

Table 4997 (2026). How many radiographers and clinical staff are currently employed in breast screening services, and how many vacancies are there, if any, in each Te Whatu Ora district?

Lead Provider	Role	Current (FTE)	Vacancies (FTE)
BreastScreen Waitemata and Northland – covers Waitemata and Northland districts	Medical Imaging Technologist	16.7	0.2
	Other clinical staff	10.44	1.51
BreastScreen Auckland Central – covers Auckland Central District	Medical Imaging Technologist	7.58	0.4
	Other clinical staff	3.6	0
BreastScreen Counties Manukau – covers Counties Manukau district	Medical Imaging Technologist	11.3	0.2
	Other clinical staff	4.63	1.18
BreastScreen Midland - covers districts of Waikato, Lakes, and Bay of Plenty	Medical Imaging Technologist	12.5	1.3
	Other clinical staff	4.1	1.9
BreastScreen Coast to Coast – covers MidCentral, Hawke's Bay, Whanganui, Taranaki and Tairāwhiti districts	Medical Imaging Technologist	8.9	1.5
	Other clinical staff	6.8	2.3
BreastScreen Central – covers Capital & Coast, Hutt and Wairarapa districts	Medical Imaging Technologist	12.8	0.44
	Other clinical staff	10	0.73
BreastScreen South - covers districts of Canterbury, South Canterbury, West Coast and Nelson Marlborough	Medical Imaging Technologist	13.9	0
	Other clinical staff	1.38	0
BreastScreen Otago Southland - covers Southern district	Medical Imaging Technologist	9	0
	Other clinical staff	4.45	1

Notes:

- Data extracted 18 February 2026.
- Headcount does not include pathology, medical physicists and surgeon roles which are fee-for-service.
- Current FTE and vacancies exclude privately sub-contracted imaging providers in Bay of Plenty, Lakes, Taranaki, Tairāwhiti, and Hawke's Bay.
- FTE does not include any contractors or casual staff (radiologists, breast care nurses, surgeons, pathologists, MITs etc).
- The breakdown above has been provided by BreastScreen Aotearoa Lead Provider rather than district as providers and their clinical staff work across districts. BreastScreen Aotearoa use Medical Imaging Technologists; this profession is sometimes referred to as Radiographers.