

ARTHRITIS AT A GLANCE

Every year arthritis costs New Zealand an estimated

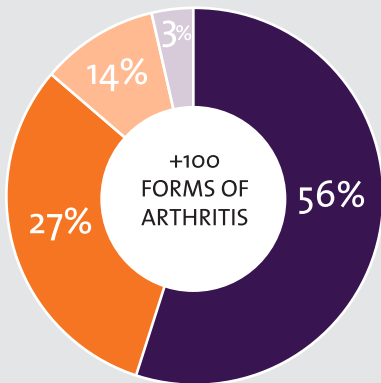
\$12 billion

670 000+

Kiwis are affected by arthritis.

49% are of working age.

Women are more affected by arthritis than men.



- Osteoarthritis 406 000
- Gout arthritis 185 000
- Rheumatoid arthritis 100 000
- Other 22 000

The numbers are rising

2018 **670 000**

2040 **1 million**

ARTHRITIS is one of the leading causes of disability

GOUT ARTHRITIS

- Gout arthritis is the second most common form of arthritis
- **Gout arthritis is more common in New Zealand than in any other country**
- Māori and Pacific people are more likely to have gout than other ethnicities, due to genetic factors
- **\$244 million pa can be saved with an additional 20 000 on a managed programme**

- Arthritis as a health priority
- Early treatment of gout arthritis
- Access to rheumatology services and medications
- Accessible packaging
- Barriers to paid employment

TOP 5 ISSUES

62 500 people use our education, information and support services

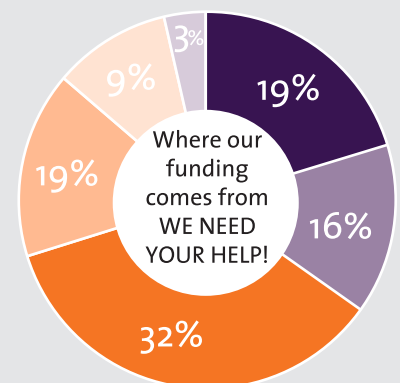
more than
80 000
website users

6 228
social media followers

10 000
volunteers and supporters in local communities

108 children have attended our annual Children's Camp

1/5 of our clients are Māori or Pacific



- Health contracts
- Sponsorship and grants
- Fundraising - donations, appeals
- Bequests
- Investments
- Others



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