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Clinical Orthotist - Hamilton
Orthotic Service Waikato

Full time, Permanent position
Report directly to the Manager

New Zealand Artificial Limb Service and Orthotic House are collaborating on a journey to provide patients with improved wrap around services through the appropriate prescription of an orthoses for our patients.

With the patient at the centre of everything we do, OSW has a new strategy that will see a significant evolution in services. This position will directly contribute to this strategy through the provision of orthotic consultation and devices to meet the needs and capabilities of our patients, it is a vital role in ensuring we deliver a world class service to the people we care for.

The ideal candidate will have the following skill set:

- **Service** – to prescribe and fit orthotic devices to enable patients to achieve their individual goals. Actively participate in patient clinics and multidisciplinary team meetings to appropriately prescribe orthotic devices and contribute to your patient’s rehabilitation plan.
- **Expert Workforce** – the successful candidate will have a degree in prosthetics and orthotics or equivalent and will ideally be a member of NZOPA. Candidates are also required to have a minimum of four years’ experience as an Orthotist and have substantial experience in fitting, manufacturing and repairing orthotic devices.
- **R&D/Technology** – you will have a passion for embracing technology and research to improve the patient experience and outcomes for patients; and a strong desire to continually improve processes and standards to gain operational efficiencies.
- **Equity** – a desire to provide patients with access to technology and service based on need.

We are looking for a Clinical Orthotist to be based in Hamilton. You will report directly into the Manager and you will be required to also conduct some of the technical work required for your patients.

Attached is a job expectation for this role.

In order to apply for this role, please email a cover letter and your CV to career@nzals.co.nz with the subject heading "Hamilton Clinical Orthotist vacancy". Applications close Friday 02 November 2018.

This is fantastic opportunity to have a positive impact on the lives of people we care for.

