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Dear Mr Andrews

**Re: Official Information Act**

I am responding on behalf of Taranaki District Health Board (TDHB) to your OIA request of 8 February 2017, requesting the following information:

*Could you please provide the total number of hospital beds from 2006 to 2016 at Taranaki District Health Board. Yearly count will be great. Please note that the bed volume is the count of physical bed capacity (i.e. bed spaces). The count includes beds, roller beds, lazy-boys etc. The data does not include patient occupancy volumes.*

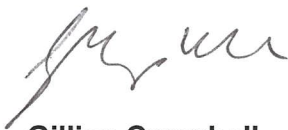
Please find the information as requested below:

Taranaki Base Hospital	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total Beds (physical capacity)	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	271	271	271	271

*Includes Emergency Dept, Neonatal Unit, Mental Health, Maternity, Day Stay*

I trust the above information answers your OIA request.

Yours sincerely



**Gillian Campbell**  
Chief Operating Officer