

Wednesday, 16 February 2022

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Re: Official Information Act Request – Code Red & Code Black

Kia ora [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982.

The Hauora Tairāwhiti response is as follows:

1. *How many days, if any, did hospitals in Tairāwhiti DHB spend in Code Red from January 01 2021 – December 31 – 2021?*

None

2. *How many days, if any, did hospitals in Tairāwhiti DHB spend in Code Black from January 01 2021 – December 31 2021?*

Hauora Tairāwhiti does not use such a classification system. Our hospital operations are monitored 24/7 by our Duty Nurse Manager and On-Call Manager team. There have been no instances in the period requested of situations of a type that might align with the concept of Code Brown or Code Black.

If you are not satisfied with this response you may contact the Office of the Ombudsmen, phone 0800 802 602.

Please note this response or an edited version of this response may be published on the Hauora Tairāwhiti DHB website. Your personal/identifying information will be redacted from any responses published. If you feel that there are good reasons why your response should not be made publicly available, we will be happy to consider this.

Ngā mihi

**Jim Green**

Chief Executive

Hauora Tairāwhiti