

APHRs-Certified Fellowship Training Centre

Name of Training Centre	Waikato Hospital
Short Introduction	Waikato Hospital is a major (~800 bed) regional hospital in Hamilton, New Zealand. It provides specialised and emergency healthcare for the Midlands and Waikato area with patients referred there from feeder hospitals across the upper-mid North Island (~1 million population). It is one of five Cardiac Surgical centres in NZ. The Cardiology EP service is one of four tertiary referral EP centres. We have a tradition of Fellow training, both domestic candidates and those from abroad. Fellows are here for 12-24 months to learn the full set of skills for EP training, spending all their time in the dedicated EP lab, apart from one outpatient clinic per week. English language proficiency and medical registration are essential (see NZ Medical Council website).
Official Website of Training Centre	https://www.tewhatauora.govt.nz/for-health-professionals/health-workforce-development/district-and-regional/waikato
Country & City	Hamilton, New Zealand
Contact Person & Email	Clinical Director, Department of Cardiology info@waikatodhb.health.nz
Field of Expertise (EP, CIED)	EP, CIED, inpatient cardiology, outpatient clinics
Number of Procedures per Year	Ablations: 250 Device Implantations: 500 pacemakers, 120 ICDs
Products / Systems Used (e.g., Carto, Ensite, PFA, etc.)	Carto, EP Med Claris, Farawave PFA, Cryo (MDT)
Specific Procedures Offered (Procedures participants can expect in addition to the usual ones)	CSP, S-ICD, Cardioneural ablation, Micra
List of Electrophysiologists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Martin Stiles • Dr. Daniel Garofalo • Dr. Spencer Heald • Dr. Elizabeth Woollard • Dr. Allan Plant • Dr. Ali Al-Sinan (on extended leave)

Available Training Duration

Long Term: 1 Year