



# Position Description for the Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine (AFPHM) President-elect

Role	President-elect
Reports to	AFPHM Council
Location	Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand

## Purpose of the Role

To assist the AFPHM President in guiding the governance framework and direction of the Faculty in a mutually co-operative and consultative atmosphere.

# **Key Stakeholders and Relationships**

Faculty President, Faculty Council members, Fellows and Trainees of the AFPHM, and College staff.

# **Context of the Position**

- The <u>AFPHM Council By-law</u> guides the AFPHM Council's operations, responsibilities and functions. The AFPHM Council has responsibility for the AFPHM educational and Continuing Professional Development Programs, policy and advocacy pertaining to Public Health Medicine, and a leadership and supportive role for Fellows and Trainees.
- The AFPHM President-elect becomes President of the AFPHM when the incumbent's term finishes.
- The AFPHM President-elect reports to the AFPHM Council, which is accountable to the RACP Board of Directors.

#### **Essential Attributes**

- Resident in Australia or Aotearoa New Zealand
- Fellowship of the AFPHM
- Be fully conversant with the RACP's Constitution, AFPHM Council By-law, and the RACP Strategic Plan
- Demonstrated experience in leadership
- Demonstrated understanding of the medical education environment
- Ability to lead a team
- Experience and demonstrated effectiveness in developing a team and valuing all members
- Attitudes of cooperation and positivity and high standards of ethical behaviour
- Strong administrative and organisational skills
- Commitment to quality assurance and continuous development
- Demonstrated high level written and oral communication skills.

# **Key Responsibilities**

- Chair AFPHM Council meetings in the absence of the AFPHM President
- Assist in further developing the AFPHM
- Ensure good governance of the AFPHM
- Assist in aligning the AFPHM Council work plan with the RACP's Strategic Plan
- Attend AFPHM meetings and official functions
- Assist in ensuring that all sub-committees and working groups of the AFPHM work productively and harmoniously
- Assist in ensuring that the AFPHM works productively with all RACP teams
- Assist in ensuring that the AFPHM works productively with the College Policy and Advocacy Council (CPAC) and the AFPHM Policy and Advocacy Committee (FPAC)
- Ensure that AFPHM members adhere to the RACP's policies on prevention of discrimination and harassment.

## **Extent of Authority**

Members of the AFPHM Council have access to the staff of the Faculty for provision of professional advice and secretariat support. Staff are line managed by the RACP Chief Executive Officer on the basis of agreed work plans and resources as approved by the Board.

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# Position Description for the Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine (AFPHM) Aotearoa New Zealand Councillor

Role	Aotearoa New Zealand Councillor
Reports to	AFPHM Council
Location	Aotearoa New Zealand

## Purpose of the Role

To assist the AFPHM President and Council in guiding the governance framework and direction of the AFPHM in a mutually co-operative and consultative atmosphere.

# **Key Stakeholders and Relationships**

Faculty President, Faculty Council members, Fellows and Trainees of the AFPHM.

# **Context of the Position**

- The <u>AFPHM Council By-law</u> guides the AFPHM Council's operations, responsibilities and functions. The AFPHM Council has responsibility for the AFPHM educational and Continuing Professional Development Programs, policy and advocacy pertaining to Public Health Medicine, and a leadership and supportive role for Fellows and Trainees.
- AFPHM Council members report to the AFPHM Council and are accountable to the AFPHM.

#### **Essential Attributes**

- Fellowship of the AFPHM
- Resident in Aotearoa New Zealand
- Be fully conversant with the RACP's Constitution, AFPHM Council By-law, RACP Strategic Plan, and the AFPHM Council work plan
- Demonstrated experience in leadership and understanding of governance
- Demonstrated understanding of the medical education environment
- Attitudes of cooperation and positivity and high standards of ethical behaviour
- Strong administrative and organisational skills
- Commitment to quality assurance and continuous development.

# **Key Responsibilities**

- Ensure good governance of the AFPHM
- Assist in aligning the AFPHM Council work plan to the Strategic Plan of the RACP
- Assist in ensuring that all sub-committees and all working groups of the AFPHM work productively and harmoniously
- Adhere to the RACP's policies, including prevention of discrimination and harassment.

### **Extent of Authority**

Members of the AFPHM Council have access to the staff of the Faculty for provision of professional advice and secretariat support. Staff are line managed by the RACP Chief Executive Officer on the basis of agreed work plans and resources as approved by the Board.

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# Position Description for the Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine (AFPHM) Australian Councillor

Role	Australian Councillor
Reports to	AFPHM Council
Location	Australia

## Purpose of the Role

To assist the AFPHM President and Council in guiding the governance framework and direction of the AFPHM in a mutually co-operative and consultative atmosphere.

# **Key Stakeholders and Relationships**

Faculty President, Faculty Council members, Fellows and Trainees of the AFPHM.

# **Context of the Position**

- The <u>AFPHM Council By-law</u> guides the AFPHM Council's operations, responsibilities and functions. The AFPHM Council has responsibility for the AFPHM educational and Continuing Professional Development Programs, policy and advocacy pertaining to Public Health Medicine, and a leadership and supportive role for Fellows and Trainees.
- AFPHM Council members report to the AFPHM Council and are accountable to the AFPHM.

#### **Essential Attributes**

- Fellowship of the AFPHM
- Resident in Australia
- Be fully conversant with the RACP's Constitution, AFPHM Council By-law, RACP Strategic Plan, and the AFPHM Council work plan
- Demonstrated experience in leadership and understanding of governance
- Demonstrated understanding of the medical education environment
- Attitudes of cooperation and positivity and high standards of ethical behaviour
- Strong administrative and organisational skills
- Commitment to quality assurance and continuous development.

# **Key Responsibilities**

- Ensure good governance of the AFPHM
- Assist in aligning the AFPHM Council work plan to the Strategic Plan of the RACP
- Assist in ensuring that all sub-committees and all working groups of the AFPHM work productively and harmoniously
- Adhere to the RACP's policies, including prevention of discrimination and harassment.

### **Extent of Authority**

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