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Radiology in New Zealand





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Align Recruitment is a boutique recruitment agency which specialises in finding, screening and representing the best people.



Hot Job Market for Radiologists

The job market for Radiologists right now in New Zealand is red hot. Do you have at least two to five years' post board certification experience? Were your qualifications, training and exams from a country that the World Health Organisation has determined to have a health care system comparable to that of New Zealand? Are you able and willing to commit at least two years to your New Zealand employer? If you answered yes to these questions then we need to talk.

Note: We also recruit Radiologists for Canada whom have Canadian Citizenship and/or Landed Immigrant Status and are currently board certified in Radiology.

Working as a Radiologist in New Zealand

Most positions are full-time with an on-call component that often includes additional remuneration.

Our hospitals have the latest, state-of-the-art medical equipment and a varied case mix including local and regional, general and subspecialty work. A mix of general and subspecialty trained Radiologists work closely together within a supportive team culture that is a strength of the services offered. We are always seeking expressions of interest from Radiologists including those with subspecialty experience in obstetrics and gynaecology, abdominal, musculoskeletal, oncology, breast screening and emergency radiology.

Some roles include a close relationship with a tertiary school and for those who have an academic interest there may be the option of clinical role combined with a medical school post. Some Universities' radiology departments have several ongoing, research projects including MARS spectral CT working closely with the NZ Brain Research Institute. While not all positions include the possibility of a split role between clinical and academic, multidisciplinary research themes mean that some clinical radiologists work with clinicians, engineers and scientists on select appointments.

Most of our needs are with our public health care system. However, we also recruit for a privately held breast screening clinic that offers work both within the private and public health care sectors. These roles often do not have an on-call component that some Radiologists find attractive. This private breast screening clinic offers a truly dynamic, enthusiastic, collegial, committed team of Radiologists who thrive on the energy of the team and saving peoples' lives.

Your ability to work within a multi-disciplinary team with other medical professionals from around the world is important. Our indigenous Maori as well as Pasifika people and migrants from Asia, Europe, Africa and the Americas makes for a truly diverse patient base to serve and support.

New Zealand Registration

All overseas Radiologists will have their qualifications, training and examinations compared to that of a typical New Zealand or Australian medical graduate. The benchmark for overseas medical graduates to meet includes:

- Seven years' total residency training;
- Two years' general medical experience;
- Five years' radiodiagnosis training;
- Three years' general radiology training; and
- Two years' systems focused rotations for advanced radiology training.

It's important that your training will have included all or most of the following:

- a) Patient care and safety;
- b) Report writing;
- c) Key conditions in early training;
- d) Applied imaging technology;
- e) Radiological anatomy and normal variants;
- f) Pathology;
- g) Abdominal imaging;
- h) Chest imaging;
- i) Neuro imaging;
- j) Head and neck imaging;
- k) Musculoskeletal imaging;
- l) Paediatric imaging;
- m) Breast imaging;
- n) Obstetric and gynaecological imaging; and/or
- o) Vascular imaging and intervention.

Your non-medical training will hopefully have included the following:

- 1) Team work;
- 2) Communication skills;
- 3) Patient support and advocacy;
- 4) Management and administrative skills;
- 5) Professionalism; and
- 6) Research and education.

Benefits

All full-time Radiologists in New Zealand in our public sector are entitled up to six weeks' paid annual leave, 11 paid public holidays, 10 additional paid days off and up to NZ\$16,000 for continuing medical education. Public sector Radiologists whom commit to a minimum of two years are also eligible for up to NZ\$15,000 in reimbursed relocation related expenses. Private sector employers may not match the benefits that Radiologists receive in the public sector.

Perhaps one of the most attractive aspects of living and working in New Zealand are our friendly people, slower pace of life, good work/life balance, temperate climate and lots of room to roam to explore our beautiful outdoors and landscapes (Kiwi Lifestyle).

While you may be able to earn more money where you now live and work you could find New Zealand a refreshing change from your current situation.

Our Services

Read the Testimonials on the Align Recruitment website or some of our 90 plus linkedin.com recommendations. We offer a high-end, boutique, personal yet professional level of service that none of our competitors can match. Our focus is to ensure that you end up in the right position in the right location that works for you and those who may be coming with you.

We would handle your entire registration application process, discuss some of the work visa requirements, direct you to our talented New Zealand registered immigration consultant who will advise and answer all of your visa related questions, email you detailed interview tips, advise you on various cultural sensitivities, answer questions regarding cost of living, help you find temporary accommodations and assist you and yours in settling into your new life in New Zealand.

In short, we will have your back all of the way from our very first chat to after you land in New Zealand.



Kiwi Lifestyle

Life in New Zealand is the way it was always meant to be. This special country set deep in the South Pacific is renowned for its commitment to preserving the natural, untamed, unspoiled environment which attracts millions of overseas visitors each year. Its people are a true mix of cultures and are very open and genuinely welcoming. The cities are vibrant and dynamic and represent a true cultural mix without the spectre of extreme ethnic or religious bias. In the countryside, the wide open, uncrowded spaces will truly amaze and inspire you.

New Zealand and our Fabulous Kiwi Lifestyle are closer than you think!

Seize the moment and contact us today!

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