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RE Official information request CDHB 10032

I refer to your email dated 31 January 2019, requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB regarding DHB Parking. Specifically:

I request the following information for each of the 2015/16, 2016/17, and 2017/18 financial years:

- 1. The total revenue from patients and visitors paying to park their vehicles in any DHB parking space.**

The Canterbury DHB had no paid patient or visitor parking in 2015/16, 2016/17 or 2017/18

- 2. Are any parking spaces provided to employees? If so, what is the total economic value of the parks?**

Yes there are parking spaces provided to Canterbury DHB employees. Some car parks are DHB owned. Others are leased from third parties and subject to a rent charge. Canterbury DHB in turn charges employees for parking as specified in responses to Question 3 and Question 8.

- 3. The total revenue collected from employee parking spaces.**

There are 961 staff parking spaces located within close proximity to Christchurch Hospital from which revenue was:

\$830,524 in 2017/18
\$782,744 in 2016/17 and
\$778,620 in 2015/16 financial years.

Burwood, Hillmorton, Princess Margaret Hospitals, Ashburton Hospital and the Rural Hospitals have extensive free parking (staff and public)

- 4. The total number of DHB parking spaces.**

There are In excess of 2000 parking spaces over ALL the Canterbury DHB sites

5. The total revenue generated from fines and infringement fees as a result of staff, patients, and visitors parking their vehicles improperly.

Canterbury DHB does not issue fines or infringements, therefore there was no revenue generated.

6. The total number of fines and infringement notices issued. Please also disclose the number of fines and infringement notices that were waived.

Refer to response to Question 5. Canterbury DHB does not issue fines or infringement notices. Employees' vehicles are identified on a parking register and parking permits are displayed on or in the vehicle.

7. The total cost of the DHBs parking enforcement system. Please ensure to include any payments or wages made to contractors or staff to patrol the DHB parking spaces.

There are no external enforcement costs. Canterbury DHB security staff can be utilised to monitor the staff car parks.

8. The current hourly charge for a user to park a vehicle in any DHB parking space. If parking is charged at a time interval other than hourly, please disclose the relevant interval(s) and charge(s).

Canterbury DHB Staff pay \$26.52 per week for 24/7 parking.

9. A list of any parking concession charges or exemptions available to patients or visitors.

Refer to response to Question 1. The Canterbury DHB has no paid patient or visitor parking.

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 after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely



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