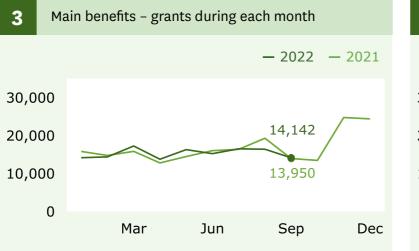
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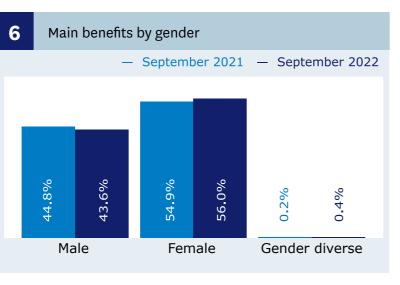
Main benefits population percentage

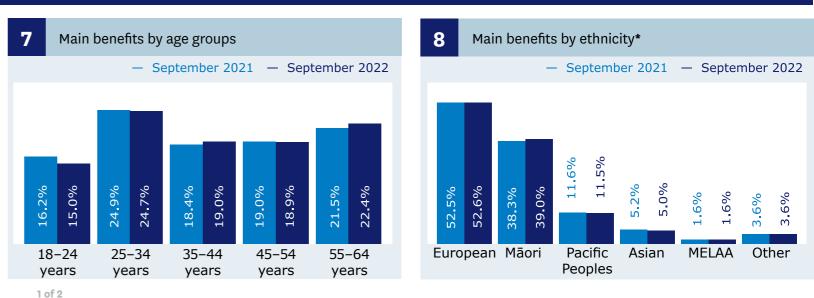






Main benefits demographics





of the estimated working-age population received a main benefit as at September 2022.

Main benefits recipients (Graph 1)

606 increase

when comparing September 2022 (345,762) with August 2022 (345,156).

Main benefits cancels into work (Graph 5)

↓ **546**_{decrease}

when comparing September 2022 (7,395) with August 2022 (7,941).

Jobseeker Support Work Ready recipients

(Graph 10)

79 decrease

when comparing September 2022 (98,934) with August 2022 (99,813).

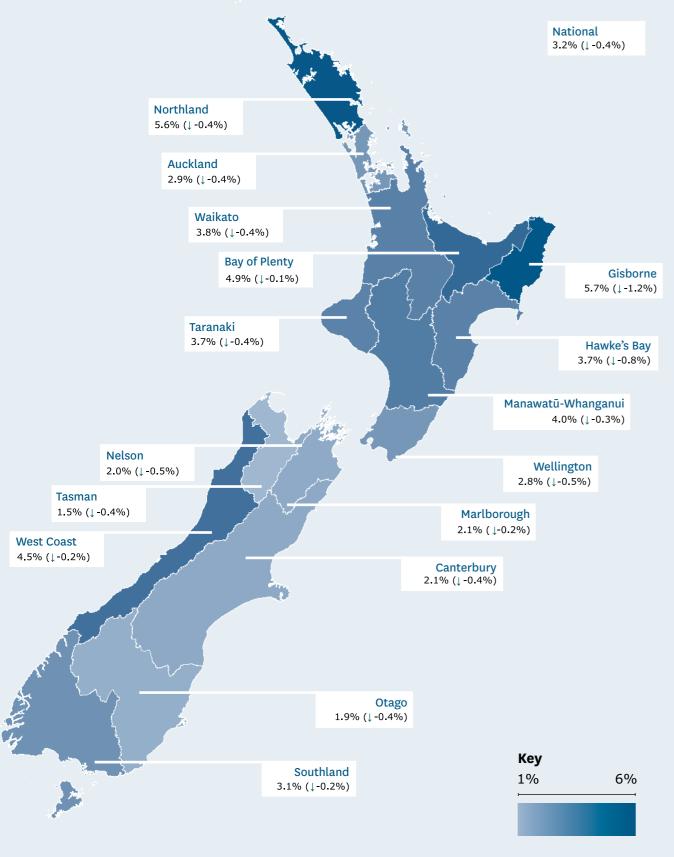
* Ethnicity is reported using 'total response' methodology. MELAA refers to Middle Eastern, Latin American, and African. For more information, please go to: www.msd.govt.nz/ about-msd-and-our-work/tools/how-we-reportethnicity.html.

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Jobseeker Support

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Population proportion receiving Jobseeker Support - Work Ready and percentage point change, compared with the previous year, by Regional Council









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