

Our Monitoring Approach



To answer these questions, we assess whether positive outcomes are being achieved, and the system elements that enable, or are a barrier to, those outcomes.

Our Big Questions

Our function is articulated by our

Primary Question

'To what extent is the oranga tamariki system meeting its obligations and supporting positive outcomes for tamariki and their whānau, including tamariki and whānau Māori and disabled tamariki and their whānau?'

We assess this through our monitoring activities and data requests.



We use quantitative data, other contextual information, and the results from our other interviews to assess compliance, and map the results against the big questions.



We interview those delivering services using our big questions and pātai pākiki.



We interview those receiving services using our pātai pakiki.

We analyse this data and information to determine:



Compliance with the Oranga Tamariki Act, National Care Standards, and other regulations.



The quality and impact of service delivery and practices.



Outcomes for children, young people, families and whānau who receive services or support.



We take the answers to these big questions and write reports to answer the primary question.