



2019 Selection Process for Students

The Rural Medical Immersion Programme is open to all University of Otago 5th year medical students including Rural Origin Medical Preferential Entry (ROMPE) students.

Part One

Candidates are to write a 600 word statement about themselves and their background, indicating why they think that they will be a suitable candidate for the programme.

The RMIP Centres for 2019 are Balclutha, Marlborough, Southland, Tararua, Wairarapa, and the West Coast. Candidates must indicate their first, second, third, fourth, fifth, and sixth preference for teaching centres. Every effort will be made to satisfy the applicant's top preferences but in the event that this is not possible it is expected that the applicant will accept the placement allocated.

Your application should be submitted by email to the address below.

Email rmip.administrator@otago.ac.nz

Applications will be accepted from June 2018.

Part two

Students will be invited to an interview on the basis of their written statement and their academic achievement to date.

August: Applications will close at **midnight on Sunday 26th August 2018.**

September: Interviews conducted in early September 2018.

Successful applicants will be offered a position on the programme by Friday 21 September 2018.

October: Successful applicants have one week to accept or decline a position on the programme. Placements for 2019 will be advised by Friday 5 October 2018.

For further information

Visit [our website](#) or contact us on

Tel 64 3 479 9252

Email rmip.administrator@otago.ac.nz

Please keep an eye on our website for information regarding RMIP presentations being held in Dunedin, Christchurch, and Wellington in June 2018.