

25 September 2017

Hilary Butler
By email to: hilarytanb@gmail.com

Dear Ms Butler

Re Official Information Act Request – 17 to 29 year old mumps cases

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 6 September 2017 requesting the following information:

Please could I have an updated table relating to the Official Information Act response of 23 August 2017 on number and proportion of locally acquired mumps cases notified to ARPHS giving total numbers of cases to today, with age breakdowns. I would like an updated table of cases up to 6 September with vaccination status included, as well as a column with those whose parents say they were vaccinated, but which had no confirmatory records.

I am responding from Auckland District Health Board (ADHB) as the DHB responsible Auckland Regional Public Health Service (ARPHS).

ARPHS provides public health services to all three metro Auckland District Health Boards – Waitematā District Health Board, Counties Manukau Health and Auckland District Health Board, and the populations they serve. ARPHS's core role is to protect and promote public health.

The information you have requested is enclosed below.

In order to provide you with further context in terms of the information you have requested, please note that the information provided has been obtained from ARPHS' notifiable disease surveillance database. The data ARPHS receives is from primary care. On occasions secondary data is sourced from the case or their parent/guardian. Please note this outbreak is ongoing, however figures provided below are for the period 1 January to 6 September 2017. This data is for the Auckland region.

Table one: Number and proportion of locally acquired mumps cases notified to ARPHS for the period January 2017 and 6th September inclusive (n=275).

Age group-years	Total number of cases	Nil MMR doses	One documented MMR dose	Two documented MMR doses	Parents said they were vaccinated but had no record	Classified
0-9	46	14	8	24	1	Not vaccinated
10-19	137	77	19	41	15	Not vaccinated
20-29	58	45	4	9	6	Not vaccinated
30-39	16	15	1	0	0	N/A
40-49	12	12	0	0	0	N/A
50+	6	6	0	0	0	N/A
Total	275	169	32	74	22	-

If you are not satisfied with this response, 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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours faithfully



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Chief Executive