Securing a COPS from AHPRA

Your MCNZ email will list the regulatory authorities you need to access.

Send the MCNZ a Certificate of Good Practice (AHPRA)

Login to the AHPRA portal at this link:

Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency - Online Services (ahpra.gov.au)

On completion of the User Id, Password and DOB you will see a menu at left of screen

Select Apply for a Certificate of Registration Status

Complete Registration Number and State most recently practiced in

Click NEXT

Check Your Details, Renewal Notices, Telephone Contacts, Residential address, Principal place of practice address and Mailing Address

Click NEXT

Select AHPRA approved regulatory body or organisation

Select New Zealand as Location of Organisation

Select Medical Council of New Zealand as Name of Organisation

Click NEXT

Please check the details

Click NEXT

You will be asked to pay \$A50

Sending from another Regulatory Authority (NOT APHRA)

Your overseas regulatory authority will have different processes for securing a COPS. This is an excerpt from the MCNZ.

"The COPS must be **emailed directly to us at <u>cgs@mcnz.org.nz</u>** by the regulatory authority. We cannot accept an emailed COPS that has been sent to us by you or another party.

If the regulatory authority does not issue electronic COPS, we will accept an **original** hard copy. This may be posted to us by the regulatory authority or you may post it to us in its original envelope or courier bag."