Information for Applicants



Application requirements

Full (Practicing) Members of Acupuncture NZ must:

- be registered with the Chinese Medicine Council of New Zealand (CMCNZ) and have an Annual Practicing Certificate issued by the CMCNZ or have an APC application under process. <u>Application to Acupuncture NZ can be made at the</u> <u>same time as you are registering with the (CMCNZ)</u>. So once the CMCNZ process is completed your Acupuncture NZ membership will became active.
- be a financial member; and
- hold Professional Indemnity Insurance. Acupuncture NZ has a competitive, comprehensive professional Indemnity Insurance Policy or you can provide your own.

Required Documentation

- a) A written application on the approved form
- b) A certified copy of one of the following photo identifications:
 - A current Passport.
 - A current New Zealand Driver License.
 - A current New Zealand Student ID.

Send the completed application or any questions by email to: nzra@acupuncture.org.nz

Acupuncture NZ (AcNZ) welcomes you to join the largest professional body representing Acupuncture and Chinese medicine practitioners in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Acupuncture NZ supports members in the following ways:

- Advocacy. AcNZ represents, advocates and lobbies for our members and the wider Acupuncture and Chinese medicine profession with to key stake holders including ACC, Manatū Hauora Ministry of Health (Allied Health) and government ministers.
- Advertising. Members can be listed on the public find a practitioners database,

where the public can search for a practitioner in their area. AcNZ also produces flyers promoting the use of Acupuncture and Chinese Medicine for display in your clinics

- **Professional Advice and Support.** AcNZ provides timely advice and support to members on a range of Chinese medicine practise issues.
- **Insurance.** AcNZ negotiates competitive professional indemnity insurance rates for members.
- **Professional Development**. AcNZ provides information on upcoming courses, seminars, And workshops, AcNZ also facilitates a range of CPD events for members to achieve their CPD requirements, including an annual conference.
- **Keep Informed.** AcNZ keeps members informed about current issues with regular newsletters, email updates, and social media updates.
- Lending Library. AcNZ provides a library service for members use.