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Te Whatu Ora
Health New Zealand

Jaime Thatcher

Via email: fyi-request-20360-70da089f@requests.fyi.org.nz

Ref: OIA Y22-778

Dear Jaime

In response to your Official Information Act 1982 requesting:

The dollar amount allocated for inpatient meals/food at Palmerston North Hospital. This could be a daily, or per meal budget. We advise as follows:

Health New Zealand Te Pae Hauora o Ruahine o Tararua | MidCentral (previously MidCentral District Health Board) has a per meal budget of \$11.30 at Palmerston North Hospital.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to raise any concerns regarding our response with the Ombudsman – www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, or an edited version, may be published on the MidCentral website ten working days after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely,



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