

# Peke Waihanga

## Artificial Limb Service

### **Job Vacancy Clinical Orthotist New Zealand**

We are seeking an experienced Clinical Orthotist to join a supportive and highly skilled team in the Bay of Plenty region.

Peke Waihanga is one of New Zealand's leading health service providers, our vision is 'independent lives for the people we care for'. As our organisation continues to grow and evolve, our service offering now includes orthotics, prosthetics, peer support, and a significant focus on rehabilitation. Our collaborative, 'wrap around service' enables us to achieve the best possible outcomes for our patients.

We have a new vacancy for a Clinical Orthotist who will contribute to our well-established orthotic service in the Bay of Plenty. You will join a highly skilled team including four other Orthotists, two Service Coordinators, a Stock Administrator and Team leader. Our orthotic service team maintain strong connections to our prosthetic service and other health providers in the region.

This is a permanent and full-time role (40 hours per week), based in Tauranga.

The ideal candidate for this role will have:

- Ideally ten years or more of clinical experience (though we will consider candidates with abroad range of experience in orthotics).
- Experience with and patient for working with patients with complex needs, both paediatric and adult.
- The ability to manage a varied and high caseload including a mix of clinic based, hospitalbased and regional clinics.
- The skills and motivation to help further develop our service and improve health outcomes for our patients.

We are seeking a team player who can equally contribute to and share responsibilities with others in the team, while sharing your broad knowledge and experience to support the ongoing professional development of other Orthotists. To be successful in this role you will need to be a clear and effective communicator with experience interacting with various stakeholders both internally and in a wider service area. We are also seeking a flexible and adaptable clinician who can assist at other centre locations where needed.

The ideal candidate will also have the following skill set (in line with our strategic objectives):

- **Service** – Actively participate in patient clinics and multidisciplinary team meetings to appropriately prescribe orthotic devices and contribute to your patient's rehabilitation plan and enable patients to achieve their individual goals.
- **Expert Workforce** – The successful candidate will have a degree in prosthetics and orthotics or equivalent, with demonstrated relevant experience as an Orthotist.
- **R&D/Technology** – You will have a passion for embracing technology and research to improve the patient experience and outcomes; and a strong desire to continually improve processes and standards to gain operational efficiencies.
- **Equity** – Be passionate about providing patients with access to technology and service based on need.

This is a fantastic opportunity to be part of a forward-thinking and progressive organisation! Peke Waihanga provides a flexible and supportive work environment and is committed to the continuing professional development of our expert workforce.

Our benefits include flexible work hours, 23 days leave per year, free health checks and flu vaccinations, health insurance discounts, up to 4% employer KiwiSaver contribution and professional development opportunities.

We are looking forward to welcoming the right candidate to our fun and supportive workplace. For any further information or questions about the role please contact us.

## About Tauranga

Located on the stunning Bay of Plenty coastline, Tauranga is a vibrant and fast-growing city known for its beautiful beaches, relaxed lifestyle, and strong sense of community. With a warm climate, excellent outdoor recreation, and the iconic Mount Maunganui right on your doorstep, it's the perfect place to enjoy a work-life balance. Tauranga also boasts great schools and a thriving food and arts scene. This is a great location for families and lovers of the outdoors.

## Relocation

Peke Waihanga is an accredited employer and can support a work visa or a 'straight to residency visa' for offshore applicants, along with financial support for relocation.

## Apply

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