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Title	Priority Groups 2021 including Learners with Disabilities
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Update

That ELT have approved, as at 25 Jan 2021, the inclusion into the Priority Group cohorts (Māori, Pacific, U25s, International) to reflect *Learners with Disabilities*. The responsibility will come under the Director Student Success, Annette Pitovao given the current alignment of Access 4 Success supporting a wide range of disabled learners.

Purpose

The purpose of this inclusion aligns Unitec with Te Pūkenga, TEC and MOE. This also indicates our formal commitment to diversity and inclusion of all key learners where parity is an ongoing concern.

Justification

Future proofing alignment of Priority Group the match Te Pūkenga and TEC directives for Aotearoa achievement targets of our diverse learners.

Background

Looking to address an improvement opportunity.

Next Steps

- 1. Updating of Takitahi Action Plans and ADEP templates underway with Learning & Development team.
- 2. Providing Professional Development opportunities for all staff to better understand, serve and support our Learners with Disabilities underway with Learning & Development team.