

8 July 2021

Response to a request for official information

Dear 

Thank you for your request for official information received 19 May 2021 by Nelson Marlborough Health (NMH)¹, followed by the necessary extension of time 17 June 2021, where you seek the following staff COVID-19 vaccination information:

- 1. The overall percentage of staff vaccinated and not vaccinated, and break the data down into different departments, the most to the least.*

NMH response: Table One below shows the percentage of the entire NMH workforce who have received the COVID-19 vaccine, noting the workforce count includes staff in Group 4 who are yet to be invited to receive the vaccine, and a breakdown by department is not currently available.

TABLE ONE

Count of NMH Workforce	% of 1st Dose COVID-19 vaccine	% of 2nd Dose COVID-19 vaccine
2649	71.2%	68.9%

Data as at COB 4-Jul-2021

- 2. Whether a staff member declined the first and/or second dose.*

NMH response: We have no record of staff who may have declined the COVID-19 vaccine.

This response has been provided under the Official Information Act 1982. You have the right to seek an investigation by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or free phone 0800 802 602. If you have any questions about this decision please feel free to email our OIA Coordinator OIArequest@nmdhb.govt.nz. I trust that this information meets your requirements. NMH, 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.

Yours sincerely



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