



RETIREMENT FROM  
PRACTICE

WHEN AND HOW  
SHOULD THAT HAPPEN

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# BRIEF HISTORY

- Graduated 1967
- Rural GP 1970
- FRACS 1973
- WT Green Lane and North Shore
- Small Private practice from 1992
- EMST teaching research
- Doctors' health 1978

# ACTUARIAL SURVIVAL NZ

## June 2017

NZ Census Data

MALES	ADDITIONAL YEARS
60	23.74
70	15.72
FEMALES	
60	30.62
70	17.61

- Doctors can reasonably expect to live into their early eighties
- AT LEAST

# THE BIG QUESTIONS

- When to stop clinical practice
- What do you want to do when you retire?
- What are you going to do for those twenty odd years from retirement?

See the world?





Go to sea?



Catch crayfish?