



Registered Nurse/Assistant to the Anaesthetist - Trainee

Job Number: WAI19484

Where you'll be working: Waikato Hospital

The details: Permanent full and part-time positions available.

Our RNAA programme at Waikato DHB is aimed at registered nurses seeking opportunities to work alongside an anaesthetist within their scope of practice while training and still meet all the requirements of the NZNC.

About the role:

We currently have the opportunity to build on our RNAA workforce within the Anaesthetic Technician Team and we are excited to develop more Registered Nurses who are looking at the next step in their career.

As an RN your development will be guided by a comprehensive competency based learning framework aligned with the Australian New Zealand College of Anaesthetists (ANZCA). This includes a formal process to recognise your prior competence.

The programme is presented in a 'blended delivery' format including clinical practice based learning & clinical supervision supported by online learning activities. Clinical competence will be formally assessed throughout the programme and successful completion of the final clinical exam is a requirement for all RN participants.

To be able to be considered to join our training programme you will need:

- 5+ years' experience post registration at a minimum
- Experience in Critical Care and Perioperative Nursing (essential)
- Ability to complete the 12 month Training Programme within the required time frame
- Current practising Certificate and registration with NZ Nursing Council • At least 3 years' experience working in a NZ DHB and/or Large Private Surgical Hospitals (essential)
- Must be able to work in a rotating roster that will include Days, Nights, Weekends and PM shifts (not negotiable).
- Be a team player, be adaptable and flexible as well as no day is the same.

These opportunities don't come around too often so if you have ever thought of developing your perioperative/critical care nursing practice then this might be the perfect opportunity for you!

COVID-19:

The Waikato District Health Board Health & Safety has a policy that includes ensuring that you comply with the Health Order announced 11 October 2021 and with the Waikato DHB's Vaccine Preventable Diseases for Employees policy. The policy prescribes the required vaccinations including COVID19 for all employees of Waikato DHB. COVID-19 vaccinations are mandatory before you commence employment.

Why us:

The Waikato District Health Board (DHB) is one of the largest of 20 DHBs in New Zealand.

We plan, fund and provide health and disability support services to a population of more than 400,000. We run five hospitals across the district – a tertiary hospital in Hamilton, a secondary hospital in Thames, and three rural hospitals in Te Kuiti, Taumarunui, and Tokoroa.

Waikato Hospital in Hamilton is one of New Zealand's largest tertiary, teaching hospitals with over 600 inpatient beds and 22 operating theatres. Clinical specialities include Women's and Children Services, Cardiology / Cardiothoracic Surgery, Oncology and Haematology, Surgical services, and Mental Health and Addiction. Waikato Hospital is the Midland regional referral centre for multiple specialties including trauma surgery, oncology, and neurology.

We are a values based and inclusive organisation that is committed to deliver the best health outcomes for our total population. To do this we are working hard to develop a robust and capable workforce that reflects the population we serve. We strongly encourage applicants from all backgrounds with the necessary capability and who share our values to apply and would greatly value seeing more applicants from our Māori communities.

Your application:

Please ensure you submit a Cover Letter letting us know why this opportunity interests you as well as an up to date CV and NZ registration with the Nursing Council.

For any queries about the role please contact Robyn.Payne@waikatodhb.health.nz

Please [click here](#) to view the position description.

Application closing date: 31 May 2022

Values**Theme "People at Heart" – Te iwi Ngakaunui**

- Give and earn respect - Whakamana • Listen to me; talk to me – Whakarongo
- Fair play – Mauri Pai
- Growing the good – Whakapakari
- Stronger together – Kotahitanga