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RE Official Information Act request CDHB 10690

I refer to your email received dated 20 August 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB. Specifically:

- **All data on ICU admissions including age, ethnicity, reason for admission since March 2020 to present day please.**

Please refer to **Appendix 1, Table one** (attached).

I trust that this satisfies your interest in this matter.

You may, under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act, seek a review of our decision to withhold information by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz; or Freephone 0800 802 602.

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

Yours sincerely



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Appendix 1: Table one – Number of Admissions/Transfers to ICU March 2020 to August 2021

Reason for Admission	By Ethnicity & Age																	
	European			Maori			Pacific Peoples			Asian			Middle Eastern/Latin American/African			Other or Unknown Ethnicity		
	0-29	30-59	60+	0-29	30-59	60+	0-29	30-59	60+	0-29	30-59	60+	0-29	30-59	60+	0-29	30-59	60+
01 - Diseases and disorders of the nervous system	61	220	174	25	64	9	9	9	0	11	20	0	<5	6	0	0	35	<5
03 - Diseases and disorders of the ear, nose, mouth and throat	50	35	18	12	22	0	12	<5	0	7	6	0	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
04 - Diseases and disorders of the respiratory system	50	83	83	17	29	5	<5	9	0	9	12	6	0	0	0	0	<5	<5
05 - Diseases and disorders of the circulatory system	<5	279	601	<5	68	65	0	20	14	0	22	7	0	<5	<5	0	6	11
06 - Diseases and disorders of the digestive system	20	82	145	0	15	11	0	<5	0	<5	0	6	<5	0	0	0	8	<5
07 - Diseases and disorders of the hepatobiliary system and pancreas	<5	40	31	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	<5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
08 - Diseases and disorders of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	<5	46	55	<5	15	6	0	0	0	<5	<5	0	<5	<5	0	0	0	0
09 - Diseases and disorders of the skin, subcutaneous tissue and breast	0	21	0	0	5	0	<5	<5	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 - Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases and disorders	15	31	13	<5	20	5	0	<5	0	0	<5	<5	0	<5	0	0	0	0
11 - Diseases and disorders of the kidney and urinary tract	<5	30	25	<5	11	<5	0	<5	<5	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12 - Diseases and disorders of the male reproductive system	0	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 - Diseases and disorders of the female reproductive system	0	10	8	<5	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	<5	0
14 - Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	0	18	0	0	6	0	0	<5	0	0	6	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
15 - Newborn and other neonates	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 - Diseases and disorders of blood, blood-forming organs and immunological disorders	<5	<5	9	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17 - Neoplastic disorders (haematological and solid neoplasms)	<5	10	<5	0	<5	0	0	0	0	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18 - Infectious and parasitic diseases	6	75	101	0	13	6	<5	11	<5	<5	6	<5	0	0	0	0	<5	<5
19 - Mental diseases and disorders	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 - Alcohol/drug use and alcohol/drug-induced organic mental conditions	0	16	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21 - Injuries, poisoning and toxic effects of drugs	19	339	67	11	89	0	<5	<5	<5	0	13	<5	0	9	<5	0	15	<5
22 - Burns	0	9	0	<5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	0	0	0	0
23 - Factors influencing health status and other contacts with health services	0	11	5	0	<5	<5	0	0	<5	0	0	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	0
Not yet available	15	76	70	7	20	7	0	11	0	<5	<5	<5	0	0	0	0	<5	8
Surgery/Procedure	17	302	178	5	86	32	0	33	6	0	51	14	0	6	0	0	18	<5

Note: We have aggregated the age groups and are declining to provide patient numbers < 5 pursuant to section 9(2)(a) of the Official Information Act to protect their individual privacy.

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