

KAIPARA ULTRASOUND

Post dates policy:

Date policy created	29/01/22
Purpose of policy	To make patients, referrers and staff aware of Kaipara Ultrasound's stance on performing an ultrasound on a woman past her due date.
Due date definition	40 weeks (280 days) after first day of last menstrual period (LMP) OR If a dating scan was performed, this is the date we will use to calculate due date.
Policy	At Kaipara Ultrasound, we will be happy to scan most singleton (one baby) pregnancies up to 41 weeks and 6 days gestation. After this time, it is best your scans are performed in a hospital setting (ie through the DHB) as you are more likely to require engagement with the obstetric team at the hospital.