

Stroke by numbers in Aotearoa New Zealand

1st



First leading cause
of disability

2nd

Second leading
cause of death



9000

Strokes happen
every year, that's one
every 55 minutes



89,000

People living with
the effects of stroke

1 in 4

1 in 4 of us will be
impacted by stroke
in our lifetime



90%

Strokes are
preventable



\$1,100,000,000

Annual economic cost of stroke in 2020 increasing to:

\$1,700,000,000 by 2038



40%

Increase in Strokes
forecast 2018-2028

Māori and Pacific
people experience
strokes

**10-15
years
younger**



350,000

People affected
in Aotearoa



60%

of strokes for Māori and
Pacific people occur at
working age (15-64 years)



20%

of strokes for other
ethnicities occur at
working age