Corporate Services



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Dear Mr Andrews

YOUR OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT (1982) REQUEST HBDHB REF: 0IA2019131

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 16 October 2019 where you requested information from Hawke's Bay District Health Board (HBDHB). Your questions and HBDHB's response is provided below:

Please provide the total number of hospital beds from 2016 to 2019 at Hawke's Bay District Health Board (yearly count)

In response to your request HBDHB provides the following table below which shows the number of beds at Hawke's Bay Hospital, Hastings. These beds include acute medical and surgical, paediatric, maternity, rehabilitation, mental health beds.

Total beds including unresourced beds
405
405
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405

Note:

- Bed numbers for other Hawke's Bay DHB sites are: Wairoa 9 beds, and Central Hawke's Bay Health Centre, Waipukurau 6 beds.
- Figures provided indicate the number of beds available ie the count of physical bed capacity/bed spaces. The count includes beds, roller beds, roller beds, lazy-boys etc.
- The actual number of beds, resourced and open, varies daily.

I trust this information meets your needs. If you would like any further information or clarification please phone me. If you are not satisfied with this response you may contact the Office of the Ombudsman, phone 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the Hawke's Bay DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely

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