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RE Official information Act request CDHB 10557

I refer to your email dated 10 March 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB regarding Christchurch Hospital nurses turnover. Specifically:

1. How many nurses have left their jobs at Christchurch Hospital in the past three months?

The number of nurses who have left the Canterbury DHB who worked on the Main Campus (defined as Christchurch Hospital, Christchurch Women's Hospital and Waipapa) 01 December 2020 to 28 February 2021 was as follows:

Headcount	57
FTE	39.1

2. How many were replaced?

The number of new starts on the Main Campus in the past three months (excluding NETP nurses (nursing graduates) was as follows:

Headcount	70
FTE	48.0

Note: Figures are not like for like replacements and will also include newly created positions.

3. How many have left the CDHB?

The number of nurses who have left the Canterbury DHB hospitals and facilities (01 December 2020 to 28 February 2021) was as follows:

Headcount	103
FTE	67.9 FTE

4. What has been the turnover rate over the last three months and how does it compare with previous years?

Please refer to **Table one** (below). **Please note:** The information in this table relates to all Canterbury DHB Hospitals and facilities.

Table one – How the turnover rate of last three months compares to previous years - 01 December to 28 February.

	2019/2020		2018/2019		2017/2018		2016/2017	
	Headcount	FTE	Headcount	FTE	Headcount	FTE	Headcount	FTE
TOTAL turnover	99	70.6	114	76.7	91	61.9	88	65.6

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 Canterbury DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely



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