



April 6-8th

2016

Life Flight Air Rescue Centre
Wellington Airport
Rongotai

DAY 1: **Wednesday April 6th**

0800 **Registration**

0815 **Welcome from CCDHB & Life Flight
Introduction & Housekeeping**

Henny Nicholls (CNM Patient Transfers, CCDHB)

0830 **Altitude and Gas Laws**

Dr.Alex Psirides (Clinical Leader, Aeromedical Retrieval, CCDHB)

0900 **Helicopter/Fixed Wing orientation & safety**

Colin Larsen & Blair Frampton (Senior Life Flight staff)

1030 Morning tea

1045 **Physiological Changes with Altitude**

Dr.Alex Psirides

1130 **Medical and Legal Responsibilities**

Dr.Alex Psirides & Henny Nicholls

1230 Lunch

1315 **Dangerous Goods**

Colin Larsen

1345 **Staff Health**

Catherine McNamara (Flight Nurse, CCDHB)

1445 Afternoon tea

1500 **Transfer of Obstetric Patients**

Fiona Jones (Clinical Midwife Specialist, CCDHB)

1545 **End of Day**

- 0830 Crew Resource Management
Harry Stevenson (Chief Pilot, Life Flight)
- 1000 **Morning tea**
- 1015 Preparation for Transport (with stretcher & SimMan mannequin)
Lois Roberts (Senior Flight Nurse, CCDHB)
- 1115 Transfer of Paediatric Patients
Karyn Hathaway (Senior Flight Nurse, CCDHB)
- 1215 **Lunch**
- 1245 Transfer of Patients with Subarachnoid or Subdural Haemorrhages
1345 Transfer of Patients with Cardiac Disease
Dr. Andy Swain (Medical Director, Wellington Free Ambulance)
- 1445 **Afternoon tea**
- 1500 Survival Training & Aircraft Emergencies
Dr. Claude Preitner (Senior Medical Officer, CAA)
- 1600 End of Day

- 0815 Transfer of Patients with Thoracic and Aortic Aneurysms
0845 Transfer of Trauma Patients with Spinal & Head Injuries
Dr. Alex Psirides
- 0945 **Morning Tea**
- 1015 Water Safety
Logan Taylor (Helicopter Crewman, Life Flight)
- 1045 Swimming Pool Safety Session
[\(at Wellington Regional Aquatic Centre, 63 Kilbirnie Crescent, Kilbirnie\)](#)
Logan Taylor
- 1330 **Lunch**
- 1400 Exploring Your Environment
Henny Nicholls, Becky Oliver & Lois Roberts

1515 *Afternoon Tea*

1530 Test & Answers

Henny Nicholls

1600 Course Certificates

1615 End of Course



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