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Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Part of your request below was transferred to Manatū Hauora (the Ministry of Health) on 7 December 2022. You requested:

"Please could you provide information to show funding allocated by Ministry of Health or through any other public funds to:

- D) the total Covid vaccine budget*
- E) Covid testing budget*
- F) other funding allocated to the Covid response"*

The Manatū Hauora annual report for the financial year ended 30 June 2022 provides the information on the Covid-19 vaccine, testing and response budget. The annual report is publicly available here: <https://www.health.govt.nz/system/files/documents/publications/manatu-hauora-annual-report-year-ended-30jun22.pdf>

I trust this information fulfils your request. Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Manatū Hauora website at: www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases/responses-official-information-act-requests.

Nāku noā, nā


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