

## Instructions

Kia ora. The questions below are to help InternetNZ understand the triumphs and challenges you have faced to date in your mahi we have supported.

We want to celebrate your successes and understand the obstacles you have encountered so far. This will help us all to learn what we could do differently next time.

This form will be placed on our website for transparency.

Please complete and submit this form no later than the date stipulated in your funding agreement. Should you be unable to meet the deadline, contact us to arrange an alternative date, by emailing [funding@internetnz.net.nz](mailto:funding@internetnz.net.nz). You may not be eligible to apply for further grants from InternetNZ if this is not submitted. The completion of this form should be overseen by someone with an intimate knowledge of the funded mahi.

## Mid-project report

**\* indicates a required field**

For your convenience, you will find some information for this section has prepopulated from previous forms you have completed. Please amend any details as needed to ensure we have the most accurate information.

**Project title \***

Increasing Internet Access for Cochlear Implant Recipients

**Amount granted by InternetNZ? \***

\$25,000.00

Must be a dollar amount.

**Provide a short summary of the work that has been completed so far as part of this project/research. \***

University of Auckland Ethics for the project have been approved. The clinical audiologist who will provide much of the participant training has been hired and has undergone job training. We have made good progress on compiling an E-library of resources that will be used for training in categories of Basic Internet Skills, Hearing Technology, Rehabilitation Materials. We have pilot tested the baseline questionnaires on 5 cochlear implant recipients and made modifications. Advertisement for the study will be released in the clinic waiting area next week and will go out in the Clinic Newsletter next week as well.

Describe the "who, what, where, when and why" of your initiative.

**When do you anticipate that your mahi will be completed? \***

01/05/2022

Must be a date.

If you are uncertain, please provide an estimate.

**What are the outcomes of this project so far? \***

No data has been collected yet. The E-Library that will be used for training is developing

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and includes the basic lessons. As baseline testing ensues, other needed materials will be identified and developed.

Describe major achievements of the project so far in terms of benefits for participants and/or others.

**What have you learnt so far? \***

The pilot questionnaire was collected from 5 participants, ages 61-85. Interestingly the 85 year old had better Internet knowledge than the 61 year old. The range of skills of those who enroll will be quite diverse and we will need to develop a hierarchy of content to tailor training for needs.

Once the invitation to participate is circulated we will learn if our approach to enrolment is appropriate.

(For research) What findings have you made so far? (For projects) Describe areas for improvement, challenges or reasons for success.

**What (if anything) have you changed in your approach and practices? Why was this necessary?**

At this point only minor changes to our questionnaires have been made based on responses from pilot participants.

Describe any changes from the original proposal and the reason the change was required. We may use this information to help others doing similar work.

**Which population group/s were affected by this project or program? \***

Health > People with disabilities > People with hearing impairments

Please choose only the group/s that were at the very core of this mahi.

**Financial report**

**\* indicates a required field**

**Project income and expenditure**

Please provide details of any project income (funds received) and project expenditure (funds spent) to date.

Use the 'Notes' column to provide any additional information you think we should be aware of.

Income description	Income type	Confirmed funding?	Income amount (\$)	Notes
			Must be a dollar amount.	
0		Not applicable *	\$0.00	

**Expenditure**

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<b>Expenditure description</b>	<b>Expenditure type</b>	<b>Expenditure amount (\$)</b>	<b>Notes</b>
salary	Salaries and wages	\$10,923.00	Hearing House sub-contract for .2 FTE Audiologist

### **Income and expenditure totals**

<b>Total income amount</b>	<b>Total expenditure amount</b>	<b>Income - expenditure</b>
\$0.00 This number/amount is calculated.	\$10,923.00 This number/amount is calculated.	-\$10,923.00 This number/amount is calculated.

**Have you experienced any issues with your intended project budget to date? If so, please explain reasons for any major variances or for providing incomplete information:**  
No

### **Feedback**

You are almost at the end of our mid-year reporting process. Before submitting your mid-year report, please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

**Please indicate how you found the acquittal process:**  
 Very easy  Easy  Neutral  Difficult  Very Difficult

**How many minutes in total did it take you to complete this form?**  
30  
Estimate in minutes (i.e. 1 hour = 60 minutes)

**Please provide us with your suggestions about any improvements and/or additions to this form that you think we need to consider:**

**InternetNZ is a membership organisation. Would you be interested in hearing more about becoming a member?**  
 Yes please  No thanks  I am already a member