



**MINISTRY OF SOCIAL
DEVELOPMENT**
TE MANATŪ WHAKAHIATO ORA

21 June 2024

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act Request

Thank you for your email of 27 May 2024, requesting information about Employment Placement Services in the Southern Region. I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision on your request set out below.

Please see the below **Appendix**, containing a list of providers who have Employment Placement Services contracts in the Southern Region in the past two years. If you would like further information, prior to 2021, please contact us.

I will be publishing this decision letter, with your personal details removed, 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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Magnus O'Neill
General Manager
Ministerial and Executive Services

Appendix: List of providers with Employment Placement Service contracts in the Southern Region

Provider	Start date
A3 Kaitiaki Ltd	1 Jan 2024
APM Workcare Limited	1 Oct 2021
Skillsec	1 Oct 2021
Waihopai Hauora	1 Oct 2021
YMCA South and Mid Canterbury	1 Oct 2021