

Position Description

Board of Trustee

Medical Clinician



The Road Traffic Accident Trauma Charitable Trust trading as the National Road Trauma Centre is a dedicated charitable organisation committed and to enhancing the lives of others.

Due to a significant expansion, the National Road Trauma Centre is now seeking additional Trustees who have an active interest in the Trust's lead role in roading, healthcare, emergency services and post trauma care sectors that will allow us to continue to meet our objectives when we were founded in 2010.

Our strategic objectives are organised around a structure designed to ensure it provides meaningful impact to reduce the socio and economic cost of road trauma in our community. Currently in New Zealand Motor vehicle crash injuries have the highest rate of major trauma. Our five strategic objectives will look at a transformed approach to address the wider socio-economic consequences of motor vehicle crashes by providing integrated services that would be commercially viable and sustainable for those impacted directly and indirectly impacted.

Our newly proposed structure is to provide the best outcome to optimise support centric to the needs of patients, industry professionals and road trauma prevention (road safety, physical and psychological injury prevention) in a structure and set at a standard not seen in New Zealand. It is our vision, this newly defined structure will enhance collaboration and connectiveness to benefit and best serve the needs of those in our community, particularly those most vulnerable.

We believe our people are our strongest asset and are fundamental to our continued success. We are looking for a qualified candidate who shares our values to join our Board of Trustees in the role of Medical Clinician.

The position requires someone who has current Clinical Management experience at a Governance Board level with a particular focus on providing expert guidance on clinical matters in either pre-hospital (emergency), hospital or post hospital trauma care. This role will require a person who is committed to positive long-term working relationships with government entities, stakeholders and industry professionals.

The Trustee for Clinical Management role will include:

- Provide clinical governance and advice to the Board.
- Deliver direction to best clinical practice and by executing effective risk management for patient clinical care.
- Demonstrate leadership by taking a proactive role in leading relevant clinical policy and standards.
- Supports operational clinical activity and new initiatives that will improve best clinical practice.
- Manage best clinical practice with stakeholders, industry professionals and other relevant organisations.

Qualifications and experience:

- Preferably academic linked with a University in both teaching and research.
- Qualifications in healthcare, medicine or other associated fields.
- A strong understanding of centric patient care and health ethics.
- Proven experience in strategic management, governance, or related fields.
- Strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Extensive experience in healthcare, public policy, or a related field.
- Proven ability to engage and collaborate with a wide range of stakeholders.
- Excellent communication, advocacy, and interpersonal skills.

This position is non-remunerated, however, there may be reimbursement of expenses opportunities in the future.

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