

SETTLEMENT UNIT

LEADING MIGRANT SETTLEMENT AND INTEGRATION IN NEW ZEALAND

Migrants bring skills that contribute to New Zealand cities, regions and workplaces. Well-settled migrants participate fully and contribute to all aspects of New Zealand life.

New Zealand's settlement system supports communities and new migrants to achieve good settlement outcomes.

The Settlement Unit works across government to achieve successful settlement for new migrants

This work is guided by the five key outcomes of the New Zealand Migrant Settlement and Integration Strategy

EMPLOYMENT

Working-age migrants have work that matches their skills and New Zealand-ready qualifications.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Migrants achieve educational and vocational qualifications.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Migrants confidently use English in their daily lives.

INCLUSION

Migrants participate in and have a sense of belonging to their community and to New Zealand.

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Migrants enjoy healthy lives and feel confident and safe.

PREPARE

SUPPORT

RETAIN

SUPPORTING NEW MIGRANTS

We provide tools, information and resources tailored to migrants' needs to help them settle, live and work here.



SUPPORTING EMPLOYERS

We help employers to prepare for, support and retain their migrant workers.



PROVIDING SETTLEMENT SERVICES

We partner with government agencies to align their services to the Strategy. We contract non-government agencies to deliver settlement services.



SUPPORTING COMMUNITIES

We support local councils and communities to lead a welcoming and inclusive environment for newcomers and receiving communities.



WORKING IN THE REGIONS

Our relationship managers work with service providers, business networks, economic development agencies and local government to support regional growth through migration.



OUR APPROACH

MONITOR OUTCOMES

We monitor settlement outcomes, analyse trusted data and consult with a range of stakeholders to prioritise, design and deliver settlement services.



LEAD COLLABORATION

We lead collaboration to support settlement in workplaces, regions and communities.



SHARE BEST PRACTICE

We contribute to national and international discussions on migrant settlement and integration issues.

