



**ACE RMO 2020**  
**Taranaki DHB**  
**Employer Information Sheet**

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# Taranaki DHB

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## Why Choose Taranaki DHB?

Taranaki DHB is a great place to work and learn. Junior staff find that the hospital provides a very supportive and friendly working environment. We have a stable Consultant and experienced nursing base to help through those tricky times.

You really get to know everyone and you get enough time off to enjoy the lifestyle. New Plymouth itself is a vibrant and progressive city and Taranaki is a province with virtually unlimited opportunities for recreation. People love living here.

## Attractions to the Region

- Beaches
- Mountain Biking
- Surfing
- Kite Surfing
- Hiking
- Water sports
- Fishing
- Entertainment and arts
- Endless outdoor opportunities
- Easy relaxed lifestyle

## Selection Criteria

- A cover letter with your application is expected and is your opportunity to stand out
- Formal interviews are not conducted
- ACE scoring is taken into account with different selection panel members placing their own weighting to each criterion
- Taranaki DHB are looking for applicants with good communication skills who work well in a team and are motivated with a genuine interest in working at Taranaki DHB

## Positions Available

The exact number of positions expected per DHB will be released on the ACE RMO website and ACE RMO Facebook page from 28 February 2020.

## PGY1 Runs

- General Medicine
- Orthopaedics
- General Surgery

## PGY2 Runs

- As above +
- Emergency
- Medical
- Admitting/Relief
- O&G
- Paediatrics
- Community
- Surgical Senior House Officer

## Late Starts

Late starts for PGY1's may be accommodated at the discretion of our DHB. Please note that our ability to facilitate late starts is dependent on a number of factors and may not be able to be confirmed until later in the year.

## Vocational Training

- General Surgery
- Orthopaedics
- Psychiatry
- General Medicine
- Renal
- O&G
- Paediatrics
- Public Health Medicine
- Rural Hospital Medicine
- Anaesthetics
- Emergency Medicine

## Regular House Officer Teaching

- Protected teaching sessions are held weekly
- Grand Round every Thursday
- Departmental teaching one day per week

## Rosters

Rosters vary across the specialities however to give you an idea on average you will work:

### Medicine

- 1 long day per week (0730/0800-2300hrs)
- 3 weekends per quarter (0730/0800-2300hrs)

### Surgery

- 1 long day per week (0730/0800-2300hrs)
- 2 weekends per quarter (0730/0800-2300hrs)
- 11 night shifts (max)

### Weekend Rosters

- Medicine: 3 weekends per quarter
- Surgery: 2 weekends per quarter

## PGY1 Average Pay 2020

- Medical Runs – D MECA run category (50 - 54.9 hrs), \$75,457
- Surgical Runs – C MECA run category (55 - 59.9 hrs), \$85,302