



8 July 2024

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your email of 10 June 2024, requesting information on clients recorded as having a cardiovascular disorder.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find the information attached in **Appendix A**, as set out below:

- **Table One:** Number of working age Jobseeker Support Health Condition, Injury and Disability clients with primary incapacity group 'Cardio-vascular disorders' as at the end of December 2017 to 2023, by total response ethnicity, age group and gender.
- **Table Two:** Number of working age Supported Living Payment Health Condition, Injury and Disability clients with primary incapacity group 'Cardio-vascular disorders' as at the end of December 2017 to 2023, by total response ethnicity, age group and gender.

Can we please also check - are people counted once only in a calendar year?

The data provided represents snapshots of the information requested at specific points in time (the end of December each year). As the data is only pulled from a single day each year, it will not capture the same client multiple times within the same year.

I will be publishing this decision letter, with your personal details deleted, on the Ministry's website in due course. If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact OIA_Requests@msd.govt.nz.

If you are not satisfied with my decision on your request, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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