

High Priority Themes (4–6 upvotes)

Theme	Summary	Upvotes
Traditional Māori Healing	Why are romiromi, mirimiri, and rongoā not included in the programme? Can we normalise ancestral healing in homes via wānanga?	6
Systemic Reform & Provider Role	How do we avoid becoming just another provider and protect existing services?	4
Unified System Vision	Can we create one system across health, justice, and social services instead of fragmented Oranga?	4
Access to Presentation Materials	Can all slides and presentations be made available digitally or in print?	4

Medium Priority Themes (2–3 upvotes)

Theme	Summary	Upvotes
Health Needs Alignment	How does Tihei Takitimu's health needs assessment align with Kahungunu Health Authority's?	3
Action vs Hui	Too much hui, not enough action—how do we move this kaupapa forward?	3
Leadership Continuity	What happens if future NKII leadership doesn't support this kaupapa?	2
Workforce Development	Can we discuss pathways for rangatahi and Māori workforce development?	2
Data Sovereignty	How will data sovereignty be ensured and protected?	2
Mental Health & Forensic Services	Can we establish a Kahungunu Forensic Mental Health Hospital?	2

System Dependence	Are we just replicating Western systems that have failed us?	2
Independent Entity Proposal	Can the Kahungunu Māori Health Authority be a new, independent entity with its own tūāpapa?	2

Foundational & Strategic Questions (1 upvote)

Theme	Summary
Funding for Māori-owned charities and businesses	
Political alignment and determinants of health	
Education as a foundation for rangatiratanga	
GP model critique and system failure	
Collaboration with other iwi	
Point of difference for success	
Rangatiratanga vs kawanatanga-funded partnerships	
Māori workforce ratios in health professions	
Women's health and Meihana model	
Māori mental health service gaps	
Rebuilding trust after poor health experiences	
Tangible steps for better Māori health outcomes	
Modified Williams model reference	
Tribunal accountability and effectiveness	
Mobilising Māori to vote	
Re-establishing Te Aka Whai Ora or alternative pathways	
Cultural safety and honouring Irihāpeti Ramsden	
Tikanga standardisation across regions	

Alternative to kawanatanga funding for sustainability

Māori women's centre in Napier

Commissioning integrity using te ao Māori principles

Nurse-led clinics and funding models

Role of Hauora Māori Services within Te Whatu Ora

Delivering tino rangatiratanga within colonial structures

Hapū influence vs CE power in governance

Centralisation of power concerns

PSGE limitations in supporting rangatiratanga

Role of hapū and marae in rongoā Māori integration



Emerging Voices & Personal Reflections

Theme

Summary

Pamela's concussion experience and comparison of rongoā vs Western treatment

Request to record Ricki Niania's kōrero

Emotional expressions and affirmations (e.g., "Aaaaauuuueeeeeee")