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Tēnā koe P

Transfer of your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to Manatū Hauora (the Ministry of Health) on 17 January 2023. You requested:

“For children aged 0-9 years (inclusive) in NZ and for the period 1 January to 30 September 2022 (inclusive):


1) Please supply the number of Hospitalisations with a Covid Positive test result within the 28 days prior to, or during admission. Please supply numbers by vaccination status (unvaccinated, 1 dose, completed primary course, and boosted)

2) Please supply the number of Hospitalisations where Covid-19 was the cause or contributing cause. Please supply numbers by vaccination status. Please also supply the same information as above separately for the period 1 January to 31 December 2022. For clarity, 1) above refers to the original classification of Covid-19 hospitalisation prior to July 2022, and 2) refers to the current classification. Please do not break down by month but give data for the whole period.”

The information requested is held by Te Whatu Ora – Health New Zealand. For this reason, I have decided to transfer your request to Te Whatu Ora under section 14(b)(i) of the Act. You can expect a response from Te Whatu Ora 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, na



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COPY OF OIA REQUEST

Dear Ministry of Health,

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Yours faithfully,

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