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Dear

Official Information Act request - young people with diabetes/prediabetes

Thank you for your Official Information Act request received on 15 August 2018 seeking various data on the prevalence of type 2 diabetes and prediabetes from Waitemata District Health Board (DHB).

After further contact with you on 17 August, it was agreed that you would refine the scope of your request to:

 Formal reports about the increasing prevalence of type 2 diabetes/prediabetes in people aged 15 to 35 between 2015 and 2018.

In response, we have checked our records and can advise that no reports of this nature exist and that information relating to diagnosis is referred to only in individual patient clinical notes.

Waitemata DHB, 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 this.

Yours sincerely

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