**Physiotherapy New Zealand**

**Executive Member Nominations**

**Are you passionate about leading your profession into the future?**

Nominees are sought to join the PNZ Executive and influence the direction of physiotherapy in New Zealand. This is a unique and exciting opportunity to make a difference, ensuring a representative governing executive focused on what will benefit physiotherapists most.

You may be exactly what the PNZ Executive needs, if you:

* **can demonstrate a broad knowledge of the physiotherapy profession,**
* **are skilled in strategic planning and implementation,**
* **have strong industry networks,**
* **represent a diverse profession and/or**
* **are experienced in organisational governance.**

**PNZ Executive**

As the national membership organisation for physiotherapists, PNZ provides advocacy, education, information and services to benefit over 4,000 members and the wider profession. The Executive are responsible for guiding the strategic direction of PNZ, shaping how value is delivered to members and the organisation’s future direction. There are three PNZ Executive vacancies to be filled this year, one of which is a designated Māori seat. Current PNZ members are encouraged to consider nomination to ensure a representative and skilled Executive.

**Requirements**

Candidates must, be full PNZ members with good standing in the profession and bring skills to shape the strategic direction of PNZ. The Executive are tasked with evaluating issues and presenting a perspective on behalf of members, as well as representing PNZ and advocating on its behalf. Specific capabilities include:

* Strong evaluative skills and ability to work within a group structure.
* Effective communication and interactive skills.
* Demonstrated leadership qualities.

If you are interested in this role a discussion with President Liz Binns is recommended – [president@physiotherapy.org.nz](mailto:president@physiotherapy.org.nz).

Nominees for the Māori PNZ Executive seat must be supported by Tae Ora Tinana. Talk to the kaitiaki [taeoratinana@physiotherapy.org.nz](mailto:taeoratinana@physiotherapy.org.nz)

**Time Commitment**

PNZ Executive meetings occur five times a year. Executive members should also be available to represent PNZ at other meetings and events across the organisation, such as at the PNZ Annual General Meeting.

**Nomination**

Please complete and submit the PNZ Executive nomination form available at pnz.org.nz by 30 August 2019. PNZ members will vote on nominees by electronic ballot, as defined in the PNZ Rules.