



**Mark Spittal**

## Current role

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**Western NSW Local Health District, Chief Executive** January 2022 -current  
Responsible for the strategic leadership of the Local Health District.

Active involvement in statewide leadership including Chair, Regional Health Committee and member of NSW Health Clinical Risk Action Group, NSW Health Savings Leadership Steering Committee, NSW Health Pharmaceutical Procurement Governance Committee, eHealth Executive Council, Rural eHealth Governance Group, and Steering Committee for People and Culture for Future Health

## Recent experience

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<b>Western NSW Local Health District, Acting Chief Executive</b>	Aug 2020 – Jan 2021, Nov 2021 – Jan 2022
<b>Western NSW Local Health District, Executive Director Operations</b>	June 2018 – Nov 2021
<b>Waikato District Health Board NZ, Executive Director - Community &amp; Clinical Support Services</b>	July 2015 – June 2018
<b>Waikato District Health Board NZ, Group Manager Waikato &amp; Thames Hospitals</b>	July 2011 – June 2015
<b>Waikato District Health Board NZ, Assistant Group Manager – Non-acute Services</b>	March 2010 – July 2011
<b>ATC New Zealand NZ Ltd, Manager – IES Division</b>	June 2005 – March 2010
<b>Waikato District Health Board NZ, General Manager – DHB Services Group</b>	Sept 2001 – Nov 2004
<b>Canterbury District Health Board NZ, Acting General Manager – Christchurch Hospital (13-month secondment) + Operations Manager – Christchurch Hospital</b>	1999 - Sept 2001

## Education and qualifications

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<b>Victoria University of Wellington, Te Herenga Waka, New Zealand</b> , Master of Public Management (Merit)	2007
<b>University of Canterbury, Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha, New Zealand</b> , Bachelor of Commerce	1989

## Professional Development Activities

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<b>Hardy Group Executive Learning Set</b>	Current
<b>NSW Health Senior Executive Talent Pool</b> , programme	2019-20
<b>Huron Studer study tour</b> (Tennessee)	2018
<b>Telehealth Study Tour</b> , Scottish NHS and “Rethinking Remote” Conference, Inverness, Scotland	2016

## Awards

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Canterbury Employers’ Fed. Industrial Relations Award	1989
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