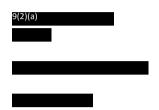
8 June 2021



RE Official Information Act request WCDHB 9560

I refer to your email dated 28 May 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB. Specifically:

- 1. The total number of annual leave days taken by (all) Senior Medical Officers (SMOs)in your employ in each of the following months for West Coast DHB.
 - a. December 2020 and b. January 2021

Of a total of 38 SMOs employed by the West Coast DHB during this time frame 22 SMOs took leave in addition to the Statutory Public Holidays.

Total number of annual leave days taken by (all) Senior Medical Officers (SMOs) employed at West Coast DHB.

Senior Medical Officer (SMO)	Annual Leave (8-hour day)	Lieu Day (8-hour day)	Long Service Leave (8-hour day)
December 2020	16.0	2.0	0.0
January 2021	130.7	2.0	0.0
Leave type totals	146.7	4.0	0.0

West Coast DHB grand total (8-hour days) = 150.7

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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