

The Anthroposophical Nurses Association in New Zealand seeks to broaden nursing practice for those who wish to develop the art of nursing.

Anthroposophical nursing gives a new dimension by extending the art and science of nursing. The human being is seen as having a physical body that is permeated with living forces, an emotional and psychological expression and also a unique spiritual identity that reveals the individual biography. The nurse honours and respects the freedom of every person, acknowledging that the healing process ultimately rests within that individual.

The Anthroposophical nurse works as a therapeutic advocate assisting in the restoration of wholeness, balance and health. This form of nursing encompasses all areas of nursing such as general nursing, paediatrics, midwifery, psychiatry, critical care, gerontology, oncology and palliative care and enables the nurse to develop new skills to integrate the concept and ideas of Anthroposophy into the tasks of nursing. The education programme for the Anthroposophical nurse is personally challenging and confronting, awakening intuitive skills and enthusiasm that gives the individual the capacity to find a true relationship to the vocation of nursing.

AIMS OF THE ASSOCIATION

- ~ To establish a group of nurses interested in Anthroposophical nursing.
- ~ To provide a forum for conferences and ongoing education.
- ~ To facilitate research into the practice of anthroposophical nursing.
- ~ To foster relationships with Anthroposophical and therapeutic work.
- ~ To develop connections with existing nursing trends.
- ~ To deepen the task of nursing through encouraging the ongoing path of inner development.

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The Anthroposophical Nurses Association offers you:

Conference for nurses
Education seminars and workshops
Newsletters
Support network

Application of Membership

You are invited as a nurse to apply for membership

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AREA OF WORK/INTEREST

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION due July 1st each year.
Member \$35- \$100 out of free initiative

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HOW HAS THIS WORK ARISEN?

Rudolf Steiner founded Anthroposophy, a science that researches the spiritual in the human being and the natural world. Through this insight many areas of cultural and practical life were developed; education, agriculture, the arts, social renewal and medicine.

Dr Ita Wegman, working with Rudolf Steiner, founded the Anthroposophical medical work in Switzerland in the 1920's. General practices, clinics and hospitals have taken up this initiative. Here in New Zealand, nurses, doctors, pharmacists, artists and other therapists work as the therapeutic team developing...



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Part of the Medical Section of the School of Spiritual Science
based in Dornach, Switzerland. Member of the International
Anthroposophical Nurses Forum.