Appendix One: Positions vacant by FTE and percentage, by prison, as at 31 January 2026.

Table notes:

- Corrections Officers also includes Senior Corrections Officers and Principal Corrections Officers.
- Not every unfilled role will be advertised. At any one time, a proportion of vacant roles will remain unfilled because it has been determined that relevant staffing requirements are already met.
- All data in these tables shows Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) vacancies.
- For reporting purposes, this data does not include prison management roles.
- To support planned capacity increases, Corrections requires additional custodial staff, case managers, nursing and health professionals and other skilled staff which has resulted in an increase in establishment of FTE positions. Further Corrections Officers are expected to be recruited over the next six months, to address current vacancies, expected turnover and increased capacity.

Prison/Position	Establishment	FTE	Vacancies	Vacancy %
Arohata Prison				
Case Manager	6	8	-2	0%
Corrections Officer	109	107	2	2%
Instructor	8	8	0	0%
Nurse	7	9	-2	0%
Auckland Prison				
Case Manager	23	22	1	4%
Corrections Officer	378	370	8	2%
Instructor	26	27	-1	0%
Nurse	20.4	24	-3.6	0%
Auckland Region Women's Corrections Facility				
Case Manager	20	17	3	15%
Corrections Officer	319	278	41	13%
Instructor	28	22	6	21%
Nurse	24	19	5	21%
Christchurch Men's Prison				
Case Manager	30	27	3	10%

Prison/Position	Establishment	FTE	Vacancies	Vacancy %
Corrections Officer	430	421	9	2%
Instructor	41	36	5	12%
Nurse	23.2	25	-1.8	0%
Christchurch Women's Prison				
Case Manager	7	9	-2	0%
Corrections Officer	129	124	5	4%
Instructor	8	11	-3	0%
Nurse	8.5	8	0.5	6%
Hawke's Bay Regional Prison				
Case Manager	26	26	0	0%
Corrections Officer	368	305	63	17%
Instructor	21.6	24	-2.4	0%
Nurse	21.5	19	2.5	12%
Invercargill Prison				
Case Manager	7	7	0	0%
Corrections Officer	95	87	8	8%
Instructor	8	7	1	13%
Nurse	6	7	-1	0%
Manawatu Prison				
Case Manager	11	11	0	0%
Corrections Officer	149	140	9	6%
Instructor	7	8	-1	0%
Nurse	7.6	8	-0.4	0%
Mt Eden Corrections Facility				
Case Manager	32	27	5	16%
Corrections Officer	503	498	5	1%
Instructor	16	16	0	0%
Nurse	38.7	37	1.7	4%
Northland Region Corrections Facility				
Case Manager	21	20	1	5%
Corrections Officer	270	270	0	0%
Instructor	23	19	4	17%

Prison/Position	Establishment	FTE	Vacancies	Vacancy %
Nurse	16.3	16	0.3	2%
Otago Corrections Facility				
Case Manager	19	17	2	11%
Corrections Officer	262	249	13	5%
Instructor	19	18	1	5%
Nurse	16.9	14	2.9	17%
Rimutaka Prison				
Case Manager	42	35	7	17%
Corrections Officer	562	523	39	7%
Instructor	31	30	1	3%
Nurse	47.1	40	7.1	15%
Rolleston Prison				
Case Manager	17	18	-1	0%
Corrections Officer	166	161	5	3%
Instructor	14	12	2	14%
Nurse	11.7	8	3.7	32%
Spring Hill Corrections Facility				
Case Manager	29	23	6	21%
Corrections Officer	377	341	36	10%
Instructor	19	19	0	0%
Nurse	29	31	-2	0%
Tongariro Prison				
Case Manager	16	18	-2	0%
Corrections Officer	159	151	8	5%
Instructor	21	24	-3	0%
Nurse	9.7	11	-1.3	0%
Waikeria Prison				
Case Manager	29	31	-2	0%
Corrections Officer	462	455	7	2%
Instructor	54	47	7	13%
Nurse	89.6	81	8.6	19%
Whanganui Prison				

Prison/Position	Establishment	FTE	Vacancies	Vacancy %
Case Manager	20	20	0	0%
Corrections Officer	253	244	9	4%
Instructor	22	21	1	5%
Nurse	18.7	18	0.7	4%