

2 December 2021

Chuck Schooner

By email: fyi-request-17342-bdc21949@requests.fyi.org.nz
Ref: H202116784

Tēnā koe Chuck

Transfer of your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to the Ministry of Health (the Ministry) on 29 November 2021 for:

- “When did MIS-C get added to the Starship website? It wasn't on the website when I submitted the initial request.*
- Under whose instruction did it happen? Please provide all information, briefings, data, names involved in and the evidence that shows MIS-C is caused by Covid-19?*
 - I specifically want to know who was involved in adding this to the website when it previously wasn't there when I made the initial request.*
 - What papers do you have to support this?*
 - Please also supply the information as per my previous request?”*

The Ministry does not hold any information relating to your request; however, I have been advised that this information is held by the Auckland District Health Board (ADHB). For this reason, I have decided to transfer your request to ADHB under section 14(b)(i) of the Act. You can expect a response from ADHB in due course.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



Jan Torres
Acting Manager, OIA Services
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Copy of OIA request

From: Chuck Schooner <fyi-request-17342-bdc21949@requests.fyi.org.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 25 November 2021 4:34 pm
To: OIA Requests <oiagr@health.govt.nz>
Subject: Re: Acknowledgement of your request for official information (ref: H202114968)

Dear OIA Requests,

Please provide this information immediately.

Can you also please state as I forecast

- When did MIS-C get added to the Starship website? It wasn't on the website when I submitted the initial request.
- Under whose instruction did it happen? Please provide all information, briefings, data, names involved in and the evidence that shows MIS-C is caused by Covid-19?
- I specifically want to know who was involved in adding this to the website when it previously wasn't there when I made the initial request.
- What papers do you have to support this?
- Please also supply the information as per my previous request?

Yours sincerely,

Chuck Schooner