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## Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to neonatal drug addiction 2014 - 2016.

- 1. For 2016,
- a) How many babies were born with drug addiction/ drug dependency? With a breakdown of which drugs they were addicted to.

## 2. and 3. Same for 2015/2014

Please note that the Trust is unable to say what substance the baby is addicted to as this information is not held electronically and would require the manual checking of the notes for every birth in the Trust. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

Discharge month	No. of babies each month	
Jan-14		1
Feb-14		0
Mar-14		1
Apr-14		1
May-14		0
Jun-14		0
Jul-14		1
Aug-14		0

Sep-14	2
Oct-14	0
Nov-14	3
Dec-14	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	10

Discharge month	No. of babies each month	
Jan-15		1
Feb-15		3
Mar-15		1
Apr-15		2
May-15		3
Jun-15		2
Jul-15		1
Aug-15		0
Sep-15		1
Oct-15		1
Nov-15		3
Dec-15		2
<b>Grand Total</b>		20

Discharge month	No. of babies each month	
Jan-16		1
Feb-16		0
Mar-16		0
Apr-16		0
May-16		2
Jun-16		1
Jul-16		2
Aug-16		0
Sep-16		0
Oct-16		0
Nov-16		1
Dec-16		0
<b>Grand Total</b>		7