Telephone 03 769-7400 Fax 03 769-7791

2 April 2019



RE Official Information Act request WCDHB 9286

I refer to your email dated 8 February 2019 to Ministry of Health, which was subsequently partially transferred to us on 22 February 2019 and clarified by the Ministry of Health on 26 February 2019, requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB. Specifically:

- Current contract holders (providers) for each of the current DHB Home and Community Support Contracts.
- **Current contract values**
- Contract terms and projected expiry/re-tender dates
- Primary contact points within each funder for each contract.

West Coast DHB contracts with Access HomeHealth Ltd and Coasters – West Coast DHB for the provision of long term and short term home based support services.

The total value of these services for 2018/19 financial year is estimated at \$4,400,000.

The above figures includes Pay Equity funding, but excludes In Between Travel (IBT) as this is not currently contracted for by the West Coast DHB, but paid separately by the Ministry of Health.

All contracted agreements are reviewed at least annually to consider whether they are meeting the needs of both the DHB and the West Coast population. There is no specific date that these agreements will be considered due for tender or are expected to expire at this time.

West Coast DHB's primary contacts for these contracts are Andrea Davidson, Portfolio Manager and Mardi Postill Team Leader, Older Persons Health.

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

Carolyn Gullery **Executive Director**

Planning, Funding & Decision Support