

Eligibility

- Commitment to Well Child Health as defined in National Child Health Strategy
- Employed to support the Tamariki Ora Well-Child National Schedule for a minimum of 2 days
- Have a current drivers licence
- Have attended a recognised Treaty of Waitangi workshop prior to enrolment

"The course is approved by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority under the provisions of the Education Act 1989, and Royal New Zealand Plunket Society (Inc.) is accredited to teach it."

and/or

"I raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Matauranga 1989, kua whakaaea te kaupapa whakaakoranga e te Mana Tohu Matauranga o Aotearoa, a kua whakamanatia a Royal New Zealand Plunket Society (Inc.) ki te whakaako i taua kaupapa whakaakoranga."

Border Description

This design is Whanau Awhina. The continuous line is the caring line and should never be broken. Plunket caring for whanau and tamariki, whanau caring for tamariki.

The small dots are the tamariki. The double Koru are the parents. The quadruple koru are the grandparents and wider whanau. They are all linked to the caring line. The colours signify everybody working together to care for tamariki.



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COMMUNITY KARITANE COURSE

Community Child and
Family Health Promotion

Skills to support Tamariki Ora
Well-Child National Schedule for
paraprofessionals

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WHAT WILL YOU BE ABLE TO DO?

- Be an advocate for children
- Work from a health promotion model
- Build positive and constructive relationships with families
- Support families to make informed choices for children
- Provide child health information for better family health
- Identify health gains achieved by your relationship with family
- Report health gain achievements to the wider community team
- Share health information for health gain

HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

- Residential tutorials 1 week and workshops
- Tutor support & assessment
- Supported experiential learning
- Individual tutoring for specific skill development
- Flexi learning including assignments and workbooks
- 200 hours supported practice in communities

THE COURSE IS...

- Accredited at Level 4 (NZQA)
- Includes Unit Standards from the National Qualifications Framework

WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

- Maori Child Health: Goals, Issues, Strategies, Challenges
- Health promotion strategies
- Partnership models
- Interpersonal skills
- Home visiting skills
- Community networking skills
- Accountable actions

HOW WILL YOU BE ASSESSED?

- Progressive assessments throughout the course
- Measuring evidence provided against defined assessment criteria

