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Re: Official Information Act request - Abortions performed in 2020 in ADHB facilities

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 26 May 2021 requesting the following information:

I wish to request under the Official Information Act the following information.

The number of abortions that were performed in 2020 at each of your abortion facilities, the Auckland City Hospital, the Epsom Day Clinic and the Greenlane Surgical Unit.

The number of abortions performed in 2020 at Auckland City Hospital, Epsom Day Unit and Greenlane Surgical Unit were 225, 3605 and 299 procedures respectively.

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

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Chief Executive of Te Toka Tumai (Auckland District Health Board)