



Tapuhi Kaitiaki Awards

Criteria:

- Provide reliable documentation and proof of whakapapa (such as a supporting letter from Kaumātua or Te Rūnanga rohe representative).
- Be a current financial member of Te Rūnanga and have a commitment to Māori nursing excellence within their Te Rūnanga rohe.
- Include the reasons why they should be considered for an award and include a 500-word essay about strengthening their current practice for whānau, hapū and iwi.
- Complete and submit the application form and a photo.

Application Form:

Tapuhi Kaitiaki Awards Application	
What award are you applying for?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Māori Nurse Mātauranga Award	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nurse Practitioner or Nurse Prescribing Award	
<i>If you are applying for both awards, please submit two separate applications.</i>	
<u>Personal Information</u>	
First name:	
Last name:	
NZNO Membership number:	
Nurse registration number:	
Date of birth:	



Gender: (Female, Male, Iā, Gender Diverse)	
Email address:	
Contact phone:	
Iwi: (Mandatory)	
Hapū: (Mandatory)	
Marae:	
Whakapapa Document Provided:	
Copy of Student ID:	
Year of study programme:	
Evidence of enrolment in course of study (including confirmation of full time/part time):	
Course name:	
Course provider:	
Course cost:	
Topics covered:	
Explain how the course relates to the scholarship you are applying for:	

Other course costs:	
500 Essay about your Whakapapa journey and aspirations:	
Photograph:	
Confirmation:	<p>I also give permission for my name and photo to be made available for promotion of this award and declare the contents of this application form to be a true and correct record.</p> <p>Signed:</p> <p>Date:</p>

Please submit your application and additional documents to hui@nzno.org.nz no later than 11:59pm Sunday 12 July 2026.