21 May 2021



RE Official Information Act request WCDHB 9552

I refer to your email dated 21 April 2021 to the Ministry of Health which they subsequently partially transferred to us on 7 May 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB regarding HPV vaccine in schools. Specifically:

I wondered if I could request some information regarding the HPV vaccine in schools?

1. How many schools are part of the HPV immunisation programme in NZ

On the West Coast DHB region we have 22 of our 24 schools participating in the programme.

2. How many schools are not part of the HPV immunisation programme in NZ? Which ones?

We have two schools who are not participating in this programme. They are Gloriavale and 1 School Global (Brethren – formerly Westmont School).

I trust 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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