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Official Information Act request ChChD (Canterbury District) 10916 & WCD (West Coast District) 9715

I refer to your email dated 17 June 2022 to the Ministry of Health which they subsequently transferred to us on 29 June 2022 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Waitaha Canterbury / Te Tai o Poutini West Coast. Specifically:

- 1. The number of front-line medical staff including nurses, doctors and all hospital staff that the Ministry has in circulation who are currently working and knowingly have Covid-19 by the Ministry.**
 - a. I would like this data for the months of Jan, Feb, March, April, May 2022.**

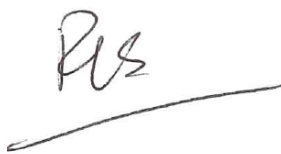
We are not aware of any Waitaha Canterbury or Te Tai o Poutini West Coast staff who are Covid-19 positive and physically working onsite.

Some staff may feel well enough to work from home during their isolation period with Covid however, this is a decision between them and their manager and is not compulsory.

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 Waitaha Canterbury / Te Tai o Poutini West Coast websites after your receipt of this response.

Ngā mihi / Yours sincerely,



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