

Visiting Osteopathic Presenter / Educator Scope of Practice

The purpose of the Visiting Osteopathic Presenter / Educator Scope of Practice is to create a mechanism to allow overseas registered osteopaths to visit New Zealand for the purpose of presenting or teaching osteopathy without requiring full registration in the General Osteopathic Scope of practice. This will restrict the activities of the osteopath to the presenting and / or educating activities described in the application. Registration will in general be for the period of time required to deliver a specific course / training event.

Council may grant registration for an extended period if the candidate's application is supported by Unitec, another tertiary institute or the individual is otherwise eligible for registration in the General Osteopathic Scope of Practice, such as osteopaths registered in Australia.

Pursuant to section 12 of the Act, the Council has prescribed the following qualifications for registration in the Scope of Practice: Visiting Osteopathic Presenter / Educator

All applicants must:

(1) be registered, and in good standing, with an overseas healthcare regulatory authority (where such arrangements are in place) and possess an osteopathic qualification

and

(2) be able to provide evidence of achievements in research / scholarship or teaching either by publication or educational attainments deemed by Council to be relevant to the osteopathic scopes of practice.

and

(3) submit an outline of the course / teaching activity they aim to deliver in New Zealand