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Re: Official Information Act Request – Costs and number of procedures outsourced

Kia ora Emma,

Thank you for your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982.

You asked:

- *I would like to request the following information for each of the DHBs in New Zealand, split by DHB.*
- *The total number of procedures outsourced by year (including the year to date) for the past five years.*
- *For each year, provide a breakdown of the type of procedure.
For each year, provide the total spend on outsourced elective surgeries.*
- *For each year, provide the amount that these surgeries would have cost the DHBs if they had not been outsourced.*

The Te Whatu Ora Tairāwhiti (previously named Hauora Tairāwhiti) response to your request is as follows:

1: We don't outsource surgeries and haven't done over the past 5 years.

Ngā mihi



Jim Green
District Director
Te Whatu Ora Tairāwhiti