



Voluntary Undertaking

Dr Bruce Ross Dooley (Reg81105)

I **Dr Bruce Ross Dooley**, registered medical practitioner, accept and undertake to comply with the following conditions requested by the Medical Council of New Zealand (the Council):

1. I will advise the Council when I resume clinical work, including any telehealth work.
2. I undertake to manage the care of patients with COVID-19 in accordance with Medsafe guidelines and HealthPathways Community guidelines.
3. I undertake to only prescribe medications for the prevention and/or treatment of COVID-19 where Medsafe and/or the New Zealand Formulary lists COVID-19 as an indication for the use of the medication.
4. I agree not to issue medical certificates relating to COVID-19 vaccine exemptions.
5. I will not display, promote, or provide materials, information, or advice to patients in relation to COVID-19 that is contrary to Ministry of Health (MoH) guidance or that undermines the national pandemic response in New Zealand.
6. If I am asked by a patient or prospective patient for information about vaccination or immunisation against COVID-19, I will advise that my opinion differs from the position of the MoH and I will recommend that person seek advice from a doctor who can provide them with advice on COVID-19, including vaccination and immunisation, that is in line with guidance issued by the MoH.
7. I will not comment, or share material, information, or advice created by myself or others publicly or in the media, discouraging vaccination or immunisation against COVID-19.
8. I understand that the media includes any social media, news, or video streaming platforms.
9. I understand that the Council will take any necessary steps to monitor my compliance with this undertaking.
10. I understand I will be required to cover all costs (if any) of monitoring related to this undertaking.
11. I understand the Council will advise my current and any future employer of this VU and that they may be contacted to assist with monitoring or compliance.
12. I understand that the Council will review this undertaking at its meeting of 9 and 10 August 2022.

Signed: _____

Date: _____