

27 September 2018

Dear [REDACTED]

Official information request

I refer to your official information request dated 24 August 2018 which was transferred to Wairarapa DHB on the 6 September 2018.

Request:

- 1) "What is the total number of dental and oral health therapists currently employed by the Capital Coast, Hutt Valley and Wairarapa DHBs? Please provide numbers for each DHB.
- 2) How many dental and oral health therapist roles are currently vacant in each DHB?
- 3) What is the projected number of dental and oral health therapists employed by Capital Coast, Hutt Valley and Wairarapa DHBs in 2019? Please provide numbers for each DHB."

Response:

The information you have requested is below.

1. There is a headcount of 7 with FTE of 6.55.
2. There are currently no vacant roles for dental/oral health therapists.
3. The projected number of dental/oral health therapists employed by Wairarapa DHB in 2019 will remain the same.

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If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact:

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Yours sincerely



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