

FUTURE-PROOFING HOSPITALITY IN AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND

OUR PATH TO A MORE SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

Hospitality NZ is committed to equipping our over 2,500 members with the tools, resources and knowledge they need to succeed. Rooted in our vision for a hospitality sector that is celebrated for its contributions to Aotearoa New Zealand, our approach to sustainability embraces the same core values as our [business strategy](#).

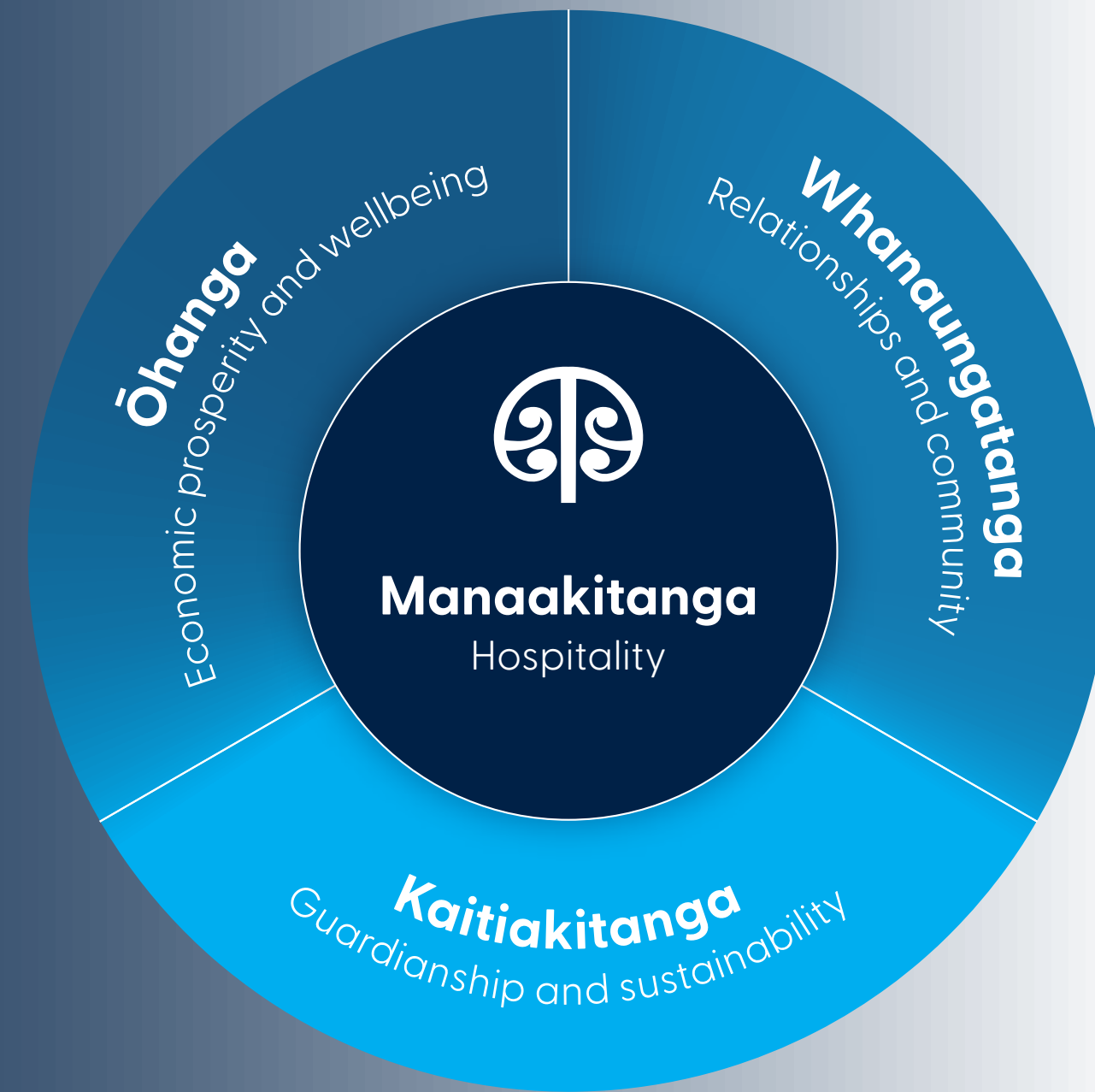
How we can help you

We're here to help our members better understand their impacts and explore practical, sustainable alternatives that also deliver business benefits, including cost savings. Through tailored guidance, accessible tools and resources, we aim to make this transition achievable and impactful, creating lasting positive change for your business and the wider sector.



Manaakitanga
Hospitality

Sector leadership and advocacy



Ōhanga Economic prosperity and wellbeing	Whanaungatanga Relationships and community	Kaitiakitanga Guardianship and sustainability
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Financially sustainable business Labour practices Ethical marketing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health, safety and wellbeing Healthy communities Diversity, inclusion and accessibility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food waste Waste and recycling Single-use products Energy use Carbon emissions



Why sustainability matters to our members

Improves efficiency	Enhances brand reputation	Prepares for regulatory changes	Meets expectations	Attracts and retains staff	Supports community wellbeing	Future-proofs the sector

How we developed our sustainability strategy

We engaged with diverse hospitality businesses to identify and prioritise sustainability topics most relevant to our members. This informed a strategy tailored to the sector's priorities in Aotearoa New Zealand, alongside a review of existing initiatives and opportunities for new programmes to support members' sustainability journeys.

Our path ahead

Building on these insights, we're driving new initiatives to support our members every step of the way. Sustainability is a journey, not a one-off effort, and we're committed to creating a future that benefits people, planet, and profit.

Along the way, we'll embrace quick wins – simple changes with immediate impact such as eliminating single use and reducing waste – and tackle longer-term goals with persistence and planning.

Getting started

You'll find resources and information on the Hospitality New Zealand website to help you take the first steps. We're also trialling specific projects with successful actions and outcomes shared across the sector so everyone can benefit from proven solutions. Together, we can build a stronger, more sustainable future for hospitality in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Visit us at www.hospitality.org.nz and download sustainability tools from the knowledge hub.

Calculating your carbon footprint



[Cogo's Carbon Manager tool](#) offers an effective, easy way to measure your total carbon emissions. This tool integrates with accounting software such as Xero and analyses business spend across all categories, enabling measurement of the majority of your footprint. This is an easy, accessible way to understand your impact and take the first steps towards reducing it.