



28 March 2023

By email: fyi-request-21217-dc51a7bd@requests.fyi.org.nz

Kia ora Rayner

I refer to your request for information dated 25 November 2022 made under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). You have requested information in relation to entry to the 2023 Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MB ChB) and Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) programmes at the University of Otago via the Health Sciences First Year (HSFY) category.

Further to our email of 22 December 2022, please see below our response to the remaining parts of your request.

The 7-paper average minimum and median percentage for both courses for students who got offers (first and waitlisted) via the General pathway of HSFY (not including sub-categories).

MB ChB:

Please see the below table which shows the following information for the 2023 MB ChB programme via the HSFY General category:

- the minimum and median first-round average academic score cut-offs; and
- the minimum and median average academic scores to receive an offer from the waitlist.

	First-round average academic score cut-off	Average academic score to receive an offer from the waitlist
Minimum	93.86	88.86
Median	95.57	91.86

BDS:

Please see the below table which shows the following information for the 2023 BDS programme via the HSFY General category:

- the minimum and median first-round average academic score cut-offs; and
- the minimum and median average academic scores to receive an offer from the waitlist.

	First-round average academic score cut-off	Average academic score to receive an offer from the waitlist
Minimum	93.71	80.14
Median	95.43	89.86

I trust that this information will be helpful.

Ngā mihi

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "JK Shaw". The letters are cursive and connected.

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