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Official Information Act Request – OIA 14329 Earthquake Prone Buildings

On 19 May 2022, under section 12 of the Official Information Act, you requested the following information from Whanganui District Health Board (WDHB):

I'm seeking information under the Official Information Act on earthquake-prone buildings owned, occupied, rented, leased or in use by Whanganui DHB.

1. A count and list of all buildings owned, occupied, rented, leased or in use.
2. The count and list of buildings from question 1 that have had a seismic assessment since 1 July 2017.
3. The count and list of buildings from question 1 that have not had a seismic assessment since 1 July 2017.
4. The count and list of those from question 1 that are currently earthquake prone.
5. The count and list of those from question 4 that are between 20 percent and less than 34 percent of the New Building Standard (NBS).
6. The count and list of those from question 4 that are less than 20 percent of the New Building Standard (NBS).

Whanganui District Health Boards response:

Earthquake-prone buildings owned, occupied, rented, leased or in use by Whanganui DHB.

A count and list of all buildings owned, occupied, rented, leased or in use.	The count and list of buildings from question 1 that have had a seismic assessment since 1 July 2017.	The count and list of buildings from question 1 that have not had a seismic assessment since 1 July 2017.	The count and list of those from question 1 that are currently earthquake prone.	The count and list of those from question 4 that are between 20 percent and less than 34 percent of the New Building Standard (NBS).	The count and list of those from question 4 that are less than 20 percent of the New Building Standard (NBS).
Ward and Administration		✓			
Clinical Services		✓			
Acute Services		✓			
Theatre Services		✓			
Pharmacy/CPA		✓			

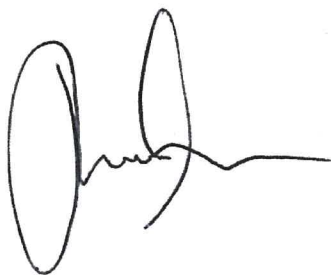
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Old Theatres		✓			
Old Surgical		✓			
Lambie		✓			
Te Whare Kakariki		✓			
Stanford		✓			
Te Awhina		✓			
Te Kopae		✓			
CAF		✓			
Old Laundry	✓		✓	✓	
Pump House	✓		✓	✓	
Pump House tunnel		✓			
Waimarino Health Center		✓			
Taihape		✓			
Rangitikei Health Center		✓			
<p>Most buildings were assessed prior to 2017 and met or exceed their seismic performance requirements. Of the buildings that are below the minimum rating, one has been approved for strengthening work which is due to commence soon. The other is currently being priced for the required strengthening.</p>					

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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Kaihautū Hauora – Chief Executive
Whanganui District Health Board