

Hospital Services

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Dear

Re: OIA request - Tenders for pathology services

Thank you for your Official Information Act request received 22 March 2021 seeking information from Waitematā District Health Board (DHB) about tenders for pathology services.

Before responding to your specific questions, it may be useful to provide some context about our services.

Waitematā is the largest and one of the most rapidly growing DHBs in the country, serving a population of around 650,000 across the North Shore, Waitakere and Rodney areas. We are the largest employer in the district, employing around 8,600 people across more than 80 locations.

In addition to providing care to our own resident population, we are the Northern Region provider of forensic mental health services and child rehabilitation services, plus the metro Auckland provider of child community dental services and community alcohol and drug services.

In response to your request, we are able to provide the following information:

Are you able to share the details of the current pathology tender in the Waitematā district? Or are you able to share details of when the next tender may be available?

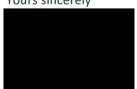
Waitematā DHB is not currently involved in any tenders for pathology services. We are unable to advise when the next tender may be available.

I trust that the information we have been able to provide is helpful.

Waitematā DHB supports the open disclosure of information to assist community 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 consider there are good reasons why this response should not be made publicly available, we will be happy to consider your views.

Yours sincerely



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