



23 May 2023

Kia ora [REDACTED]

Your Official Information Act request, reference: GOV-024845

Thank you for your email of 3 May 2023, asking for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

[REDACTED] are looking to understand what the market size is for all Hand Rehab related injuries to aid in future planning. To understand this, can I please request for the following:

- ACC national spend on Hand Rehab injuries (either through Hand Rehab contract, EPN contract or regulations funding). This would include any rehabilitation spend for injuries related to the elbow, forearm, wrist and hand.
- Can we please have this data by month from 1st April 19 to the end of April 23
- Can we please also have this at a national level, broken down by client residential region?
- Could we also have the spend by month from 1st April 19 until the end of April 23, broken down by client residential region but only for hand rehab related injuries which came under the Hand rehab contract?

The requested information is attached to this letter as Appendix 1

When interpreting the data provided, please refer to the 'Notes' tab.

As this information may be of interest to other members of the public

ACC may decide to proactively release a copy of this response on ACC's website. All requester data, including your name and contact details, will be removed prior to release. The released response will be made available www.acc.co.nz/resources/#/category/12.

If you have any questions about this response, please get in touch

You can email me at GovernmentServices@acc.co.nz.

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Caveats and note:

The data has been extracted based on the following criteria:

The payment date is between 01 April 2019 and 30 April 2023.

Costs provided are exclusive of GST.

Costs are based on payment date. Payment date may differ from the date of service.

Location is based on the client's current location and may not be where the client was residing at the time of the accident

Service code for Hand Therapy contract class:

HT01	Hand Therapy - Initial consultation
HT02	Hand Therapy - Follow-up consultation
HT03	Hand therapy - Splinting fee
HT04	Hand Therapy - Splinting requested by ACC32
HT12	Hand Therapy -Follow-up consultation post surgery
HT13	Hand Therapy - Splinting fee post surgery
HT1T	Hand Therapy - Initial consultation
HT2T	Hand Therapy - Follow-up consultation
XS	Hand Therapy Splinting Requested by ACC32

Service code for Allied Health Service contract class:

HT01	Hand Therapy - Initial consultation
HT02	Hand Therapy - Follow-up consultation
HT03	Hand therapy - Splinting fee
HT04	Hand Therapy - Splinting requested by ACC32
HT13	Hand Therapy - Splinting fee post surgery
HT14	Hand therapy - Written Report & Liaison
HT1T	Hand Therapy - Initial consultation
HT2T	Hand Therapy - Follow-up consultation

Provider travel costs have been excluded.

The data was extracted on 16 May 2023 and may differ if extracted again at a later date.

Table. Total costs for hand hygiene services between 17 April 2019 and 18 April 2019, broken down by client residential location

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