



Executive Summary

NZ Cerebral Palsy Register Report, 2022

Overview

1,416

Individuals with CP on the NZCPR living in NZ



77%
of participants are in the paediatric age range (birth period 2001 – 2016)

14%
of individuals on the NZCPR were born overseas

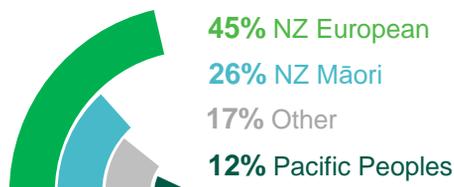
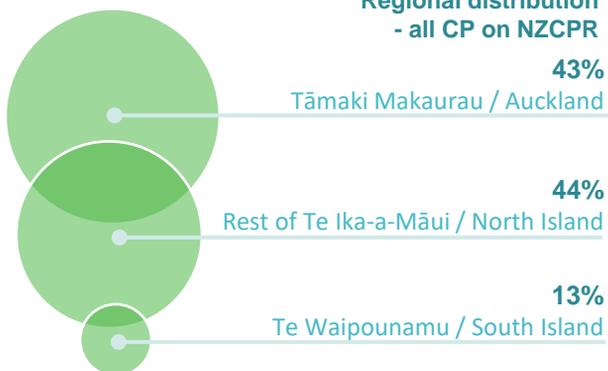
13%
have ACC Coverage for their CP



55%
The NZCPR represents over half (55%) of the estimated CP population (5-21 years age group) for Aotearoa NZ

Demographics

Regional distribution - all CP on NZCPR



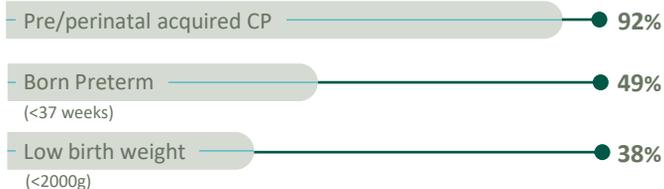
Prioritised ethnicity on NZCPR

46%

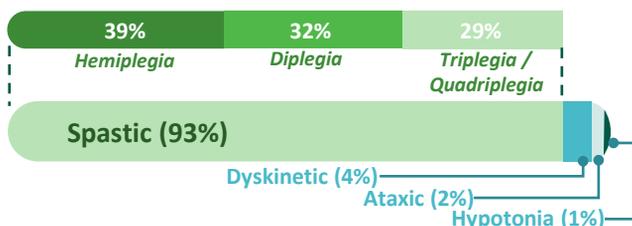
Of the CP population are living in the most deprived geographical regions in NZ,* with a greater representation for Māori individuals compared to non-Māori

*Based on the NZ Deprivation Index

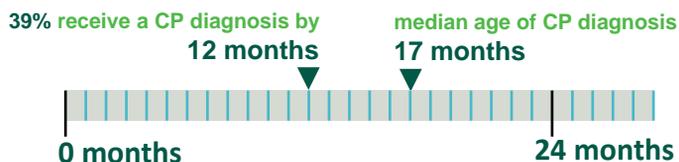
Clinical Descriptions



Motor Types



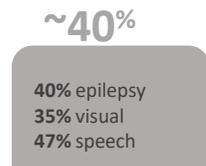
Time of first CP Description for pre/perinatal acquired CP



70%
use walking as the main form of mobility (GMFCS I - III)



62%
have difficulty using their hands in everyday tasks (MACS II - V)



~40%
of people with CP have an associated condition
40% epilepsy
35% visual
47% speech

Future

The NZCPR aims:

- > to increase engagement of all people living with CP
- > to inform stakeholders on health indicators for CP
- > to advocate for equity in health outcomes.

Ngā Mihi Nui – Thank you

All regions in NZ are represented in the NZCPR and we grateful for the support from all local health regions across NZ



The New Zealand Cerebral Palsy Register
Te Rēhita a Hōkai Nukurangi Aotearoa