

BAY OF PLENTY DISTRICT HEALTH BOARD

Election of seven (7) Members



Debbie SHORT

Better Deal Cancer Lobby

Debbie Short, 49 years, my experience as a cancer patient, having surgery, chemotherapy and radiotherapy, has given me a perceptive insight into the health system, discovering its strengths and weaknesses. Then taking 124,000 signature Breast Screening Petition to Parliament, expanding breast screening to 45-69 years, previously 50-64 years. Elected to BOPDHB 2004, currently member BOP

Hospital Advisory Committee and trustee of Breast Cancer Action Trust. Keenly interested in all cancer issues, cancer treatments and their delivery. Coming from non-medical professional background, I add an important outside perspective to the Board with 'No' conflicts of interest. If re-elected, I personally commit to being available to hear your concerns, will continue to advocate and serve the Bay of Plenty on 'All' health issues for all ages. I believe in preventative health and healthy environments. Married to Tim with three wonderful daughters, enjoying family life, residing 19 years in Western Bay.

Conflict of Interest Statement

To the best of my knowledge and belief, I have no conflicts of interest with the Bay of Plenty District Health Board at the date of my notice of consent to being nominated as a candidate for membership for the board of the District Health Board, and I do not believe that any such conflicts of interest are likely to arise in future.