



SPIRITUALISM NEW ZEALAND HEALING MANUAL

11.2 Requirements to complete registration

11.2.1 Registered Spiritual Healer Application Form

Once you have completed your two years of spiritual healing experience and training, you can complete pulling together the information required to support for your Registered Spiritual Healer Application Form. The latest form can be downloaded from the Spiritualism New Zealand (SNZ) website www.spiritualism.org.nz/registered-spiritual-healers/. Some aspects, like collecting testimonials and writing the description of the spiritual healing concepts, can be started earlier, in preparation.

11.2.1.1 Log of healing sessions from the past 2 years

Your healing and training logs are required to demonstrate that you have enough practical experience and training to keep yourself and the clients safe. Two years' experience gives you ample time to demonstrate that your healing ethics comply with the healers' Code of Ethics.

In whatever form your healing log takes, your log should demonstrate that you have been regularly channelling spiritual healing for members of the public for at least two years. If healing at a church or centre, the logs should be signed/certified by your supervising Registered Spiritual Healer to validate your experience. If doing private healings, your log should be signed/certified by your client.

Any breaks should be explained (e.g. health issues or overseas trip that prevented you healing). Any long breaks in your experience and training should have been advised to SNZ in advance so they can record that you have put your spiritual healing "on hold" for that period, so they aren't chasing you up after three calendar years for your application.

11.2.1.2 Training log from the past 2 years and any spiritual healing training certificates

Your training log should demonstrate that you have been trained all the topics in the SNZ Healing Manual and participated in the associated practical sessions and exercises that reinforce the theory. The healing done to practice what you have learnt in the training class, generally done of your class mates, forms part of your training log and not your healing log.

The logs should be signed/certified by your trainer or supervising Registered Spiritual Healer to validate your training sessions.

Any missed sessions (e.g. due to health issues or overseas trip that prevented your attendance) should be caught up with afterwards and listed in your log against that later date.



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Again, any long breaks in your experience and training should have been advised to SNZ in advance so they can record that you have put your spiritual healing “on hold” for that period.

If you receive a certificate at the end of your spiritual healing training confirming that you have completed the training, please supply a copy of it with your application.

11.2.1.3 Four written testimonials

The testimonials should be from **independent** members of the public who have received personal (one-on-one) spiritual healing from you. They should not be from family members or members of your spiritual healing training group. They may be from people you have healed privately or at your organisation’s / church’s healing days.

The testimonial may be in letter or email form, and needs to show the person’s name and contact information (e.g. phone number) so their independence and experience can be confirmed by the SNZ Spiritual Healing Subcommittee considering your application, if thought necessary.

A testimonial will generally say that the person has received spiritual healing from the healer once or multiple times. It will explain how the session and the healing made them feel. They sometimes commend the healer and their abilities.

The testimonials are required to demonstrate that clients feel comfortable and safe with you as a spiritual healer and that your spiritual healing is effective/appropriate. They should also demonstrate that you channel healing energy in a confident, safe and effective manner. This information does not need to be reflected in each testimonial but the SNZ Spiritual Healing Subcommittee looks for general evidence of this across all the testimonials when considered together.

11.2.1.4 Spiritual healing, its associated guidelines and ethics, absent healing and attunement

Explain in at least 500 of your own words:

- What is spiritual healing
- What are the associated guidelines and ethics
- How you attune for spiritual healing
- What is absent healing and how you do it.

This requirement is to demonstrate that you understand the most important theoretical and legal considerations around spiritual healing. All these topics are covered in the *Spiritualism New Zealand Spiritual Healing Manual*. You can also start with what you wrote for *Section 5.5 Internal assessment of healing concepts*, as some of these same topics were covered.



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The associated guidelines and ethics refer to the SNZ Code of Ethics for Spiritual Healers and Standards of Best Practice for Spiritual Healers. These need to be reflected in your words so we know that you understand them, as they are integral to keeping yourself and your clients safe.

11.2.1.5 Copy of your assessment results

You have done a number of assessments throughout your healing training. Please attach copies of your theory assessment and the final practical assessment. That is, your reviewed '5.5 Assessment of basic spiritual healing concepts' and the results of your '11.1 Final assessment of practical spiritual healing knowledge & ability' (first four pages only). These demonstrate that your fuller understanding of spiritual healing concepts and your ability to practice it effectively in a safe, competent and professional manner. If your trainer still has your 11.1 results, please ask that they attach it instead.

11.2.1.6 Application fee

The application fee for processing a Provisional Healer or Registered Healer application form is set each year by Spiritualism New Zealand. Some organisations pay this fee on behalf of the healer so, if you belong to an organisation that does spiritual healing, check what their procedures are. Otherwise, you will be responsible for paying the application fee yourself.

11.2.1.7 Agree to:

- Abide by the Code of Ethics for Spiritual Healers;
- Undergo a Police Vetting check every five years;
- Continue your development by attending a healing course for Registered Spiritual Healers each year with a Spiritualism New Zealand trainer, once those courses are established. The initial spiritual healing training is just the beginning of your spiritual healing journey, and spiritual healing practice and laws will change over time. This is your commitment to investing in your ongoing learning and development in order to keep up to date with best practice spiritual healing.

Sign and date the form.

11.2.1.8 Nomination section

Once you have completed the "Registered Spiritual Healer Application Form" part of your application, hand the form and all your supporting documentation to your training supervisor to have the "Nomination for a Registered Spiritual Healer" page completed and submitted to Spiritualism New Zealand.



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This section may be completed by your local trainer or another representative of the spiritual healing organisation to which you belong (e.g. if your spiritualist church has nominated someone else to complete this section). If not already attached, they also need to attach the results of your final practical spiritual healing assessment, *Section 11.1 Final assessment of practical spiritual healing knowledge & ability*.

11.2.2 Registered spiritual healer application processing

Once your application is received by Spiritualism New Zealand, it will be checked for completeness before being distributed to the members of the Spiritual Healing Subcommittee. The Committee will either meet to consider your application or vote on it via an online poll. They may have follow-up questions to ask the people that gave you a testimonial or nominated you. They may ask you for more information. Once accepted, you will be advised of the results and, if successful, you will be issued with a Registered Spiritual Healer Practising Certificate if your practice fee and police vetting is also up-to-date.