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By email: fyi-request-21528-9d4ecc98@requests.fyi.org.nz

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Tēnā koe Peter and Eileen

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to Manatū Hauora (the Ministry of Health) on 7 January 2023. I will respond to each part of your request in turn.

1. How many people with no co-morbidities have died due to a primary diagnosis of covid 19 in 2020, 2021 and 2022. Please supply a breakdown of data by age group and year of death.

The data you have requested is not held in the requested form and would have to be created. As such, while the Act allows New Zealanders to ask for information from Ministers and government agencies, there is no requirement for agencies to create new information or compile information they do not hold. Your requested is refused under section 18(g)(i) of the Act.

2. Numbers of emergency presentations for inflammatory heart disease (pericarditis and myocarditis) in 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022. Please supply the data by age group for each year.

Manatū Hauora does not hold information for emergency presentations. I have been advised this part of your request is held by Te Whatu Ora – Health New Zealand. As such I have decided to transfer this part of your request to Te Whatu Ora under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act. You can expect a response from their agency in due course. Please accept our apologies for the delay in partially transferring your request.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, na



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From: Peter and Eileen Young <fyi-request-21528-9d4ecc98@requests.fyi.org.nz>
Sent on: Saturday, January 7, 2023 2:18:04 AM
To: OIA/LGOIMA requests at Ministry of Health <oiagr@moh.govt.nz>
Subject: Official Information request - Covid 19 primary cause of death 2020 to 2022

Dear Ministry of Health,

1. How many people with no co-morbidities have died due to a primary diagnosis of covid 19 in 2020, 2021 and 2022. Please supply a breakdown of data by age group and year of death.
 2. Numbers of emergency presentations for inflammatory heart disease (pericarditis and myocarditis) in 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.
- Please supply the data by age group for each year.

Yours faithfully,
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