

## TRAVEL MEDICINE SPECIALISTS

### **DR JENNY VISSER**

Dr Jenny Visser has worked in Travel Medicine for over 20 years. Her love of Travel Medicine comes from a love of travel. She has travelled widely including extended backpacking, cycle touring and trekking in the Himalayas and Andes. She has provided medical support on a number of expeditions including to Kilimanjaro, a film set in Bougainville, a high-altitude rescue post in Nepal and 8 voyages to Antarctica. She has experiencing first-hand the benefits of thorough pre-travel medical preparation and witnessed the effects of poor preparation. As well as working in clinical Travel Medicine she is the academic lead for the University of Otago's postgraduate qualifications in Travel Medicine. She brings a wealth of practical Travel Medicine experience to our new venture, the Wellington Travel Clinic and looks forward to working with Wellington Primary Health Care professionals to serve the needs of those travelling overseas.



### **DR JOANNA JOSEPH**

Dr Joanna Joseph is a former GP who retrained in Travel Medicine, completing the Diploma of Postgraduate Travel Medicine through Otago University in 2016. She worked at The Travel Doctor Wellington for three years, until it was forced to close because of the Covid 19 pandemic. She also works in Clinical Research, does locum shifts at WAMC and serves on the WAMC board. Jo travelled extensively around the world prior to and since settling in New Zealand, until Covid clipped her wings, and loves sharing the excitement of travellers as they prepare for their trips, whether this be a first adventure, a long-awaited dream journey, or a much needed escape.

