

14 November 2019

Auckland DHB
Chief Executive's Office
Level 1
Building 37
Auckland City Hospital
PO Box 92189
Victoria Street West
Auckland 1142



Re: Official Information Act request – Staff turnover

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 24 October 2019 requesting the following information.

RNZ requests the following under the Official Information Act:

## 1. For 2018 and 2019, what is staff turnover for the DHB?

The voluntary turnover rate for Auckland DHB was 12.5% and 12.2% for the financial years ending June 2018 and June 2019.

The voluntary turnover rate is the total number of permanent positions that were terminated during the year divided by the average number of permanent positions during the same period.

## 2. How many people were employed by the DHB at the end of each month of the year?

Month-end	Headcount of staff during the year			
date	2017-2018	2018-2019		
31 July	9705	10272		
31 August	9729	10326		
30 September	9866	10384		
31 October	9921	10461		
30 November	9980	10570		
31 December	9924	10529		
31 January	9988	10605		
28 February	10098	10730		
31 March	10089	10706		
30 April	10101	10744		
31 May	10161	10748		
30 June	10206	<b>107</b> 39		

'Headcount' is the number of people employed by Auckland DHB on either permanent, fixed term, or casual contracts. The only exclusions are staff on long term leave.

## 3. How many people left the DHB each month?

	Headcount of staff that left		
Month	2017-2018	2018-2019	
July	134	129	
August	174	225	
September	98	129	
October	100	113	
November	321	196	
December	364	339	
January	203	134	
February	206	199	
March	125	168	
April	196	158	
May	190	232	
June	318	273	

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Headcount of staff that left' is a count of people that relinquished their employment status at Auckland DHB for voluntary or involuntary reasons.

## 4. How many people moved to a different role within the DHB, each month?

	Moved to a different role		
Month	2017-2018	2018-2019	
July	67	70	
August	62	70	
September	56	93	
October	56	61	
November	124	52	
December	62	121	
January	51	58	
February	68	52	
March	68	49	
April	108	54	
May	67	43	
June	42	67	

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Moved to a different role' is a count of people that change of position during the month.

By way of useful context Auckland DHB is a large training facility for multiple professional groups of staff and part of the turnover is due to professionals moving as part of their training.

You are entitled to seek a review of the response by the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the Auckland DHB website.

Yours faithfully

Ailsa Claire, OBE

aure

**Chief Executive**