

10 October 2018

Dear [REDACTED]

Official information request W18-253

I refer to your official information request dated 27 September 2018.

Request:

Schedule H pharmaceutical expenditure 2015/16 and 2017/18

Response:

The information you have requested is below.

The total Wairarapa DHB expenditure on items listed in Section H of the Pharmaceutical Schedule in the 2015/16 and 2017/18 financial years was as follows:

2015/16	\$971,796
2017/18	\$1,274,910

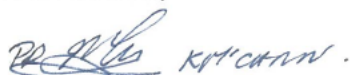
We note that these amounts are net of rebates and exclude PCTs and all other medicines for which reimbursement is claimed via the CPB, as well as items listed in the Addendum for Hospital Medical Devices.

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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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