Ngā momo wai

**Types of water** 

ua rain Ngā Roimata ō Ranginui Tears of the sky father

# Wai-ora RESIDENCE SIDE

# pure / healthy water



This is water in its purest form. It contains the source of life and wellbeing.

### രുത്തുള്ള Wai-māori

■ RESUMEN Wai-mate

#### fresh water

Water that is used for consumption, sustains life, runs free or unrestrained and has no sacred associations.



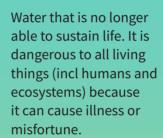
# Wai-kino Residenti

### dangerous / polluted water



The mauri (life force) of the water has been altered through pollution and has the potential to do harm to all living things (incl humans and ecosystems). Also refers to dangerous water such as rapids.

### dead water





#### Wai-tai RESPRESON

#### seawater / salt water



This term also refers to rough or angry water as in surf, waves or sea tides.

# ■ RESIDENT Wai-tapu

#### sacred water

This is water that is used for ritual and ceremony.



Ngā puna wai (tapu) o Papatūānuku The weeping springs of the earth mother





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