

BECOME PART OF OUR WHĀNAU

Haere mai

As a Māori physiotherapist, physiotherapy student or physiotherapy assistant (and a member of Physiotherapy New Zealand) you are welcome to the Tae Ora Tinana whānau. Membership of Physiotherapy New Zealand is FREE to undergraduate students.

To become a member visit www.physiotherapy.org.nz

Māori Health Links

The universities offering physiotherapy programmes also offer support for Māori students. Use the contacts below to find out more:

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Representing Māori physiotherapists, students and assistants in their profession and helping them provide their patients with movement for life.



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MĀORI PHYSIOTHERAPY

Ngā mihi

Tae Ora Tinana is the Māori partner of Physiotherapy New Zealand. We exist to represent and support Māori physiotherapists, students and assistants.

*"Ko te manu e kai ana te miro, nono te ngahere.
Ko te Tauira e kai ana to Matauranga, nonā to ao."*

*"The bird gathering berries owns the world of the bush.
The student gathering knowledge owns the world."*

MOVEMENT FOR LIFE

We aim to build a strong Māori identity within the physiotherapy profession and within PNZ. It's about strengthening the health of whānau, hapū and iwi.

Do you identify as Māori?

Do you want advice and support from Māori physiotherapists?

We can help with cultural guidance, professional support and mentoring – at any stage of your career.

Visit www.physiotherapy.org.nz/taeoratinana

Mauri ora

Ngā Kaitiaki

Tae Ora Tinana



Our values

Māoritanga

- Tino rangatiratanga - power to define, decide and protect
- Te reo - encourage the use of te reo, waiata and karakia
- Tikanga

Whanaungatanga

- Whakapapa
- Networking with Māori physiotherapists, students and other Māori health professionals
- Collaborative activities - hui

Manaakitanga

- Cultural guidance
- Professional support
- Mentoring

Hauora

- Improving the quality of physiotherapy for Māori
- Clinical and cultural competence
- Increasing the number of Māori physiotherapists
- Promoting understanding of indigenous health knowledge

Matauranga

- Professional development
- Research – consultation
- International links

