



Health and Disability Commissioner
Te Toihau Hauora, Hauātanga

30 April 2020

By email: fyi-request-12591-47ac84ff@requests.fyi.org.nz

Tēnā koe Miss Ashton

Re: Information Request
Our ref: C18HDC02176

Thank you for your email of 8 April 2020 requesting information about stem cell complaints received by the Health and Disability Commissioner.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 and the Privacy Act 1993. Please find **enclosed** the answer to your question.

1. How many complaints has the HDC has received about stem cell treatments or stem cell clinics?

A search of our database using "stem cell" as search term in all fields found 5 complaints.

You may seek a review of this decision from the Office of the Ombudsman.

Nāku iti noa, nā

Kathryn Hayman
Senior Legal Advisor