

Whanganui District Health Board

Electing 7 Board Members



Josh CHANDULAL-MACKAY

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Whanganui District Health Board area. I am also standing for Councillor of Whanganui District.

I'm standing for the Whanganui DHB because I believe that the public healthcare system is vital in creating a fair, equitable community. It is the most important part of our social infrastructure, providing critical services to people of all ages, cultures, and socioeconomic groups. I am Deputy Chair of Youth Services Trust Whanganui, an organisation providing wrap-around healthcare to young people aged between 10-24. I am a former Youthline counsellor and hold a long-term interest in aged-care, having previously volunteered at Nazareth Rest Home. I am a current accredited visitor with Age Concern's Accredited Visitor Service. After three years as a Whanganui District Councillor, I'm seeking your support to contribute my governance experience to the Whanganui DHB.

Conflict of Interest Statement

I declare the following conflicts of interest in relation to my candidacy for the Whanganui District Health Board; I am Deputy Chair of Youth Services Trust Whanganui, which receives a majority of its funding from the Whanganui DHB.

To the best of my knowledge I have no other conflicts of interest with the DHB at the date of my notice of consent to being nominated as a candidate for membership of the board of the DHB. I do not anticipate any conflicts of interest to arise in the future, other than the continuation of the role as stated above.