

Special workshop for health professionals:

Communicating with non-English speaking clients

Interpreting Wellington and Regional Public Health invite you to a special workshop on how to use interpreters in a clinical context, in order to meet the requirements of human rights and sign language legislation. This workshop is one of a series offered under the Regional Action Plan for Refugee Health and Well-Being.

Come and join us for a varied programme including an interpreting demonstration and interaction with your colleagues. We will help you identify the risks of using clients' family and friends as BYO interpreters, and will give you some tools for working with interpreters to get the best possible communications with your clients.

Date	Venue	Time
Wednesday 15/03/2023	Training Centre Room A, Wairarapa Hospital, Masterton	9.30am – 12.30pm
Thursday 15/06/2023	Hutt Hospital, Learning Centre Auditorium, Lower Hutt	9.00am – 12.00pm
Tuesday 29/08/2023	Education Centre Horne Lecture Theatre, Level 12 (M) WSB, Wellington	9.00am – 12.00pm

This workshop is suitable for anyone working with refugee patients (clinical and non-clinical staff).

Registration is free. Morning tea is provided. For a registration form and to assist with catering, please **RSVP 1 week prior** to: Chelsea.Winika@huttvalleydhb.org.nz

This workshop has been endorsed by the Royal New Zealand College of General Practitioners (RNZCGP) and has been approved for up to 3 hours for General Practice Education Programme Stage 2 (formerly AVE) and Maintenance of Professional Standards (MOPS) purposes. A certificate of attendance will be provided.