

Corporate Services



7 June 2022

Dear [REDACTED]

YOUR OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT (1982) REQUEST HBDHB REF: OIA2022053

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 6 May 2022 where you requested information from Hawke's Bay District Health Board (HBDHB). Your questions and HBDHB's response is provided below:

Number of complaints raised by doctors regarding bullying over the past five years, broken down year by year, and whether the complaint resulted in disciplinary action.

Note: Hawke's Bay DHB investigate all complaints through Human Resources in our People and Culture directorate. Where complaints are unfounded following investigation, no disciplinary action is taken.

Year	Complaints Raised	Disciplinary Action
2017	2	1
2018	1	-
2019	2	1
2020	0	
2021	1	-

I trust this information meets your needs. If you would like any further information or clarification please contact us via email. If you are not satisfied with this response you may contact the Office of the Ombudsman, phone 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the Hawke's Bay DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Mann".

Dave Mann

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