

To contact the Mental Health Nurses Section
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Mental Health Nurses Section

Vision Statement

To bring mental health nurses
together in their diversity to
positively influence policy and
practice for the development of
person centred care in New
Zealand/Aotearoa.

The National Committee is a group
of Mental Health Nurses who
volunteer their time, supported by
an NZNO Professional Nurse
Advisor to fulfill the vision and
mission.



Mission Statement

The Mental Health Nurses
Section is a specialty
professional section of NZNO
dedicated to the provision of
leadership, education and
professional development of
mental health nursing in New
Zealand/Aotearoa.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- Being part of the specialty Nursing Group whose main focus is Mental Health Nursing.
- Networking with Mental Health and Addiction Nurses throughout New Zealand.
- An influential voice in health policy decision making through Mental Health Nursing Section representation with the NZNO structure.
- Regular conferences and workshops.
- New Zealand focus for New Zealand nurses.
- Indemnity insurance, specialized legal representation and professional assistance when needed through NZNO membership
- Membership is free for current NZNO members.
- A reduced rate may be available for people who are members of another CTU affiliated union.



NEW ZEALAND
NURSES
ORGANISATION

TŌPŪTANGA
TAPUHI
KAITIAKI Ō AOTEAROA

OBJECTIVES

- To be the recognised professional organisation of Mental Health Nurses in New Zealand.
- To recruit nurses practicing, identifying with, and/or interested in Mental Health and Addictions care to belong to the Mental Health Nurses Section.
- To promote practice in accordance with Te Tiriti o Waitangi.
- To provide a communication network for all members by way of regular newsletters, social media, conferences and disseminating information on issues pertaining to Mental Health nursing.
- To liaise with appropriate authorities on social and health issues relevant to Mental Health and Addiction nursing and community health.
- To encourage, promote and provide the development of educational programmes/seminars for Mental Health Care.

- To encourage and support research into Mental Health Nursing.
- To actively facilitate the ongoing strategic and professional development of Mental Health nursing in conjunction with NZNO and appropriate health authorities.
- To communicate and liaise with other Mental Health organisations at a national and international level.

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

All members of the Mental Health Nurses Section must be financial members of NZNO/Health Professionals NZ.

- **Full Member**
Any person who is a qualified nurse practicing in Mental Health Care.
- **Associate Member**
Qualified nurses interested in Mental Health, but not necessarily in practice.
- Allied professionals interested in Mental Health Care.
- Support workers interested in Mental Health Care.
- **Honorary Membership**
Honorary membership may be conferred from time to time.

