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Sacha van den Berg

Via email: fyi-request-13402-85d01657@requests.fyi.org.nz



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Dear Sacha

Official Information Act Request – OIA 13021 Number of PET CT scans

On 28 July 2020, under section 12 of the Official Information Act, you requested the following information from Whanganui District Health Board (WDHB):

May I please request the following information in regards to PET CT scanning: How many PET CT scans have been referred per year the past 3 years? How many PET CT scans have been referred this year so far? What percentage of the patients being referred are Maori? What is the average cost per PET CT scan referral?

Whanganui District Health Boards response:

May I please request the following information in regards to PET CT scanning:

How many PET CT scans have been referred per year the past 3 years? 204

How many PET CT scans have been referred this year so far?

What percentage of the patients being referred are Maori? 22%

What is the average cost per PET CT scan referral? \$2200

Should you have any further queries about the above information, please contact our OIA co-ordinator Anne Phoenix at anne.phoenix@wdhb.org.nz

Yours sincerely

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