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**Response to a request for official information**



Thank you for your request for official information received 9 April 2019 by Nelson Marlborough Health (NMH)<sup>1</sup>, where you seek the following information:

*Please provide information about what cases were transferred to your hospital/s from Christchurch as a result of the impact of the mosque terror attacks on March 15. Without breaching personal privacy, please include;*

- *the general nature of the patient injuries you received and treated*
- *the age and sex of the patient/s*
- *their date of arrival and length of stay.*

Response

NMH did not receive any direct transfers out of Canterbury DHB, nor any of those injured at the Mosques on 15 March 2019.

This response has been provided under the Official Information Act 1982. You have the right to seek an investigation by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or free phone 0800 802 602.

If you have any questions about this decision please feel free to email our OIA Coordinator [OIArequest@nmdhb.govt.nz](mailto:OIArequest@nmdhb.govt.nz)

Please note that this letter (with your personal information removed), or an edited version of this letter, may be published on the Nelson Marlborough Health website.

Yours sincerely



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**Chief Executive**

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