

22 June 2022

Via Email: [REDACTED]

**Response to a request for official information**

Dear [REDACTED]

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

*Please could I ask that all the data be broken down year by year-*

- 1. The total number of PGY1 House Officer positions filled by the ACE matching system for each year between 2018 and 2022, and a breakdown of these by country of training of the candidates (e.g. New Zealand, Australia).*

NMH response:

Please see Table One – we have not yet received PGY1 (ACE) applications for 2022.

**TABLE ONE**

Calendar Year	PGY1 House Officer positions – ACE	Country of training
2018	17	New Zealand
2019	17	New Zealand
2020	17	New Zealand
2021	17	New Zealand

- 2. The total number of PGY1 House Officer positions filled in by NZREX graduates for each year between 2018 and 2022.*

NMH response:

Please see Table Two – no NZREX graduates were at the same time as the ACE applications.

**TABLE TWO**

Calendar Year	PGY1 House Officer positions – NZREX
2018	1*
2019	0
2020	0
2021	0
2022	1*

\*PGY1 (NZREX) position filled later in the year, outside ACE, additional to existing PGY1 positions already filled

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

- 3. The total number of PGY1 House Officer positions filled in by candidates from a Comparable Health System (e.g. U.K., Ireland, U.S.A., Canada etc.) for each year between 2018 and 2022.**

NMH response:

Nil.

- 4. The total number of PGY1 House Officer positions that were available and advertised outside of the ACE matching system for each year between 2014 and 2022 (please note this is a wider time range than the three requests above).**

NMH response:

Nil.

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Yours sincerely



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**Chief Executive**