

14 June 2022

Via Email: [REDACTED]

Response to a request for official information

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for official information received 13 May 2022 by Nelson Marlborough Health (NMH)¹, followed by the necessary extension of time 13 June 2022, where you seek the following information:

1. "Data about MRT staffing levels. We require the budgeted and the current FTE figures for each DHB site, for the following years:

- a. The financial year ended 30 June 2020.**
- b. The financial year ended 30 June 2021.**
- c. The year to date, ending 14 April 2022.**

These figures need to be separated into the budgeted and current FTE figures for each site AND for each of the years requested."

2. "Figures for the total number of examinations (i.e. examinations, not patient numbers) performed for the following years:

- a. The financial year ended 30 June 2020.**
- b. The financial year ended 30 June 2021.**
- c. The year to date, ending 14 April 2022.**

These need to be separated into the number of examinations in CT, MRI, Nuclear Medicine, Angiography, Theatre, Emergency, General and Mammography for your DHB for each year."

3. "Wait list times for the following years:

- a. The financial year ended 30 June 2020.**
- b. The financial year ended 30 June 2021.**
- c. The year to date, ending 14 April 2022."**

4. "Current Radiology Services and Hours of Work."

NMH Response:

Please see the attached spreadsheet with information recorded by site, with separate sheets for Nelson Hospital and Wairau Hospital (Blenheim).

¹ Nelson Marlborough District Health Board

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 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

I trust that this information meets your requirements. NMH, like other agencies across the state sector, supports the open disclosure of information to assist the public's understanding of how we are delivering publicly-funded healthcare. This includes the proactive publication of anonymised Official Information Act responses on our website from 10 working days after they have been released. If you feel that there are good reasons why your response should not be made publicly available, we will be happy to consider.

Yours sincerely



Lexie O'Shea
Chief Executive

ATTACHMENT: NMH – OIA Spreadsheet April 2022, by site: Nelson Hospital and Wairau Hospital

Name of DHB	NMDHB		
Name of Hospital Site	Wairau		
	TOTAL NUMBER OF EXAMINATIONS COMPLETED Year ended 30 June 2020	TOTAL NUMBER OF EXAMINATIONS COMPLETED Year ended 30 June 2021	TOTAL NUMBER OF EXAMINATIONS COMPLETED Year to date, ending 14 April 2022
MRI	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nuclear Medicine	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mammography	1270	1186	1031
CT	5101	6234	4798
Angiography	N/A	N/A	N/A
Angiography - Cardiology	N/A	N/A	N/A
Fluoroscopy	N/A	N/A	N/A
Theatre	319	479	355
Emergency - General	4044	4641	4316
General -Other	8722	10232	6808
TOTALS	19456	22772	17308
Comment	No fluoroscopy, Nuclear Medicine or cath lab in Wairau. **MRI examinations outsourced to PRG. Not performed by Wairau MITs		
Form completed by	Phil Gibbs/Jenny Taylor/Philip Thomas		

Note: Do not include outsourced procedures

Copy worksheet for any additional sites