

## National Practice Advisor

### Requirements and Contract Arrangements

- The National Practice Advisor (NPA) will be engaged as a contractor to NASCA for a term of two years.
- The NPA contractor will ideally be available to work 5 days per week, and be available to travel when and as required to NASCs throughout the country.
- The NPA may be based anywhere in the country, but in order to maintain close liaison with the Ministry of Health, DSS the NPA will be able to readily access and meet with MoH personnel particularly in the Wellington Office of the Ministry.
- A contract will be negotiated with contractor to supply the NPA services, which will include:
  - a fee to be paid on the basis of days worked
  - reimbursement of approved travel costs
- The contractor will provide or arrange their own office accommodation and support.

### Contractor Requirements

- Ideally strong first-hand experience of NASC practice:
  - able to know and immediately understand the subject matter of NASC policies and processes
  - immediately gain and maintain the respect of NASC Managers and practitioners
- Demonstrate initiative and project management including ability to:
  - take the lead in defining, managing and driving projects
  - implement and deliver project content as and when required
  - consult and collaborate with other project participants and leaders of associated projects to achieve outcomes
- Coaching and professional development skills:
  - ability to design and deliver appropriate learning and skills development courses/modules to NASC practitioners which support the implementation of the project work

## Applications

- To discuss the NPA contract role further contact Mark Brown, Chairperson NASCA by email [chairperson@nznasca.co.nz](mailto:chairperson@nznasca.co.nz) or phone 021 728 274
- There is no application form. Forward applications, including a covering letter and a CV detailing relevant experience, by email to NASC Executive Assistant [info@nznasca.co.nz](mailto:info@nznasca.co.nz).
- Closing date for applications is **Thursday 01 October**
- Interviews will be held in Wellington on Friday 09 October

**Mark Brown**

**Chairperson NASCA**

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