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Tēnā koe Athina

Response to your request for official information

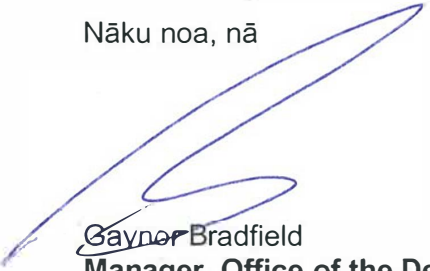
Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) on 8 August 2021 regarding sudden unexpected death in infancy (SUDI). You asked:

“According to data on <https://www.health.govt.nz/publication/fetal-and-infant-deaths-web-tool> where it is stated that there were 48 sudden unexpected death in infancy (SUDI) deaths in 2017. Please provide me with the ages that all the infants died at”

Please find information pertaining to your request outlined in Table 1: *Data for Sudden Unexpected Death in Infancy for 2017 – age at death by sex and ethnic group.*

I trust this information fulfils your request. Under section 28(3) of the Act you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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Table 1: Data for Sudden Unexpected Death in Infancy for 2017 – age at death by sex and ethnic group.

Age at death													
Months													
	<1	1-	2-	3-	4-	5-	6-	7-	8-	9-	10-	11-	Total
Maori													
Male	3	2	6	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	16
Female	1	3	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	10
TOTAL	4	5	8	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	26
Pacific peoples													
Male	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Female	0	2	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
TOTAL	1	2	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Asian													
Male	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Other ethnic groups (non-Maori, non-Pacific peoples, non-Asian)													
Male	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	7
Female	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
TOTAL	1	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	9
Total population													
Male	4	3	7	2	4	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	28
Female	2	5	5	1	2	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	20
TOTAL	6	8	12	3	6	8	2	1	0	2	0	0	48