

## **DHB Board Office**

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Dear

Re: OIA request - Staff accessing pornography on work computers

Thank you for your Official Information Act request received 26 October 2018 seeking the following of Waitemata District Health Board (DHB):

- 1) Have any staff at the DHB been caught viewing pornography on work computers in the past five years? If so, how many?
- 2) How were they caught? For example, images were discovered on a computer, on a printer, on a server, etc?
- 3) What type of job did the person do? For example, doctor, nurse, manager etc if manager please specify department or management level.
- 4) Please also state if the person was male or female.
- 5) Were the employees investigated? If so what action was taken? If not, why not?
- 6) If staff were suspended were they suspended on full pay?
- 7) How many complaints have been made in the past five years about pornography being viewed, accessed, downloaded, streamed, printed or stored on DHB computers/phones/laptops/tablets/servers? If so how many and when?
- 8) What action was taken over those complaints?
- 9) Have any staff been prosecuted criminally in the past five years for viewing, accessing, downloading, streaming, storing, or printing pornography at work? If so how many and what was the outcome?
- 10) Have any staff taken a personal grievance over action involving discipline for viewing, accessing, downloading, streaming, storing or printing pornography at work? If so, when, how many and what was the outcome?

In response, I can advise that we are not aware of any staff accessing pornography on work computers.

I trust that this information meets your requirements. Waitemata DHB, like other agencies across the state sector, supports the open disclosure of information to assist the public's understanding of how we are delivering publicly-funded healthcare.

This includes the proactive publication of anonymised Official Information Act responses on our website from 10 working days after they have been released.

If you feel that there are good reasons why your response should not be made publicly available, we will be happy to consider this.

Yours sincerely

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