

# Southern District Health Board - Otago Constituency

## Electing 4 Board Members

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### **Rob WOODHOUSE**

My principal place of residence is in the Southern District Health Board - Otago Constituency area. I am also standing for Otago Regional Council - Dunedin Constituency.

I am a multigenerational Otago resident - Company Director and graduate from Massey University with a Business Degree in Communications Management. I'm a member of the National Party and past Chairman and Treasurer for their Dunedin North Electorate Committee.

The SDHB employs 4,600 great staff trying to deliver \$1 billion in health services annually. The SDHB Purpose Statement says it aims to support everyone across our district to live well and access the right care when they need it, by delivering high quality, patient-centred health services.

But is it really?

Babies are being born on the side of the road.

Cancer diagnosis and treatment is inadequate.

Neurosurgery in Dunedin is in jeopardy.

Otago taxpayers deserve better than 3rd world health care. You deserve transparency and a voice.

My vision: Best healthcare, fast.

#### *Conflict of Interest Statement*

I have the following current conflicts of interest with the Southern District Health Board (SDHB).

(a) My brother Michael Woodhouse is a National Party MP. He is the Opposition Health Spokesperson, Associate Spokesperson for Finance, and is a member of the Health Select Committee.

He was previously the Chief Executive Officer of Mercy Hospital Dunedin.

(b) My partner Karen is a nurse at Mercy Hospital, which is subject to a contractual arrangement with the SDHB.

(c) My sister Angela is a Mid-Wife within the SDHB region.

(d) My sister Maree is currently employed by the SDHB as a medical technician.

To the best of my knowledge and belief, I have no other conflicts of interest with the SDHB at the date of my notice of consent to being nominated as a candidate for membership of the board of the SDHB.

I do not believe that any conflicts of interest are likely to arise in future, other than the continuation of the conflicts of interest stated above.