



# Ria Earp

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## Consultancy Focus Areas

### *Leadership and management*

Demonstrated leadership in Palliative Care and Maori Health. Experienced manager, senior manager and Chief Executive in both Government (Ministry of Youth Affairs) and not-for-profit organisations (Mary Potter Hospice).

- **Social policy (and strategy) development through to implementation**

Experienced senior policy analyst and manager, with the ability to lead projects and programmes through the development, approval, establishment and implementation phases. Demonstrated ability in relationship management, including relationships with communities.

- **Health and social services**

More than 20 years in the health sector as hospital social worker, senior Ministry of Health manager and Chief Executive in community - based palliative care service.

Have managed large (up to \$40m) nation-wide social service programmes, small voluntary community based services, corporate services (planning and office management) and provided advice in agencies focused on population groupings (youth, women and Māori).

- **Māori Advice and programmes**

Demonstrated ability in providing Māori advice and capability, whether in organisations, in specific programmes, and/or through advisory committees or panels. Have worked with and established mechanism for iwi- Māori organisations, urban groupings and specific sector interest groupings.