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Fig. 1 for Question 2



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Fig. 2 for Question 3

Established in 1990 by the New Zealand Tourist Publicity Board (now Tourism New Zealand), there are now 500 i-SITE staff in over 80 Visitor Centres around New Zealand. Each year, these Centres welcome over 1 million international visitors and collectively assist with 7.8 million visitor enquiries.

Working with your i-SITE

i-SITE Visitor Centres are an important part of the distribution channel for tourism providers. Make contact with your local i-SITE Centre and talk to them about displaying your brochure and adding your details to their national booking database.

Here are a few tips on working with your local i-SITE Centre:

- Get to know your local i-SITE team. Arrange a meeting with each Centre manager in your region – introduce your product and find out how you can work together.
- If possible, offer i-SITE staff the opportunity to visit and experience your product for themselves.
- Make regular visits in person to drop off brochures, update staff on your products and introduce yourself to new staff members.
- Be clear about your pricing structure and keep your i-SITE updated if it changes. Don't forget to agree a commission rate for any bookings i-SITE Centres make on your behalf (generally around 10%). You will need to allow for this in your pricing.
- Make sure you are contactable! It seems obvious, but make sure you have a cellphone and/or voicemail in case your i-SITE needs to get hold of you with regard to a booking enquiry. If you are reliable, easy to contact and willing to take customers at short notice, you are more likely to get bookings.
- Let i-SITE staff know the type of person that is best-suited to your product so they know who it will appeal to.
- If you are an accommodation provider, keep in contact with your local i-SITE about room availability, especially over busy months and when there are events on in your region.
- Keep your local i-SITE updated on your operating hours or if your business is going to be closed for some reason.
- Find out if there are any other advertising opportunities available to you through your i-SITE. Your local i-SITE Centre or Regional Tourism Organisation (RTO) may have a website you can list on for free.

Fig. 2

Fig. 3 for Question 4



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