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Tēnā koe Damian

Official Information Request- OIA 14112 Transfer H202117887 Myocarditis Diagnosis Following COVID-19 Hospitalisation

The Whanganui District Health Board (WDHB) has received the transfer of your request from the Ministry of Health on 25 January 2022 under Section 14 of the OIA. You requested the following information:

Information regarding numbers of people admitted to hospital due to COVID-19 as the primary illness, that later had a diagnosis of Myocarditis, caused by the virus.

The Whanganui District Health Board response:

Information regarding numbers of people admitted to hospital due to COVID-19 as the primary illness, that later had a diagnosis of Myocarditis, caused by the virus.

Whanganui DHB has had no admissions to hospital due to COVID-19.

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.

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

Ngā mihi

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