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Tēnā koe Michaela,

Your request for official information, reference: HN200021097

Thank you for your email of 13 June 2023 asking for the following which has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

"I would like to request the number of applications for registrar radiology training positions, successful applicant numbers and those figures separated by regions in NZ and years (last 10 years).

Please also provide information on the postgraduate year of those applicants for the last 10 years."

Te Whatu Ora does not hold any information regarding the number of individuals who applied for radiology training positions, only the number who are in training. Therefore, we are refusing your request under section 18(g) of the Act, as the information you have requested is not held by Te Whatu Ora and we have no grounds to believe that the information is held by another agency subject to the Act.

You may be interested to know that information relating to the number of applicants who applied for radiology training is held by the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists (the College). While the College is not subject to the Act, you can find their contact details at: www.ranzcr.com/contact.

As alternative based on the data that Te Whatu Ora receives from the Medical Council, as of 31 Mar 2023, we have identified 135 doctors are being trained in **Diagnostic & Interventional Radiology**

This is the total number of trainees in all stages of training. The Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Radiologists has more detailed information.

Training scope	District name	Sum of headcount
Diagnostic & Interventional Radiology	Auckland	59
	Bay of Plenty	7
	Canterbury	28
	Capital and Coast	13
	Lakes	2
	MidCentral	2
	Southern	12

	Waikato	11
	Wairarapa	1
Total		135

How to get in contact

If you have any questions, you can contact us at hnzOIA@health.govt.nz.

If you are not happy with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman. Information about how to do this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phoning 0800 802 602.

As this information may be of interest to other members of the public, Te Whatu Ora may proactively release a copy of this response on our website. All requester data, including your name and contact details, will be removed prior to release.

Nāku iti noa, nā



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