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Ref: H201908162

Dear Ms Sison

## Transfer of request for official information to Taranaki District Health Board

Thank you for your request for official information, received on 16 September 2019 requesting:

"I would like to know how much it costs per bed per night at Taranaki Base Hospital-Mental Health ward? And if the information is available, how much does a community residential mental health bed cost per night?"

The Ministry of Health (the Ministry) does not hold the information you have requested. However, the Ministry has been advised that this information is more closely associated with the functions of Taranaki District Health Board.

As a result, I have decided to transfer your request to Taranaki District Health Board under section 14 of the Act.

You can expect a response to your request in due course.

You have the right, under section 28 of the Act to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to transfer your request for information.

Yours sincerely

Nick Allan

Manager OIA Services

Office of the Director-General