

Dear Orthoptist

### **Glaucoma NZ - Professional Education Programme 2010**

Glaucoma NZ invites you to enrol in the GNZ's Professional Education Programme for 2010. The Programme is appropriate for orthoptists as well as other eye health professionals. Please confirm with the Australian Orthoptic Board regarding relevant accreditation points.

The course involves up to sixteen hours commitment over the year, and is suitable for your professional portfolio. You work online, whenever you choose, at your own pace.

The Programme is largely case-based, comprising a series of seminars based on clinical case studies, and Glaucoma Updates reviewing recent glaucoma literature. The seminars cover a planned programme of topics which will link academic knowledge with practice. As well as questions and answers to accompany each case, there is an academic discussion of the important features of the case described.

**In addition, 5 of the 10 cases are in areas of therapeutics involving the use of medications other than glaucoma drops. These cases will be in areas that affect the glaucoma patient and require a broader approach to management such as, the use of steroid eye drops, allergic eye disease, and dry eye.**

Glaucoma NZ will provide a Certificate of Participation or a Certificate of Achievement depending on whether or not you sit and pass the multiple choice examination posted on the site early September.

Course materials will be accessible from mid-March through a log-in and password to the Professional Arena section of the Glaucoma NZ website [www.glaucoma.org.nz](http://www.glaucoma.org.nz).

The subscription fee for the Programme is \$250 (incl GST). A discount is available when more than one enrolment is received from the same practice/clinic (\$225 incl GST).

The following methods of enrolment and payment are available:

- **On-line** - [www.glaucoma.org.nz](http://www.glaucoma.org.nz) (click Professional Education tile) – payment by credit card or direct credit.
- **Post** - Download the enrolment form and post together with your cheque.
- **Fax** – Download the enrolment form and complete the payment details.

The Trustees of Glaucoma NZ are committed to providing the best professional education possible and look forward to a continuing relationship with you, as we work together towards the shared goal of better eye health for all New Zealanders.

Yours sincerely



Professor Helen Danesh-Meyer  
**Chair, Glaucoma NZ**

**On behalf of the trustees of Glaucoma NZ**

Enrolment: Glaucoma NZ Professional Education Programme 2010

<b>NAME</b>			
<b>OCCUPATION</b>			
<b>EMAIL</b>			
<b>PRACTICE/CLINIC NAME</b>			
<b>ADDRESS</b>			
<b>POSTCODE</b>		<b>PHONE</b>	( )
Have you previously enrolled with Glaucoma NZ?			
Receipt to be issued in the name of individual or practice/clinic (please circle)		Individual	Practice/Clinic

2010 Professional Programme fee: \$250 (incl GST)

2010 Discount fee for multiple enrolments from one practice/clinic: \$225

Direct credit payment to ASB account:

GLAUCOMA NEW ZEALAND	12 - 3013 - 0180964 - 00		
Date of direct credit		Amount paid	

OR:

Cheque enclosed - payable to GNZ. Amount paid	
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OR:

I wish to pay by credit card. Amount to be debited			
Type of card (please circle)		Visa	M Card
Card Number		Expiry date	
Name on card		Signature	

Please email, fax or post the completed form to the address below