

ACART MEETING AGENDA

Date	Thursday, 18 December 2025	
Committee meeting	ACART meeting	
Location	Online	
Meeting time	Start: 9 am	
	Morning tea: 10.15 am approx. Lunch: 12.00 to 12.40 pm	
	End: 4 pm approx.	
Guests	ECART: Dr Simon McDowell Genetic Health Service NZ: Dr Katherine (Kate) Neas	
Apologies	Amanda B Lees	
Item		Paper
1.	Welcome and karakia.	—
2.	Opening comments.	—
Standing items		
3.	Apologies.	—
4.	Approval of the agenda.	—
5.	Declarations of interests.	—
6.	Minutes of the 23 October 2025 meeting: For approval.	Attached
7.	Actions arising from the 23 October 2025 meeting.	—
8.	Chair's report: Verbal update.	—
9.	Member reports on research/papers: For noting.	—
10.	Secretariat report: Verbal update.	—
Monitoring and reporting		
11.	ECART's recent meetings: For discussion/noting.	Attached
Correspondence		
12.	a. Initial response to Minister Costello's October letter: For noting. b. Subsequent response to Minister Costello's October letter: For discussion. c. Referral of a human reproductive research case involving an RCT that studies PGT for aneuploidy: For discussion. d. Other correspondence: Secretariat to provide verbal update.	Attached

Projects	
13. Pre-implantation genetic testing: a. Paper from the secretariat. b. RDNZ letter. c. Presentation from Dr Kate Neas (2.15 to 3.30 pm).	Attached
Closing items	
14. Work between meetings: For discussion.	—
Closing karakia	