

Indigenous Health Committee

Sponsorship package to attend the 2024 FPM Spring Meeting

ANZCA offers sponsorship packages for Māori senior medical students (second-last year or final year), pre-vocational doctors or doctors in specialty training (registrar) to attend the Faculty of Pain Medicine's Spring Meeting.

Each package includes:

- Meeting registration from 18 20 October 2024.
- Reimbursement of travel costs up to \$2,000 AUD.
- Opportunity to meet college and faculty staff and Indigenous Health Committee members.

For more information about this year's Spring Meeting please visit the meeting website.

Aim

Through attending the FPM Spring Meeting and engaging directly with specialist pain medicine physicians, the program aims to foster interest in pain medicine among Māori senior medical students, pre-vocational doctors and registrars.

Objectives

The sponsorship is designed to foster interest in training in pain medicine through providing a stimulating learning opportunity and facilitating communication between potential trainees and faculty trainees and fellows.

The program provides an opportunity to learn more about pain medicine, talk to some fellows and trainees and meet faculty staff. Participation is designed to help you decide if speciality training with ANZCA's Faculty of Pain Medicine is right for you.

Eligibility

Applicants must:

- **1.** Be a second-last year or final year student in an accredited medical school; or a prevocational doctor; or a doctor in specialty training (registrar) in Aotearoa New Zealand.
- 2. Identify as Māori.
- 3. Have an interest in specialising in pain medicine.
- **4.** Be able to attend the FPM Spring Meeting in the calendar year for which the sponsorship is offered.



Selection

Applicants should submit a copy of the application form to the ANZCA Indigenous Health Committee. Applications will be assessed by the committee and rated on merit consistent with the eligibility criteria outlined above. Not all available packages must be awarded and this is at the discretion of the committee.

Conditions

- The name and photograph of the recipients of the award may be published in college media.
- The recipient will be required to supply a brief (maximum 500 words) report to the Indigenous Health Committee within one month of their attendance, reflecting on their experiences.

Applications

Applications must include all information requested and be emailed to Indigenoushealth@anzca.edu.au by the 11 August 2024 No late applications will be considered.