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Mr Antony Andrews  
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Dear Mr Andrews

**Official Information Act Request**

I write in response to your Official Information Act request dated 24 December 2016, in which you requested the following information:

***Could you please provide the total number of hospital beds from 2006 to 2016 at Manukau District Health Board. Yearly count will be great. Please note that the bed volume is the count of physical bed capacity (i.e. bed spaces). The count includes beds, roller beds, lazy-boys, etc. The data does not include patient occupancy volumes.***

The information requested is provided in the table below. Please note that a number of areas have been excluded from the totals provided; CM Health does not, and has not, historically, captured the information you requested for those areas.

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Inpatient beds*	926	926	926	997	997	1002	1002	1002	1022	1022	1042

\***Includes** inpatient wards for Medical, Surgical, Adult Rehabilitation, Women's Health, Paediatrics, Neonatal Care, Adult Critical Care, and Mental Health. **Excludes** Emergency Department, Discharge Lounge, Theatre Recovery, Day Therapy (e.g. Dialysis, Radiology, CathLab), Community Satellite Units.

I trust this satisfactorily answers your request.

Yours sincerely



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**Chief Executive**