

# 2010 Full Membership Application Form

## FULL MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY

Full membership may be granted to any person who by virtue of tertiary study, academic qualification or services to the medical and scientific aspects of sport is sufficiently qualified to make full membership of SMNZ appropriate.

**SMNZ ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
*The 2010 Sports Medicine New Zealand Annual Conference will be held at the Duxton Hotel, Wellington from Thursday, 18 to Saturday, 20 November.*

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**S**ports Medicine New Zealand (SMNZ) is a non-profit-making multidisciplinary organisation for all health professionals and other groups and individuals interested in community health, with special reference to the principles of sports medicine and exercise science.

SMNZ was founded in Dunedin in July 1963 and is an incorporated society registered in 1967 under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908. SMNZ became affiliated to the International Federation of Sports Medicine (FIMS) in 1965 and as such is one of over fifty organisations worldwide.

SMNZ has 12 regional branches; Northland, Auckland, Waikato, Bay of Plenty, Hawkes Bay, Taranaki, Manawatu, Wellington, Nelson, Canterbury, Otago and Southland. The Manawatu and Southland branches are currently managed from Wellington and Otago respectively. The National Council consisting of the National Executive Committee and a representative from each branch, administers the organisation. The SMNZ National Office is based in Dunedin.

Membership of SMNZ offers;

- subscription to the NZ Journal of Sports Medicine published half yearly (electronic format)
- on-line access to the British Journal of Sports Medicine published bimonthly
- subscription to the SMNZ monthly newsletter sent via email and covering items of interest on an international, national and regional basis
- invitation to apply for a listing in the SMNZ National Sports Medicine Clinical Register available on SMNZ's website
- free admission to all lectures and seminars hosted by any one of SMNZ's 12 regional branches
- the member rate at the NZ Sports Medicine and Science Conference held annually
- the opportunity to earn CME points via attendance at the NZ Sports Medicine and Science Conference and/or any other seminar hosted by the SMNZ national body or any of its branches The SMNZ Annual Conference has been endorsed for 20 educational hours = 20 credits and eligible for both RNZCGP MOPS and AVE purposes
- complimentary copies of all SMNZ resources, ie, The Pocket Sports Doctor (Medical Guidelines for Safe Sporting Team Travel), The

Young Athlete (A Resource for Parents, Teachers and Coaches), Policy Statements for Head Injury in Sport, Infectious Disease Transmission in Sport, Iron in Sport

## New Zealand Journal of Sports Medicine

The New Zealand Journal of Sports Medicine is the official journal of Sports Medicine New Zealand, publishing material relevant to sports medicine and related disciplines.

The NZJSM welcomes submissions of original manuscripts from both members and non members of SMNZ in the following areas; sports medicine, sports physiotherapy, clinically relevant sport science, rehabilitation, coaching issues as they relate to sports medicine, exercise prescription and training, sports chiropractic, sports podiatry and sport psychology.

## On-line Access to the BJSM

On-line access is available to all full members via the SMNZ website. Access is password protected.

## National Sports Medicine Clinical Register

Members are invited to submit a listing on the National Register which is available to the public via the SMNZ website. Members' contact details, qualifications and experience are recorded.

## NZ Sports Medicine and Science Conference

This is an annual conference and is held in a different venue each year. The conference has for the last six years combined the annual meetings of Sports Medicine New Zealand and also Sport and Exercise Science New Zealand. This event has also combined the annual meeting of The Australasian College of Sports Physicians.

Delegates number 300+ and the programme is a three day event with the first day being a specialist day for sports physicians/doctors, sports physiotherapists and sport and exercise scientists. The second and third days offer a multi-disciplinary programme covering medicine, physiotherapy, sport and exercise science, nutrition, sport psychology, sports podiatry.

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**Conduct of Members**

Membership of SMNZ is accepted on the understanding that the application of any member is in good faith and is expected to help further the objects of SMNZ. All endeavours under the auspices of SMNZ are expected to be a credit to the organisation. The following actions are particularly proscribed:

- a Use of the name or the initials of SMNZ by a member in any way calculated to imply that he or she has a special professional standing or qualification.
- b Use of the name or initials of SMNZ in a professional context for personal gain.
- c Statements made to the media in the name of SMNZ other than those made by its officers authorised to do so.
- d Any statements to the media by a member or members deemed to be inimical to the good name of another member or members of SMNZ, including its elected officers.
- e Any statement or action deemed inimical to the good name of SMNZ in general and calculated to bring it into disrepute.

# APPLICATION FORM FOR FULL MEMBERSHIP

Prof/Dr/Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms Surname \_\_\_\_\_

First Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Current Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Academic Qualification \_\_\_\_\_

Other Relevant Qualifications \_\_\_\_\_

**Major Areas of Interest**

Medicine/Health Science (Clinical)

Basic or Applied Science (Research)

Education

Current Sports Interest \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Sports Group Affiliation (eg, NZAAA, NZRFU) \_\_\_\_\_

**2010 Full Membership Fee \$225.00 (GST Inclusive) enclosed and/or statement/  
receipt required.**

**Cheque (Please make payable to Sports Medicine New Zealand Inc)**

**Visa**  **Mastercard**

Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Electronic Transfer (Please Quote Name)**  
**Account Name: Sports Medicine NZ**  
**Account Number: 06 0996 0706600 00**

**I certify that the statements made in this application are correct and I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct of Sports Medicine New Zealand (Inc).**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return to:**

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