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Tēnā koe Ms Van Wey Lovatt

Re: Transfer of request for information

Thank you for your email of 8 March 2020 requesting the referral pathways of each and every DHB and how those pathways are consistent with legislation. I am transferring your request to the Ministry of Health. I note that you originally sent the request to the Ministry and that the Ministry transferred the request to HDC. The Ministry's transfer letter advised that we had acknowledged HDC was best placed to respond to your request but that was not the case as we had not provided a response to the Ministry.

HDC does not hold the information requested, but I believe that the information is held by or available to the Ministry of Health.

Accordingly, I have decided to transfer the request back to the Ministry of Health for its consideration pursuant to section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982.

We apologise for the inconvenience this delay has caused.

Nāku iti noa, nā

Jane King Associate Commissioner, Legal