

**Summary of increases in funding for community LMC midwives funding since New Zealand College of Midwives initiated High Court case against MOH in 2015**

- 2% increase from 1 July 2015
- 2.5% increase (backdated to 1 July 2016)
- 6% increase (backdated to 1 July 2017)
- 8.9% increase from 1 July 2018
- \$4million allocated for second midwife fee (claimable from 1 October 2018 and backdated to 1 July 2018)
- \$5million allocated for LMC midwives for a lump sum "business contribution" payment (disbursed November 2018)
- Emergency urban locum relief funded out of unspent Midwifery First Year of Practice programme (MFYP) funds.