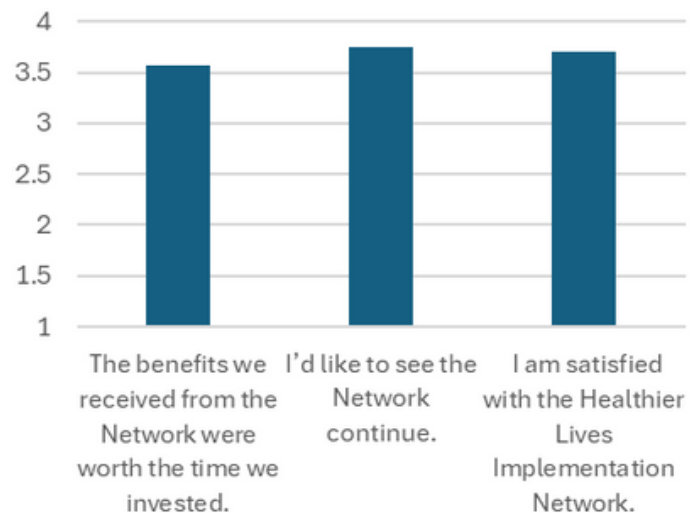




The Healthier Lives Implementation Network was developed to facilitate the implementation of novel programmes, interventions and products that help meet the health needs of Māori and Pacific communities.

We completed an evaluation to identify satisfaction with the network and areas for improvement. We invited network members to participate in the evaluation by completing a survey (8 participants), participating in a hui-fono (4 participants) or an interview (11 participants).

Satisfaction with the Network (4 is highest score)



“It [network] connected well with people, once they identified they would really be interested in an area, it sort of opened up the doors a bit more. You could actually connect into ways that they wanted and that's where I think the value of it was strong.”

POSITIVES

- The network was generally seen as a positive with the focus on collaboration, co-design, connection, communication and culture.
- Both participants who participated in the implementation pilots and those who did not found positive collaboration and connection features with the network.
- The communication tools (website and newsletters) were seen as positives

IMPROVEMENTS & CHALLENGES

- Desire to have more short videos and regular virtual meetings for sharing what other network members are doing.
- Community providers are busy and have limited resources and that can limit how much they can engage with the network activities.
- The sustainability of the network is a challenge with the funding from Healthier Lives National Science Challenge completed.