



22 March 2022



**Response to a request for official information**



Thank you for your request for official information received 18 March 2022 by Nelson Marlborough Health (NMH)<sup>1</sup>, where you seek the following information:

- 1. The value of all donations and bequests made to your DHB each year for the past five years.*
- 2. For any cash donations or bequests of \$200,000 or more made in the past five years, please provide the name of the donor, the date the donation was made and the intended purpose, if any, for the donation.*
- 3. For any non-cash donations or bequests valued at \$200,000 or more made in the past five years, please provide the name of the donor, the date the donation was made and a description of the item/object/asset and its intended use.*

NMH response: Please see Table One by Financial Year (1 July – 30 June).

**TABLE ONE**

Financial Year	Total Value of Donations
2016/17	\$163,309
2017/18	\$2,164,201
2018/19	\$101,892
2019/20	\$180,536
2020/21	\$118,243

The 2017/18 year includes a donation from Churchill Trust amounting to \$1,748,299. This was a non-cash donation that occurred on 29 June 2018 and related to the development of the post anaesthetic care unit (PACU) at Wairau Hospital that is shared between NMH and Churchill Trust. The PACU was developed by Churchill Trust and gifted to NMH. There are no other donations in excess of \$200,000 in the last five financial years.

<sup>1</sup> Nelson Marlborough District Health Board

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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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**Chief Executive**