



# *West Coast District Health Board*

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### **RE Official Information Act request WCDHB 9578**

I refer to your email dated 8 July 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB regarding the \$6m per annum funding allocated to the District Health Boards for better access to contraception to be delivered within primary healthcare. Specifically:

**How this funding has been allocated and spent over the last 2 years by West Coast DHB – would it be possible to get:**

**1. A full breakdown of how much of the \$6 million the DHB receives,**

West Coast DHB received \$19,504.00 per annum for Contraception Services from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2021.

**2. How, where and to who they've been distributing it and**

The full amount has been distributed to the West Coast Primary Health Organisation (WCPHO) to enable them to provide contraception services that meet the service specification in the revenue agreement.

**3. Whether the funding has been used up or if it has been underspent?**

All funding is exhausted. The WCPHO over delivers on low cost contraception consultation targets.

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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