

# **International Health Perspectives in Critical Care :** An exchange scholarship offering an opportunity to explore critical perspectives in patient care.

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# In the Beginning....



# Capital and Coast Hospital



**Wellington - New Zealand**

# Intensive Care Unit

- **20 Beds**
  - Paediatrics, neurosurgical, trauma, cardiothoracic, vascular, renal, general medical and surgical patients.
- **1300 patients each year**
  - 40% of these are elective and include 500 CT.
- **Average stay-28 hours**
  - 6% stay over 7 days.
- **Ventilate 75% of admissions**
- **Mortality rate of approximately 10%.**
- **Flight /PAR/ TRAM**

# Expectations

Focus of the Scholarship :

- Long term Care Pathways
- Rehabilitation Care Pathways

# Different or the Same



Different Time Zone  
Different Continent  
Different Culture

Same Critically-ill Patient.

# Enhancement of Care







# Outcomes

- Development
- Research
- Future Secondments
- Academia



# Finally....



“I think one's feelings waste themselves in words; they ought all to be distilled into actions which bring results”.

Florence Nightingale

International Collaboration

Creating the Future within Critical Care

# Thank you

## Any Questions?

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