



Fellow
Paediatric Emergency Medicine
Children's Emergency Department

Starship Children's Health requires a Paediatric Emergency Medicine Fellow for our Children's Emergency Department (CED). We will consider either full time or part time applicants.

Starship Children's Health is a tertiary paediatric teaching hospital and is aligned with the University of Auckland, New Zealand. The CED receives 31,000 acute attendances per annum and is the paediatric advanced trauma centre for the region. There is a high acuity mix, with approximately 27% of children being admitted to wards and an equal number managed as short stay admissions within the department. The CED is in close proximity the Paediatric Intensive Care Unit, Radiology Department, and Operating Theatres and there are strong collaborative working relationships between these units dealing with acute illness and injury. The CED includes 9 short stay beds for management of children for up to 12 hours under the care of CED Specialists.

Auckland is a challenging and rewarding environment in which to practice Paediatric Emergency Medicine as we see a broad range of childhood illnesses and injuries. The CED is housed in a new purpose built facility with state of the art equipment and is staffed by a great team of health professionals. There are excellent opportunities to be involved in research and teaching.

The Fellow's positions have a strong clinical focus, with protected time for teaching, research and administrative duties. You will be trained to undertake lead clinical duties as part of the Consultant/Fellow roster with Consultant support. This will include evening and weekend work, and involve supervision of Registrars and SHOs in addition to personally managing patients. You will be responsible to the Clinical Director, Children's Emergency Department.

You should have strong clinical skills, together with an interest and experience in Paediatric Emergency Medicine. Preference is given to advanced trainees with the RACP and/or the ACEM and those undertaking sub-specialty training in Paediatric Emergency Medicine. You must be eligible to be registered with the Medical Council of New Zealand.

For more information please contact Dr Richard Aickin, Clinical Director, Children's Emergency Department on richarda@adhb.govt.nz.

For applying, please visit our website www.adhb.govt.nz/career and apply online quoting reference number 022138. For a position description or help with making an online application, please contact Sonu Anand, Recruitment Consultant on sonua@adhb.govt.nz.

Closing date is 30th August 2009. Our usual start date is beginning of December but commencement date is negotiable.