



PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME as at 1 July 2026

RĀMERE 20 NOEMA 2026 FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2026		
12.30pm	Registration Desk Open <i>Venue: Ground floor, Manawa</i>	
1.00pm	Registration complete Please be onsite by 1.00pm	
1.15pm – 1.25pm	Mihi Whakatau	
1.30pm – 5.00pm	Pre-Conference Workshops	
1.30pm – 3.00pm	Pre-Conference Workshop 1 CKM Syndrome Workshop: Connecting the Dots Kody Shaw <i>Venue: 109, Level 1</i>	Pre-Conference Workshop 2 Keys to Building Your Team: A Team-Based Learning and Practical Workshop Chris Taylor <i>Venue: 108, Level 1</i> * The workshop includes a short pre Q&A which we invite you to submit as a key input to the session preparation
3.00pm – 3.30pm	Paramanawa (Afternoon Tea)	
3.30pm – 5.00pm	Pre-Conference Workshop 1 continues <i>Venue: 109, Level 1</i>	Pre-Conference Workshop 2 continues <i>Venue: 108, Level 1</i>
5.00pm	Free Evening	

RĀHOROI 21 NOEMA 2026 | SATURDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2026


8.00am	Registration Desk Open <i>Ground Floor</i>			
8.30am – 10.05am	Hui Taumata (Conference) Opening and Plenary 1 <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>			
8.30am – 8.35am	Hui Taumata (Conference) Opening			
8.35am – 8.40am	NZHPA Executive Welcome			
8.40am – 9.20am	Neurodiversity in the Workplace Rachael Hurren			
9.20am – 9.25am	Questions			
9.25am – 9.50am	Visit My Poster - 1 minute each			
9.50am – 10.05am	Visit My Exhibition - 1 minute each			
10.05am – 10.35am	Networking, Industry Exhibition and Paramanawa (Morning Tea) <i>Venue: Industry Exhibition Area, Ground Floor</i>			
Free Papers				
10.35am – 11.50am	1A <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>	1B <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 107, Level 1</i>	1C <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 108, Level 1</i>	1D <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 109, Level 1</i>
10.35am – 10.50am				
10.55am – 11.10am				
11.15am – 11.30am				
11.35am – 11.50am				
11.50am – 12.45pm	Networking, Industry Exhibition and Tina (Lunch) <i>Venue: Industry Exhibition Area, Gound Floor</i>			
12.15pm – 12.45pm	Posters Session – visit the posters and talk with the authors			
Free Papers				
12.45pm – 2.00pm	2A <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>	2B <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 107, Level 1</i>	2C <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 108, Level 1</i>	2D <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 109, Level 1</i>
12.45pm – 1.00pm				
1.05pm – 1.20pm				
1.25pm – 1.40pm				
1.45pm – 2.00pm				
2.05pm – 3.15pm	Plenary 2 <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>			

2.05pm– 2.20pm	Updates in Pharmacy Speaker to be announced soon			
2.20pm – 2.35pm	Prescriber SIN Update Ross Burrows, Lucy Wheeler			
2.35pm – 2.45pm	Questions (for both presentations together)			
2.45pm – 3.15pm	New Zealand Hospital Pharmacy Association Annual General Meeting			
3.15pm – 3.45pm	Networking, Industry Exhibition and Paramanawa (Afternoon Tea) <i>Venue: Industry Exhibition Area, Ground Floor</i>			
Concurrent Workshops				
3.45pm – 5.15pm	3B <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>	3B <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 107, Level 1</i>	3C <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: Venue: 108, Level 1</i>	3D <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: Venue: 109, Level 1</i>
	Clinical Connection Through Meihana Maira Patu <i>*Pre-course work required</i>	Finding Your Voice and Making an Impact Helen Morgan-Banda	Exploring Sustainability: Co-Designing Solutions to Rethink, Reduce and Recycle in Hospital Pharmacy Joya Kemper	Raising the Bar: Practical Clinical Governance for Pharmacists Jo Marcroft, Annie Egan
5.15pm	Conference Day 1 Closes			
7.00pm – 11.00pm	Conference Dinner Venue: Rambler, 96 Lichfield Street, Christchurch Central City Theme: Around the World <i>Travel the globe without leaving the room – choose a destination, embrace the theme, and join us for an Around the World evening of fun, food, and connection</i> Legacy Project: One Mother to Another <i>One Mother to Another supports mothers and caregivers of hospitalised babies and children, as well as mothers facing mental health crises, by providing thoughtfully curated care packages.</i>			

RĀTAPU 22 NOEMA 2026 | SUNDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2026

7.15am	Registration Desk Open Parakuihi (Breakfast) served for SIG pre-registered attendees from 7.15am <i>Venue: Industry Exhibition Area</i>		
SIG and SIN Group Meetings			
7.45am – 8.45am	Medicines Information and Clinical Pharmacy SIG (MICP) <i>Convenor:</i> <i>Venue: 107, level 1</i>	Prescribers SIN (PSIN) <i>Convenor:</i> <i>Venue: 108, level 1</i>	Technicians SIG <i>Convenor:</i> <i>Venue: 109, Level 1</i>
8.30am – 9.00am	Networking and Tea me te kawhe (Tea and Coffee) <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>		
9.00am – 10.30am	Plenary 3 <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>		
9.00am – 9.05am	Housekeeping		
9.05am – 9.15am	2025 Max Health Innovation Grant Project Update Sarah Case		
9.15am – 9.30am	2026 Max Health Innovation Grant Presentation		
9.30am – 10.30am	Finding Perspective and Resilience Through Life's Challenges Josh Komen		
10.30am – 11.00am	Networking, Industry Exhibition and Paramanawa (Morning Tea) <i>Venue:</i>		
Concurrent Workshops			
11.00am – 12.30pm	4A <i>Chairs:</i> <i>Venue: 102, Level 1</i>	4B <i>Chairs:</i> <i>Venue: 107, Level 1</i>	4C <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: Venue: 108, Level 1</i>
	University of Otago – Research Workshop Alesha Smith	Bridging the Divide: Strengthening the Secondary-Primary Care Pharmacy Interface Jo Comper	Get Better at Generative AI David Dempsey <i>* laptop and access to ChatGPT or Claude required, paid subscription recommended (optional)</i>
12.30pm – 1.15pm	Plenary 4 <i>Chair:</i> <i>Venue: 102, 102a, 102b, Level 1</i>		
12.30pm – 12.40pm	NOIDS		
12.40pm – 1.00pm	PHARMAC– How Medications are Funded		

1.00pm – 1.10pm	NZHPA Awards Presentations
1.10pm – 1.15pm	2027 Conference
1.15pm – 1.20pm	Conference Close

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