

# **No debate – bowel screening age to be lowered**

A commitment to lowering the bowel screening age is only the first step.

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## **Urgent call for political action on cancer**

NZ's leading cancer charities has issued an urgent call ahead of the election, to take action on cancer.

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## **Barker gets moving for bowel cancer fundraiser**

New Zealand sailing legend and bowel cancer survivor Dean Barker is encouraging Kiwis to join him and help kick bowel cancer in the butt this June.

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# Financial Assistance Service launched

A diagnosis costs in more ways than just the physical and emotional; there is also a financial burden. Financial assistance is now available.

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## Call for government to urgently address “unacceptable” barriers

Worrying delays face younger patients in accessing much-needed diagnostic bowel screening.

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## Bowel screening age for Māori and Pasifika lowered

The bowel screening age for Māori and Pasifika people will be lowered from 60 to 50 years old starting in 2023.

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# **Kick the couch this June and help beat bowel cancer**

June 2022 is bowel cancer awareness month, and Bowel Cancer New Zealand's annual Move Your Butt challenge.

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## **Report highlights how far there is still to go**

The report released today by Te Aho o Te Kahu (the Cancer Control Agency) is a small step in the right direction, but there is still a long way to go.

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## **Stop “shrugging your shoulders” at cancer deaths**

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