## **GBM** eligibility to donate





Current New Zealand policy

APPROX. 13<sup>8</sup> ELIGIBLE





Potential future "UK-style" policy

APPROX. 37% ELIGIBLE





Potential future "Canada-style" policy

APPROX. 41% ELIGIBLE

## Future intentions, in their own words

Participants less inclined to donate blood in future:

Intense fear of needles

My culture does not allow me to do this

I can contribute to society in so many other ways. There is no way that this is the most important discrimination I face as a MSM

Participants unsure or ambivalent about donating blood in future:

I'm indifferent

They haven't exactly rolled out the red carpet

I still feel discriminated against by the blood service

Participants intending to donate blood in future:

l want to awhi my hapori To give back to society

To help people in need