



# MIDCENTRAL DISTRICT HEALTH BOARD

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Dear Ms Whitlock

## **OIA Pregnancy Parenting Information & Education Services**

MidCentral District Health Board is not currently delivering to the new Maternity Services – DHB funded Pregnancy and Parenting information and education tier 2 Service Specification.

MidCentral District Health Board has a Registration for Proposal (RFP) process currently underway for a new model of Pregnancy, Parenting Information & Education Services to align to the Ministry of Health's new service specification 1 July 2014.

The RFP process closes 30 October 2015 and the District Health Board is aiming to have a new service provider in place to commence 1 July 2016. The new service provider will commence full implementation of the new service specification alongside the new contract.

If you have any further questions please contact me on (06) 350 8837.

Yours sincerely

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To: OIA requests at MOH <EmailMOH@moh.govt.nz>,  
Date: 07/09/2015 04:23 p.m.  
Subject: Official Information Act request - Maternity Services - DHB Funded Pregnancy and Parenting Information and Education services

Dear Ministry of Health,

I am writing to request information as follows:

Which of the 20 DHBs; currently deliver services against the "Maternity Services - DHB funded Pregnancy and Parenting information and education Tier 2 Service Specification"

How long has the Pregnancy and Parenting information and education service been in place within those identified DHBs and what are the names of the providers who deliver those services?

I look forward to hearing from you in due course.

Nga mihi

Cinnamon Whitlock

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Dear Cinnamon Whitlock

Transfer of request for official information to All District Health Boards

**Thank you for your request for official information, received on 7 September 2015, requesting:**

*Which of the 20 DHBs; currently deliver services against the "Maternity Services - DHB funded Pregnancy and Parenting information and education Tier 2 Service Specification"*

*How long has the Pregnancy and Parenting information and education service been in place within those identified DHBs and what are the names of the providers who deliver those services?*

The Ministry does not hold the information you have requested. However, I believe that the information you have requested is more closely associated with the functions of the District Health Boards.

As a result, I have decided to transfer your request to all the District Health Boards under section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

You have the right, under section 28 of the Act, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to transfer your request for information.

Yours sincerely



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Government Relations

cc Chief Executives, All DHBs  
All District Health Boards

Encl Request for information from Cinnamon Whitlock