work differently to improve recovery outcomes



Ideas on how we can collectively improve recovery outcomes – small or large

How do I submit my idea(s)?

Complete the Request for Information (RFI), available on GETS

Submit your RFI by 16 March to primarycare@acc.co.nz



Opportunity two – External Reference Group

How can you help shape our next steps

Clinicians and thought leaders to join ACC for an external reference group

How do I become part of this group?

Complete the Expressions of Interest (EOI) available on GETS.

You can nominate someone or yourself.

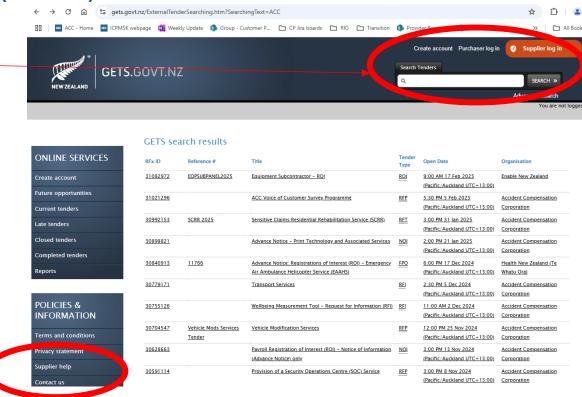
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Government Electronic Tender System (GETS) online

- Search for ACC
- Look for "Working together to improve outcomes – General Practice"
- Subscribe to the notice to download the EOI or RFI
- Login using your RealMe account
- Raise all questions using the message function on GETS. We will publish the all answers here.
- For any issues or help with GETS, select the 'supplier help' link





Next steps

Indicative dates	Activity
21 February	RFI and EOI guidelines available on GETS.
21 February	RFI and EOI submission period open
Send all submissions to <u>primarycare@acc.co.nz</u> Submit all questions via GETS	
16 March	RFI and EOI submission period closes
March	ACC review
April	Update on response and next steps



How you can stay connected

Working together to improve patient outcomes on acc.co.nz

Provider Update newsletters
signup on acc.co.nz

Share your ideas gets.govt.nz

Questions?



5. Questions & Answers

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