

MEDICAL PHYSICS REGISTRARS

Auckland, Capital & Coast and Canterbury District Health Boards and Australasian College of Physical Scientists and Engineers in Medicine

The Auckland, Capital & Coast and Canterbury District Health Boards are seeking applications from enthusiastic physics graduates who would like to train for a career in medical physics.

The successful applicants will undertake postgraduate training towards registration as a Medical Physics Specialist with the Australasian College of Physical Scientists and Engineers in Medicine (ACPSEM). One position is available at each centre to train in Radiation Oncology, plus one position in Canterbury only to train in Diagnostic Radiology.

The positions are for a fixed term of up to 5 years. During the first year, registrars will be based at the University of Canterbury in Christchurch to complete the course work component of an MSc in Medical Physics. During the following four years, the registrar will be based at their sponsoring DHB to complete the research thesis component of the MSc and undertake on-the-job training.

Applicants must have a BSc in Physics from a New Zealand university or equivalent overseas, and be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident. Applications from graduates who have already completed part of the ACPSEM training program, or who already have a postgraduate degree are also welcome.

Employment will be subject to the applicant being accepted into the ACPSEM medical physics training program and the University of Canterbury MSc Medical Physics course.

The closing date for applications is 30th September 2009. The starting date is anticipated to be in January 2010.

For further information about the registrar positions, the ACPSEM training program or the MSc Medical Physics, contact <u>Tricia.Tan@cdhb.govt.nz</u>.

Applications may be made to some or all DHBs, by emailing a CV and a covering letter to the relevant Heads of Department:

Auckland DHB - IslaN@adhb.govt.nz

Capital & Coast DHB (Wellington) - Lynne.Greig@ccdhb.org.nz Canterbury DHB (Christchurch) - <u>Richard.Dove@cdhb.govt.nz</u>