



26 June 2020

Dear ,

Official Information Act Request

We received your OIA via the Ministry of Health on 5 June 2020 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982.

1) *The total cost of paging communications for each DHB*

The annual average cost of running paging systems used in Waikato HDB hospitals including replacement, maintenance and support costs is \$28,000.

This has been extracted from the past 2 years and averaged.

Waikato DHB supports the open disclosure of information to assist community understanding of how we are delivering publically funded healthcare. This includes the proactive publication of anonymised Official Information Act responses on our website from 10 working days after they have been released.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A McCurdie', written in a cursive style.

Andrew McCurdie
**ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:
FINANCE, PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY CHAIN**

