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Dear Andrew

## **RE Official information request CDHB 10777**

We refer to your email dated four emails dated 25 November 2021 to the Ministry of Health which they subsequently transferred to us on 9 December 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB. Specifically:

- 1. Please provide Guidelines/Procedures for the management of postoperative Urinary Retention (POUR)"
- 2. Please provide Guidelines/procedure for the management/prevention of persistent Postsurgical Pain"
- 3. Please provide Guidelines/procedure in the treatment of patients after a suicide attempt and/or suicidal ideation"
- 4. Please provide Guidelines/procedure differentiating subtypes of primary (idiopathic) constipation"

We are writing to confirm that we are granting a response to your request and this response will be sent to you as soon as is reasonably practicable.

The planning and preparation for dealing with Omicron for our health system must take priority.

Yours sincerely

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**Canterbury DHB and West Coast DHB**