

# Canterbury

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### RE Official information request CDHB 9888

We refer to your letter dated 4 July 2018 requesting the following information from Canterbury DHB regarding Radiology Examination Data under the Official Information Act.

1. **Data about MRT staffing levels. i.e. we require the budgeted and the current FTE figures for the financial year ended 30 June 2018**
2. **Figures for the total number of examinations (i.e. examinations, not patient numbers) performed during the year ended 30 June 2018 These need to be separated into the number of examinations in CT, MRI, Nuclear Medicine, Angiography, Theatre, Emergency, General and Mammography for your DHB for each year.**
3. **Current Radiology Services and Hours of Work.**
4. **Wait list times.**

Please find attached as **Appendix 1** the completed spreadsheet that you prepared and sent to us for providing you with the information as requested, in answer to the four questions above. **Note:** The waitlist has been provided separately as **Appendix 2**, excluding Angiography/Cardiology which has been provided on the spreadsheet.

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 Canterbury DHB website ten working days after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely



Carolyn Gullery  
**Executive Director**  
**Planning, Funding & Decision Support**

Appendix 1

<b>Name of DHB</b>	<b>Canterbury</b>
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	<b>Christchurch &amp; Burwood</b>
	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF EXAMINATIONS COMPLETED</b>
	<b>Year ended 30 June 2018</b>
<b>MRI</b>	10,483
<b>Nuclear Medicine</b>	3,861
<b>Mammography</b>	0
<b>CT</b>	39,761
<b>Angiography</b>	5,713
<b>Angiography - Cardiology</b>	2,733
<b>Fluoroscopy</b>	2,529
<b>Theatre</b>	
<b>Emergency - General</b>	45,280
<b>General -Other</b>	65,985
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>176,345</b>
<b>Budgeted FTE</b>	
<b>Actual FTE</b>	
<b>Comment</b>	see FTE sheet for FTE
<b>Form completed by</b>	██████████, Business Manager Radiology / ██████████ ██████████, Cardiology Diagnostic & Interventional Manager.

*Note: Do not include outsourced procedures*

<b>Name of DHB</b>	<b>Canterbury</b>	
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>	
30-Jun-18		
	<b>MRT Budgeted FTE</b>	<b>MRT Actual FTE</b>
<b>MRI</b>	12.3	12.3
<b>Nuc Medicine</b>	6	6
<b>CT</b>	12	12
<b>General</b>	62.664	62.164
<b>Cardiology (Cath Lab)</b>	4.7	4.575
<b>TOTAL</b>		

<b>Name of DHB</b>	<b>Canterbury</b>	
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	<b>Burwood</b>	
30-Jun-18		
	<b>MRT Budgeted FTE</b>	<b>MRT Actual FTE</b>
<b>MRI</b>	Rotational from CHC (3)	
<b>Nuc Medicine</b>	n/a	
<b>CT</b>	Rotational from CHC (2)	
<b>General</b>	7	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		

<b>Name of DHB</b>	<b>Canterbury</b>		
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	<b>Christchurch</b>		
<b>CURRENT SERVICES AND HOURS OF WORK AS AT 30 JUNE 2018</b>			
<b>Mondays to Fridays</b>			
<b>Modality</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>MRTs on Duty / Shift</b>	<b>On-call</b>
CT	Christchurch	24hrs	
MRI	Christchurch	7.00 - 22.30	22.30 - 7.00
Interventional	Christchurch	8.00 -18.00	18.00 - 8.00
Ultrasound	Christchurch	8.00 -16.30	16.30 -8.00
Gen Xray	Christchurch	24hrs	
Fluoroscopy	Christchurch	24hrs	
Nuclear Med	Christchurch	8.00 -16.30	-
Cardiology (Cath Lab)	Christchurch	8.00-18.00	16.00-08.30

<b>Weekends and Public Holidays</b>			
<b>Modality</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>MRTs on Duty / Shift</b>	<b>On-call</b>
Gen Xray	Christchurch	24hrs	
MRI	Christchurch	-	24hrs
CT	Christchurch	24hrs	
Interventional	Christchurch	-	24hrs
Ultrasound	Christchurch	-	24hrs
Fluoroscopy	Christchurch	24hrs	
Cardiology (Cath Lab)	Christchurch		24hrs

