

Biography



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Chris is Chief Planning & Funding Officer for Counties Manukau District Health Board. Currently Chris is seconded to the Ministry of Health as Programme Director responsible for developing the Long Term System Framework for the New Zealand health sector.

He has played a major role in collective DHB activity at regional and national levels, with the latter including chairing the Planning & Funding GM Network, and membership for 5 years of the DHBNZ Service Improvement Group. He has a particular interest currently in long term sector planning; models for intersectoral action; and primary care development.

Chris has worked at senior management levels in the public health sector for Midland Regional Health Authority, Bay of Plenty Area Health Board and Thames Hospital Board, and in the private health sector. He also has had considerable experience in health consulting and medical publishing (including launching the fortnightly 'New Zealand Doctor') in New Zealand, Australia and England.