where to get **HELP!**

Phase 2

Auckland Region
The University of Auckland strives to ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of all students. Alongside this, students should note that they too have a responsibility to take reasonable care of themselves and others. Students are encouraged to seek help early by contacting their academic supervisor and/or appropriate support services. For more information, please see the University of Auckland’s Health and Safety Policy.

**IMMEDIATE RISK**

For an emergency that is happening right now dial 111, or, to discuss your own or someone else’s safety or acute mental health crisis, phone Mental Health Crisis Line on 0800 800 717 (24 hrs).

**KEY CONTACTS**

**Phase 2 Director** – Academic matters related to MBChB IV and V, leave requests:
Dr Kira Bacal (09) 923 3046 k.bacal@auckland.ac.nz

**Year 4 Coordinator** – Academic issues to do with MBChB IV:
Dr Matt Dawes (09) 923 6389 m.dawes@auckland.ac.nz

**BMedSc (Hons) Director** – Honours Pathway enquiries:
Dr Ali Mirjalili (09) 923 7487 a.mirjalili@auckland.ac.nz

**Medical Programme Directorate (MPD) enquiries**
(09) 923 1606 or mpd@auckland.ac.nz

**Group Services Manager (MPD)** – Administrative issues:
Johanna Beattie (09) 923 2773 mpd@auckland.ac.nz

**Practicum Placement Coordinator (MPD)** – Administration of student choices and clinical allocations: Teresa Timo (09) 923 6745 mpd@auckland.ac.nz

**Student Health and Counselling** – For full background on enrolment and available resources visit Student Health and Counselling services. To book an appointment (09) 923 7681 (the FMHS Student Support Advisor can assist if urgent)

**Student Academic Services & Engagement Manager** – Advice on health, financial and welfare matters: Tanya Carter (09) 923 8644 tanya.carter@auckland.ac.nz

**MAPAS Student Support Advisor for Phase 2**
Nicola Clark 021 879 565 nicola.clark@auckland.ac.nz

**Student Support Advisor (Domestic and International)**
Jo Commins (09) 923 7534, fmhssupport@auckland.ac.nz

**International Students (URGENT HELP)**
The International Office can provide 24/7 help for international students urgent issues – Rebecca Walkinton +64 21 376 922 or r.walkinton@auckland.ac.nz

**Equity Office - Student Disability Services (SDS)** – Provides support for students with a wide range of impairments, both visible and invisible: (09) 923 2936 disability@auckland.ac.nz

**FMHS Disability Liaison**
Contact the FMHS Student Support Advisor for advice on exam and test conditions

**Medical Assurance Society (MAS)** – Provides a counselling service. Call the 0800 number (0800 800 627) and ask to be put in touch with the counselling team or info@mas.co.nz
KEY LOCAL STAFF TO KNOW

Each clinical site has a number of potential resources to which you can be directed for specialist advice and health & counselling support. The following individuals can direct you appropriately:

AUCKLAND CLINICAL CAMPUS

   Group Services Manager: Natasha Tinkler (09) 923 1534 n.tinkler@auckland.ac.nz

WAITEMATA CLINICAL CAMPUS

   Assistant Dean: Professor Martin Connolly Martin.Connolly@waitematadhb.govt.nz

NORTH SHORE

   Site Team Leader: Mere Vercoe (09) 486 7420 mere.vercoe@waitematadhb.govt.nz

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   Site Coordinator: Deborah Clifford deborah.clifford@waitematadhb.govt.nz

SOUTH AUCKLAND CLINICAL CAMPUS (SACC)

   Assistant Dean: Professor Andrew Hill a.hill@auckland.ac.nz

   Group Services Manager: Maria Vitas (09) 276 0044 x 58395 m.vitas@auckland.ac.nz

   Student Administration Team: (09) 276 0044 x 2864 or 58076 uniadmin@middlemore.co.nz
Advice and support regarding financial matters can be discussed in confidence with the FMHS Student Support Advisors.

Emergency Funds: Wallath Trust
Contact the Student Academic Services & Engagement Manager for an appointment anytime.

General medical student hardship funds:
Watch for Canvas announcements regarding hardship scholarships.

UoA emergency funds: contact the Scholarships Office
AUSA hardship support: WAVE office welfare@auckland.ac.nz

Money advice and budgeting

Scholarships and Funds

Advice for students with financial hardship

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