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Re: Official Information Act request - Hospital Birth Data - ADHB Ref: 20220301-1166

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 26 February 2022 requesting the following information:

Do you have any statistics on how many hospital births there have been in the ADHB over the past two years? Has there been a decrease compared to the past five years?

Response

We have provided the information, which shows the data over a total of seven years to address the two questions you have asked:

Total births (babies born from 20 weeks) at Auckland City Hospital 2015-2021

2021 6553

2020 6310

2019 6762

2018 6597

2017 6974

2016 7368

2015 7074

You are entitled to seek a review of the response by the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or Freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the Auckland DHB website.

Yours sincerely,

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