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# Natural Health Products

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# The Past

## Reading a Map



- NHSP Bill not reinstated in 2017
- Dietary Supplements Regulations expire March 2021
- The learnings can be brought forward

# The present



- Asked to provide advice to Ministers
- Our information is incomplete or outdated
- Update our data on the breadth of the industry
- Purpose: gather information to better understand impacts

# Natural Health Products Questionnaire



- Questionnaire is now live, closes 5pm 7 April 2019, takes 10-15 minutes
- Search “natural health products” on the Ministry of Health website
- Sign up for updates
- [naturalhealthproducts@moh.govt.nz](mailto:naturalhealthproducts@moh.govt.nz) or [info@mpi.govt.nz](mailto:info@mpi.govt.nz)
- We want to understand
  - what types of products you sell
  - What % of your business is domestic vs export

# The future



- Diversity in stakeholder perspectives
- Importance of collaboration
- Our role as advisors
- Next steps

# Key messages



- Early stages of developing options
- Questionnaire closes 5pm 7 April
- Advice to Ministers later in the year
- Consultation to come
- Dietary Supplements Regulations will be extended if necessary
- Thank you for your contributions so far
- Committed to progressing quickly but carefully