

The Department of Geography, University of Canterbury has a high profile in the field of health/medical geography. A joint venture between the University of Canterbury and the New Zealand Ministry of Health led to the establishment of the GeoHealth Laboratory. The aim of the collaboration is to build a strategic partnership between both parties around health geography, spatial epidemiology, and GIS; and to increase research capacity and research outputs in the health and GIS academic sectors. Located within the Dept of Geography, the GeoHealth Lab is based in a well equipped and specifically designated facility on the UC campus in Christchurch. The GeoHealth Lab has research interests particularly in health inequalities, neighbourhoods and health, environment and health and GIS and health. For further information see: <http://www.geohealth.canterbury.ac.nz>

* Lecturer/Senior Lecturer/Associate Professor/Professor in Geography (Health/Medical Geography), Dept of Geography. This is a continuing full time academic position including teaching, research and graduate student supervision. We are looking for the best person who will be appointed at the appropriate level from Lecturer through to Professor based on the appointee's relevant skills and experience.

* Postdoctoral Fellow in Health Geography, GeoHealth Laboratory This is a three year fixed term position, based in the GeoHealth Laboratory with the Department of Geography at the University of Canterbury. We are particularly interested in someone with an interest in health inequalities, neighbourhoods and health, environment and health or GIS and health.

* Research Analyst (Spatial Analysis), GeoHealth Laboratory
This is a three year fixed term position based at the Ministry of Health in Wellington, NZ. The appointee will undertake key GIS and spatial data analyses and provide GIS and research support to staff at the Ministry of Health, while continuing to interact with fellow members of the GeoHealth Laboratory.

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