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Official Information Act Request

On 13 June 2022 the Health, Quality & Safety Commission transferred your Official Information Act request regarding mental health seclusion rates from 2016 to present to district health boards. The request had previously been transferred to the Ministry of Health.

The seclusion data for Northland DHB is as follows:

Year	Number of People Secluded
2016	38
2017	60
2018	61
2019	55
2020	52
2021	47
2022 YTD	22

We support the open disclosure of information to assist public understanding of how we deliver our services. This includes proactive publication of anonymised Official Information Act responses on our website from 10 working days after they have been provided to you. Personal or identifying information will be redacted from any response published online. If you consider there are good reasons why this response should not be publicly available we will consider your views.

If you have any questions regarding our response to your information request please contact our Communications Manager, in the first instance at communications@northlanddhb.org.nz.

Ngā mihi



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