



# Nelson Marlborough District Health Board

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Dear Ms Whitlock

## **Request for official information**

Thank you for your request for official information, received on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2015 by the Nelson Marlborough District Health Board (NMDHB). In your request you seek the following information:

*"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?*

NMDHB advises that it has fully implemented the Pregnancy and Parenting Education level two specification. The programmes have been delivered both on the hospital site and in community settings in order to best meet the needs of our communities. The delivery across the district is offered using a combination of NMDHB staff as well as qualified contracted providers.

All education delivered has been according to the appropriate service specification. We utilise interpreter and translation services to support the programmes being delivered when this is necessary.

This response has been provided under the Official Information Act 1982. You have the right to seek a review, under S28(3) of the Act, by way of a complaint to the Ombudsman.

Yours sincerely

Chris Fleming  
**Chief Executive**