



Anatomical Pathologist – Veterinary - VetPath NZ, HAMILTON, NEW ZEALAND

At VetPath NZ, we're proud to be New Zealand's independent veterinary diagnostic laboratory - owned and operated by a team who live and breathe veterinary science. Based in Hamilton, we partner with veterinarians, researchers, and animal health professionals across the country to deliver fast, reliable, and expert diagnostic services.

Our mission is simple: to empower better animal health outcomes through science, innovation, and partnership.

As we continue to grow and diversify our services, we're seeking a passionate Anatomical Pathologist to join our talented multidisciplinary team and help shape the next chapter of veterinary diagnostics in Aotearoa.

About the role

You'll work as part of a collaborative, highly experienced laboratory team supporting veterinarians across New Zealand. Your day-to-day will include:

- Performing gross and histopathological examinations of biopsy and necropsy submissions.
- Providing specialist diagnostic advice to veterinary clients across companion animals, production animals, and wildlife species.
- Supporting our integrated diagnostic approach, working alongside microbiology, serology, molecular, and trace element specialists.
- Contributing to case discussions, continuous improvement, and method development initiatives.

This is a full-time (part-time negotiable), permanent position based in our Hamilton laboratory, offering variety, challenge, and the chance to make a tangible difference in the lives of animals and the veterinarians who care for them.

About you

To be successful in this role: You're a dedicated and detail-oriented pathologist who enjoys solving complex diagnostic puzzles and supporting clients with clear, evidence-based insights. You'll also bring:

- A veterinary degree eligible for registration with the Veterinary Council of New Zealand (VCNZ).
- Experience in diagnostic veterinary pathology (anatomical focus preferred).
- Board certification (ACVP, ECVP, or ANZCVS Fellowship) — or eligibility and progress toward this.
- Strong communication skills and a collaborative, team-focused mindset.
- A commitment to continuous learning and maintaining high-quality standards.

What we offer

At VetPath NZ, we believe great science happens in a great environment. You'll enjoy:

- A competitive salary and relocation support (if required).
- Ongoing professional development, including support for conference attendance and board certification.
- A friendly, collegial workplace where your expertise and ideas are valued.
- The chance to work in a growing, innovative lab that values independence, flexibility, and scientific excellence.

If you're passionate about diagnostic pathology and want to be part of a forward-thinking, supportive, and proudly Kiwi team - we'd love to hear from you.

Apply now or get in touch confidentially to learn more.

Applications will be reviewed as they are received.

Job Listing: <https://www.seek.co.nz/job/88145488?ref=hirer-jobs-list>

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