

# Vision 20:20

## The History and the Way Forward

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## Vision 20:20 Outline

- Background – where did it come from?
- Current context – what is it ?
- Challenges for the future – the way forward.....

## Vision 20:20 Background

- Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences, University of Auckland initiative
  - Medicine
  - Nursing
  - Pharmacy
- Aim: By the year 2020, Maori and Pacific would make up 20% of the health workforce
- Currently has 3 major components

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Get ready to learn about how to start a  
interesting career in Medical and Health  
Sciences!


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**Whakapiki Ake**

→ **INTRODUCTION**

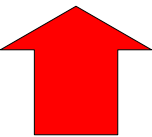
“On 1 July 2003 Professor Colin Mantell of the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences – University of Auckland launched a new Māori Student Recruitment Project.”

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→ **WHY DO THIS?**

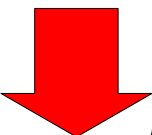
Disparities between Maori and non-Maori are increasing

(Decades of Disparity Report Ministry of Health and University of Otago 2003)



Maori participation in the health sector workforce is grossly under-represented

(Health Workforce Advisory Committee)



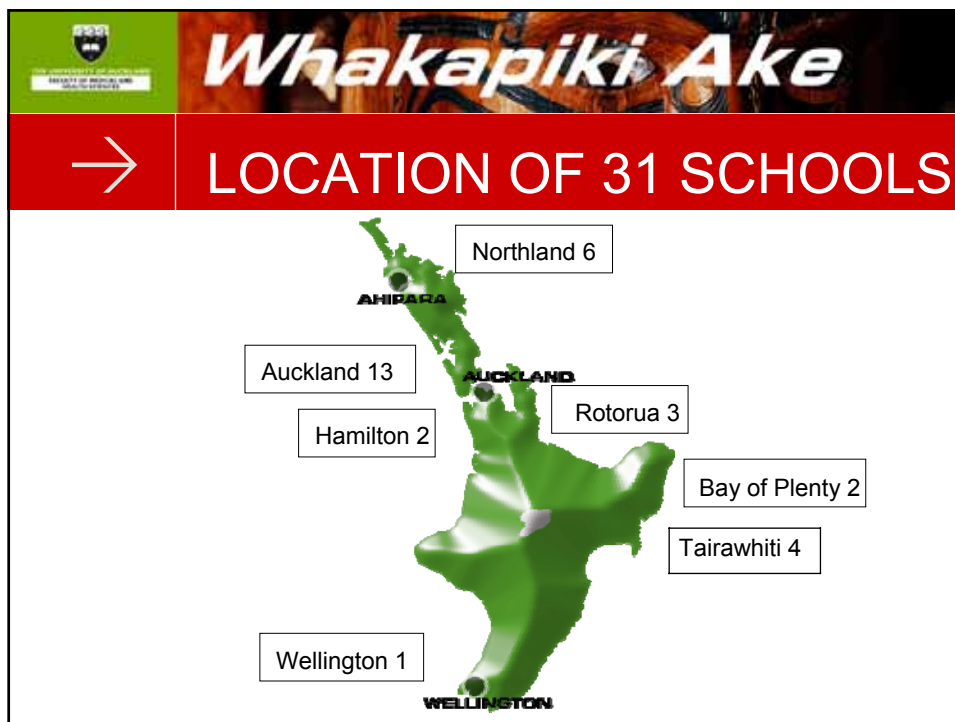
This is an unacceptable paradox.

 **Whakapiki Ake**

→ **PROJECT PURPOSE**



“To engage Māori whānau through selected schools, health service providers, and research institutions in a strategy to increase the number of Māori health sector professionals.”



**Whakapiki Ake**

→ THE PROJECT

**THE OFFER**

- A combined project between The University of Auckland, the Ministry of Health, you, your school, your whanau, the health sector and the wider community.
- Available to Year 13 Maori students enrolled at a participating school
- Guaranteed entry to the Certificate of Health Science
- Course costs and some related costs covered
- Support throughout their study programme



**Whakapiki Ake**

**→ CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE!!!**

**Whakapiki Ake**

**→ What is Whakapiki Ake?**

Whakapiki Ake means to support, raise up or assist, and that's exactly what this project will do for Maori students across the country.

Whakapiki Ake is a partnership programme between The University of Auckland's Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences (the Faculty) and participating New Zealand secondary schools aimed at encouraging Maori students to pursue a career in Medical or Health Sciences.

