Total Response Ethnicity | Working-age main benefit



Working-age main benefit (18-64 years) as at end of September 2021

Prioritised Ethnicity		
Ethnic Group	Recipients	
	Number	Percent
NZ European	131,667	38%
Māori	131,685	38%
Pacific Peoples	31,839	9%
Other ethnicity	48,729	14%
Total recipients with recorded ethnicity	343,920	100%

Total Response Ethnicity – Level 1			
Ethnic Group	Recipients		
	Number	Percent	
European	180,600	53%	
Māori	131,685	38%	
Pacific Peoples	39,867	12%	
Asian	18,042	5%	
Middle Eastern/Latin American/African	5,580	2%	
Other ethnicity	12,246	4%	
Total recipients with recorded ethnicity	343,920		

Impact		
Change		
Number	Percent	
+48,939	+14%	
0	0%	
+8,025	+2%	
+18,045	+5%	
+5,580	+2%	
-36,480	-11%	

Note: excludes 15,573 recipients who have not specified an ethnicity. Total main benefit recipients = 359,499.