



# RCPHO Newsletter

## RURAL CANTERBURY PHO PHO PERFORMANCE PROGRAMME – 2011

Six monthly PHO Performance to 30 July 2011

RCPHO achieved 38.73 points out of a possible 50

For the indicator targets that RCPHO received results by Practice, eight practices met all indicator targets compared to only four practices in the previous 6 months.

Of the 19 Performance Indicators, Rural Canterbury PHO achieved:

**Full payment** for 12 performance indicators: Cervical Cancer Screening Total Population, Age Appropriate Vaccination <2 Total Population, Age Appropriate Vaccination <2 High Need, Breast Cancer Screening High Need, GP Referred Laboratory expenditure Total Population, GP Referred Pharmaceutical expenditure total Population, Ischaemic CVD Detection Total Population, Ischaemic CVD Detection High Need, Diabetes Detection Total Population, Diabetes Detection High Need, Smoking Status ever recorded High Need, Smoking Status ever recorded Other.

**Partial payment** for four performance indicators: Flu Vaccination Total Population, Flu Vaccination High Need, CVD Risk Assessment Total Population, CVD Risk High Need.

**No payment** for three performance indicators: Cervical Cancer Screening High Need, Diabetes Detection and Follow-up Total Population, Diabetes Detection and Follow-up High Need.

The photos are of six practices that achieved all 12 performance indicators. Unfortunately we didn't take pictures of the other two practices (Tinwald Medical Centre and Gym Company, Ashburton) that also were successful and were presented with a cake from Rural Canterbury PHO to congratulate them on their achievement.

**Kaiapoi Medical Centre**

*Back Left to Right*  
Sheryl O'Leary, Cheryl Childs and Jo Taylor  
*Front*  
Pauline Musson and Glenda Woodward



**Diamond Harbour Medical**

Jan Hogbin,  
Dr Charlie Clifton  
and Nicky Palmer



**Rangiora Medical Centre, Rangiora**  
Marg Moore and  
Dr Alf Scragg



**Medical Corner Doctors, Rangiora**  
Dr Nigel Tapper and Caroline Clarke



**Kaye Buchan Medical Centre, Kaiapoi**  
Lisa Donning and Janice Kemp



**Dr Fairhall's Practice, Kaiapoi**  
Sandy Barry and Colleen Beaton



*The Chair,*

*Board members and staff  
of Rural Canterbury  
Primary Health  
Organisation wish you all  
a safe and happy  
Christmas and New Year.*



**Rural Canterbury  
Primary Health  
Organisation**

567 Wairakei Road,  
Christchurch 8053  
P O Box 14021,  
Christchurch 8544  
Phone 03 357 4970  
Fax 03 357 4372  
Free Phone  
0800 800 743

# Rural Canterbury Primary Health Organisation

567 Wairakei Road,

Christchurch 8053

P O Box 14021,

Christchurch 8544

Phone 03 357 4970

Fax 03 357 4372

Free Phone 0800 800 743

[www.rcpho.org.nz](http://www.rcpho.org.nz)

RCPHO Health Promoters got together in October, their final session in 2011, for an education day. This was the last time for Chris Rudin- Jones as she has resigned and is moving away from Lyttelton.



From left:  
Leanne Liddell,  
Tony Vainerere  
and Chris Rudin-Jones.

## Rural Canterbury PHO

### Board Meeting Timetable for 2012

31 January	24 July
28 February	28 August
27 March	25 September
24 April	30 October AGM
22 May	27 November
26 June	



# CELEBRATION

The RCPHO Baby Feeding Service held its inaugural celebration afternoon tea for all the mothers who had been referred through the service since March 2011.



The afternoon was a great success with around 36 mothers and babies (and one dad!) in attendance. Catering was provided by Rural Canterbury PHO, as well as a 'Celebration' cake.

The three Lactation Consultants with the service were all present, Vicki Patterson, Rachel Walker and Ruth O'Donovan as well as Babyfeeding Service Manager, Janetta Skiba; CEO, Bill Eschenbach; Kim Sinclair-Morris, CDHB and other members of our RCPHO staff.



Requests went out to as many businesses as could be contacted for goods or services to be donated for lucky door prizes on the day and the response was outstanding! Every woman left with a gift on the day, ranging from skin care products, B & B vouchers, manicure vouchers, chocolates and much more.

We would like to take the opportunity to acknowledge and show our deep gratitude to those businesses who generously donated, as follows:

Donegal House, Kaikoura  
Sutherland Todd Hairdressing  
Amcal Skelley & Webb Pharmacy  
Baby On The Move  
Essential Therapy  
ProfessioNail  
Silvermoon  
Hot milk lingerie  
Paperplus Northland  
The Day Spa Natural Detox Centre  
The Quiet Mind Body Shop  
Heather Ellis Photography  
Maddison Rose Florists  
Kidds Cakes  
Hoyts  
Rachel Palmer - Colours Workshop  
Pergoli  
Queen Anne Indulgence



## RURAL CANTERBURY PHO

OFFICE

CLOSED

Friday,

23 December at 11 am

OFFICE

REOPENS

Monday,

9 January 2012 at 9 am

A FREE Cooking class for older people focusing on nutrition and cooking meals for one or two people.

Classes are small in size, social and provide hands-on cooking in each session.

We need more referrals for classes to be held in: Ashburton, Kaiapoi, Rangiora, Oxford, and Hurunui areas. Classes will start in these areas as early as February or as soon as there are enough people to start a class. More classes will be started as needed, depending on the number of referrals. Funding continues for the next few years.

Please go to [www.seniorchef.co.nz](http://www.seniorchef.co.nz) and click on "enrol" to enrol a patient.

Eligibility criteria: 65+ years of age; Live alone or with 1 other person; Need to improve skills / motivation around cooking for 1 or 2.



## SENIOR CHEF

Cooking classes for older adults



## SITUATIONS VACANT—

### OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR / RECEPTIONIST

The Rural Canterbury PHO office farewells Helen in December. Helen has worked for the PHO for five years and has decided to move to Wellington. Previous experience in office work essential, hours negotiable up to 6 hours per day. The job description and application form are available on our website, [www.rcpho.org.nz](http://www.rcpho.org.nz). Applications close noon on Monday, 12 Dec 11.



## Enrolled Population As at 1 October 2011

NZ European	69,476
Māori	5,274
Pacific Islander	1,078
Other	10,550
<b>Total</b>	<b>86,378</b>

