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Dear Sharon

Official Information Act Request – NASC manual and HCSS

Under section 14 of the Official Information Act, the Whanganui District Health Board (WDHB) received a partial transfer of your request from the Ministry of Health on 18 March 2020.

At the time AccessAbility requested an extension of timeframe for the data requested as their staff were working on work related to the COVID-19 lockdown.

On 5 May I received a response from AccessAbility regarding question 4, Please see their response below.

4. The number of over 65's receiving long term HCSS in each region (please record personal care and household management separately)

Personal Cares	Count by Total Hours	Number of Patients
	1 – 10 hours	387
	11 – 20 hours	136
	21 – 30 hours	10
	31 – 40 hours	5
	Grand total	538
Home Management	1 – 10 hours	300
	Grand total	300

Should you have any further queries about the above information, please contact our OIA co-ordinator Anne Phoenix at anne.phoenix@wdhb.org.nz

Yours sincerely

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