<b>Name of DHB</b>	<b>Canterbury</b>		
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	<b>Burwood</b>		
<b>CURRENT SERVICES AND HOURS OF WORK AS AT 30 JUNE 2018</b>			
<b>Mondays to Fridays</b>			
<b>Modality</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>MRTs on Duty / Shift</b>	<b>On-call</b>
CT	Burwood	0730 - 1700	1700 - 0730
General X-ray	Burwood	0800 - 1800	1800 - 0800
MRI Scanner	Burwood	0730 - 1700	1700 - 0730
Ultrasound	Burwood	0800 - 1630	1630 - 0800
Fluoroscopy	Burwood	0800 - 1800	1800 - 0800
Bone Density	Burwood	0800 - 1630	-

<b>Weekends and Public Holidays</b>			
<b>Modality</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>MRTs on Duty / Shift</b>	<b>On-call</b>
General X-ray	Burwood	-	24hrs
MRI Scanner	Burwood	-	24hrs
Ultrasound	Burwood	-	24hrs
CT Scanner	Burwood	-	24hrs
Fluoroscopy	Burwood	-	24hrs

**For Wait times please see Waiting List Report (attached overleaf) except for Angiography/Cardiology (below)**

<b>Name of DHB</b>	Canterbury DHB			
<b>Name of Hospital Site</b>	Christchurch Hospital			
<b>Average Patient Wait Times by Urgency as at June 2018 (in days)</b>				
<b>Exam Dept</b>	<b>Urgent</b>	<b>High Suspicion of Cancer</b>	<b>Semi-urgent</b>	<b>Non-urgent (Routine)</b>
MRI	<i>Choose weeks or days as the measure</i>			
Nuclear Medicine				
Mammography				
CT				
Angiography/Cardiology (Excluding Waitlist status as Active Review and not reported.)	17.2	Nil	33	29.4
Fluoroscopy				
Theatre				
Emergency - General				
General - Other				
<b>Form completed by</b>				

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As at 06 Jul	Median wait time for scan (patients)				Patients waiting by triage category (median wait)				
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	2 Days	2 Weeks	4 Weeks	Target	2 Days	2 Weeks	4 Weeks	NOT TRIAGED	Total Patients Overdue
Biopsy General		2(13)	6.2(10)			5 (1.6)	20 (2.6)	10 (0.5)	9(0)
CT	0.3(13)	2.1(165)	20.4(267)	9.4(233)	1 (1)	10 (0.5)	649 (7.5)	5 (0.3)	483(0)
CT Colon							20 (3.3)		8(0)
CT GA			3.2(1)				2 (9.6)		2(0)
DSA	0.4(2)	1.7(14)	3.4(13)	5.4(28)		3 (1.2)	32 (4.2)	14 (0.6)	23(0)
X-Ray	0.1(6)	2.1(15)	4(30)	5.7(212)	2 (5)	6 (1.8)	32 (2.5)	53 (3.3)	52(0)
MR GA			1.1(1)	13.4(3)		1 (2.2)			1(0)
MRI General	0.4(3)	2.2(52)	20(116)	19.7(146)	1 (8)	1 (0.3)	919 (8.3)	1 (0.2)	686(0)
Biopsy MSK		2.1(13)	12.3(11)	6.2(2)		1 (0.6)	116 (9.4)	1 (0.5)	96(0)
Screening Paediatric	0(0)	0(0)	3.8(8)						
Screening Adult		2(3)	8.4(20)	10.3(1)		4 (2)	58 (6)	2 (1)	38(0)
US Eyes									
US General	0.5(3)	2(31)	15(111)	6.8(187)		4 (0.2)	279 (5.3)	14 (0.2)	168(0)
US Hips									
US MSK							72 (9.6)	1 (0.2)	54(0)
US Paediatric							23 (9.3)		23(0)
US Pelvis	0.1(2)	2.1(10)	22.1(11)	7.4(49)			212 (11.3)	4 (0.2)	162(0)
US Pregnancy				2.6(275)				1 (0.2)	
US Vascular	0.5(2)	1.1(2)	17.1(3)	21(45)			81 (5.3)	2 (1)	160(0)

ASH Xray			0.1(6)	1.4(12)				4 (1.8)	
ASH US General		3.1(4)	3.1(4)	9.3(14)			4 (5.1)	1 (0.2)	2(0)
ASH US Pregnancy									
ASH US MSK									
ASH CT		2(7)	3.2(18)	4.5(15)		2 (0.5)	22 (8.3)	1 (0.5)	16(0)