



7 October 2025

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your email of 15 September 2025, requesting information about work capacity medical certificates.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision on your request set out below.

- *Could you provide us with an updated list of practices across the Auckland region, including the number of patients at each practice who are on the Work Capacity certificate? This information was incredibly valuable for Eddie previously, as it gave us greater clarity on which practices we needed to focus on. Having the updated version will really help us with our planning. Please let me know if you need anything from our side to make this possible*

Please find the attached **Appendix** which provides you with the updated list of the number of e-lodged Medical certificates received in the 12 months ending July 2025.

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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