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Your Official Information Act request, reference: GOV-023103

Thank you for your request of 27 January 2023 via the <u>Info@data.govt</u> website, asking for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Could I please see data relating to climbing injuries in New Zealand from 2020 until present. Specifically injuries related to 'climbing' 'bouldering' 'sport climbing' 'trad(or traditional) climbing' and 'mountaineering'. Could I please see; (1.) date of injury, (2.) what the injury is either as written format or principle diagnosis code, (3.) where the injury occurred both by region and also (4.)the setting -eg sports facility, (5.) gender, (6.)age and (7.)ethnicity of the person involved, (8.) if a fall was the cause of injury.

The requested information is attached to this letter as Appendix 1

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

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

You can email me at <u>GovernmentServices@acc.co.nz</u>. If you are not happy with this response, you can also contact the Ombudsman via <u>info@ombudsman.parliament.nz</u> or by phoning 0800 802 602. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <u>www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</u>.

Ngā mihi

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