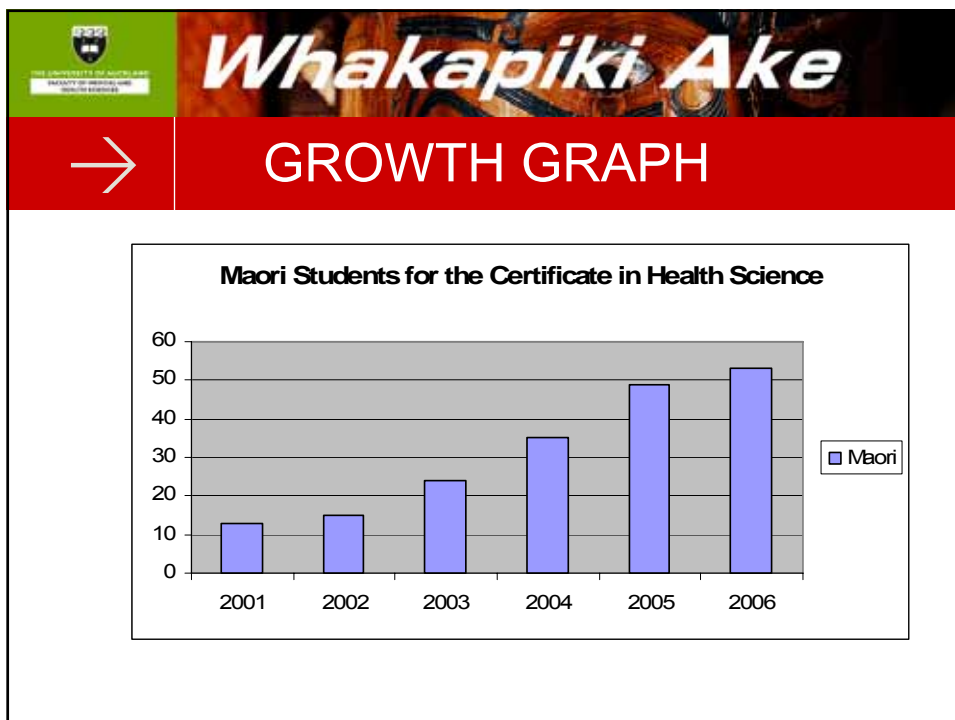
Did you know that the disparities between Maori and non-Maori are increasing and that the Maori participation in the health sector workforce is grossly under-represented? We want to do something about this and would like you to get involved!


Whakapiki Ake is the first stepping stone to a career in a wide range of jobs spread right across the health sector - from medicine to nursing to physiotherapy or medical research.

**Dr Sue Crengle**  
Head of Discipline-Maori Health  
**WELCOMES YOU**

**→ The Offer**

[www.maorihealthcareers.auckland.ac.nz](http://www.maorihealthcareers.auckland.ac.nz)





# Whakapiki Ake

→ CHALLENGES

- Getting “bang for buck”!
- Recruiting the right students for the CertHSc course
- Access to all Māori, not just the 31 schools

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# Certificate in Health Sciences



1. Māori and Pacific Students
2. 1 year pre-degree foundation programme
3. Aims to increase number of students entering FMHS courses

## “Booster year”

**Hikitia Te Ora – Certificate in Health Sciences**

Want to study towards a healthcare profession but need some help to boost your marks to get into university?

Come and join us for a one year “booster” foundation programme.....

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The advertisement features a large, stylized Māori face (Huiarau) on the left side. In the center, there is a photograph of a young woman looking upwards with a thoughtful expression. The text is arranged in a clean, professional layout, providing clear information about the program's purpose and contact details.

## “Hard” Science Orientated

.....get the help you need with Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics and Human Biology.

While you're at it learn about Māori and Pacific Health, Social Science and how best to study with Academic and Professional Development.

You can do it...become a Māori or Pacific health professional in:

Nursing	Health Sciences	Optometry
Pharmacy	Biomedical Science	Occupational Therapy
Medicine	Physiotherapy	

**Contact details:**  
CertHSc Administrator  
Tamaki Campus, The University of Auckland  
Email: certificate@auckland.ac.nz  
Pk: (07) 3737599 ext 86461

## Certificate in Health Sciences

- Started in 1999
- Grown from 40 to 92 students
- Challenges:
  - lack of leadership until recently
  - quantity versus quality
  - Focus of the course (applied science versus social science)
  - is it doing what we intended?

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## What is MAPAS?

- Entry pathway to Faculty of Medical Health Sciences for Māori and Pacific wishing to pursue a career in health
- Supportive environment to study
- Team committed to help Māori and Pacific students to succeed
- Whānau



## MAPAS History

1972 – 3 places – 1 admitted – solely med

1979 – 9 places - 5 admitted

1990 – 12 places – 12 admitted

2003 – 30 places – 31 admitted

2006 – 30 places – 24 admitted

Year 2000

- Schools of Pharmacy and Nursing opened up with quota for Māori and Pacific students

## Role of MAPAS

- Receive applications
- Arrange interviews
- Freshers' Camp – whakawhānaungatanga
- CertHSc Camp
- Retreats - Med, Pharm, Nsg
- Tutorial support
- Pastoral support
- Examiners' Committee

## MAPAS Graduates

	<i>Admitted</i>	<i>In School</i>	<i>Graduates</i>	<i>Left</i>
■ Medicine 1972-2006	352	102	180	70
■ Nursing 2000-2005	18	9	5	4
■ Pharmacy 2000-2005	27	15	4	8
■ BHSc*2001-2005	127	60	10	28

\*BHSc 1 feeds into Medicine

## MAPAS Challenges

- Growth of FMHS students and courses but not MAPAS staff...(ability to provide services)
- Understanding of all courses not just Medicine... (broadening of services)
- Knowing that what we do makes a difference...(evaluation of services)

## Vision 20:20: The Challenges

- Year 20:20 is looming!
- Co-ordinating all 3 programmes
- Fully evaluating the input and the output
- FMHS ownership...not just Te Kupenga Hauora Māori

## Vision 20:20: The Way Forward

- Broadening recruitment via WAP
- Introducing entry criteria for the CertHSc
- Matching the CertHSc to the OLY1
- Reviewing the MAPAS admission criteria

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## MAPAS

Maori and Pacific Admission Scheme



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