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**Dear Mohammed** 

## RE Official information request CDHB 10246 and WCDHB 9381

I refer to your email dated 1 January 2020 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB. We also received your request to West Coast DHB on 7 January 2020.

Based on the Official Information Act, Could you please provide me with the following:

- the total number of PGY 1 house officers positions advertised solely for NZREX graduates (2014 - 2020).

We do not advertise solely for NZREX graduates. We recruit all our PGY 1 House Officers through the national Advanced Choice of Employment [ACE] scheme. If a vacancy arises outside our usual ACE graduate intake, we would try and source the candidate from the ACE waiting list first before advertising externally for PGY 1 House Officers, which would be available for any eligible candidate [including NZREX].

- the total number of all hired medical doctors (2014 - 2020). Please break down the data by year (i.e., 2014 = XX, 2015 = XX).

DHB	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Canterbury	210	249	249	281	331	361
West Coast	16	11	10	11	17	19

Note we have excluded any General Practitioners the West Coast DHB hired during the above periods.

I trust that this satisfies your interest in this matter.

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

Yours sincerely

Carolyn Gullery **Executive Director** 

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