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RE Official Information Act request WCDHB 9274

I refer to the response dated 2 April 2019 provided to your email requesting the information below under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB. We have become aware that there was an error in the data provided in that response due to an incorrect data source being used. The table below provides the corrected data. Please accept our sincere apologies.

- Could you please advise how many people received bariatric surgery (gastric banding, laparoscopic sleeve gastrectomy and gastric bypass surgery) through the DHB and the age of the individual, each calendar year, from 2010 to 2018.

Bariatric surgery is provided through the South Island Bariatric Surgery Services programme for the South Island DHBs. **Table one** (below) shows the number of West Coast DHB residents who have received bariatric surgery through the programme by year and age group.

Table one:

Year	40-49	50-59	Total
2010	-	-	-
2011	-	-	-
2012	-	-	-
2013	1	-	1
2014	1	-	1
2015	-	-	-
2016	1	2	3
2017	2	3	5
2018	-	-	-
Total	5	5	10

I trust that this satisfies your interest in this matter.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the West Coast DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely

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