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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 Maidstone Birth Centre.

You asked:

The following questions are shown exactly as received by the Trust.

Registered births - 2021 (live, stillborn, miscarriage) & neonatal deaths at Maidstone Birthing Centre.

- 1) 2021 number of live births, handled by Maidstone birth centre by calendar month*
- 2) 2021 number of still births, handled by handled by Maidstone birth centre, by calendar month*
- 3) 2021 number of miscarriages, handled by handled by Maidstone birth centre, by calendar month*
- 4) Births, handled by handled by Maidstone birth centre, in previous five years*
- 5) 2021 neonatal mortality, occurring from births at handled by Maidstone birth centre by calendar month (all causes)*
- 6) 2021 neonatal mortality, occurring from births at handled by Maidstone birth centre for previous five years.*

Trust response:

Please note: XX Covid-19 Vaccine information.

The Trust is not required to hold this information in a reportable format. It may be possible that this information has been entered into a patients record but in order to confirm this each patient record would need to be manually checked by a clinical staff member. 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 the parts of the request that relate to the vaccination status of the patient.

1.

2021	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct
All Live Births	37	25	41	31	28	34	48	50	49	48
All Live Births <37 weeks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Births <37 weeks where the mother was vaccinated*	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX
All Live Births >37 weeks	37	25	41	31	28	34	48	50	49	48
All Births >37 weeks where the mother was vaccinated*	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX

2.

2021	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct
All Still Births	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

All other parts to question 2 are not applicable.

3.

2021	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct
All Miscarriages	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

All other parts to question 3 are not applicable.

4.

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Live Births	461	492	444	411	461
Still Births	0	0	0	0	0
Miscarriages	0	0	0	0	0

5.

Please note: the definition of a Neonatal Death is within 28 days of birth.

N/A – not applicable

2021	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct
All Neonatal Deaths occurring ≥ 28 days	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Neonatal Deaths occurring ≥ 28 days where the mother was vaccinated*	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX
All Neonatal deaths occurring ≤ 28 days	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Neonatal Deaths occurring ≥ 28 days where the mother was vaccinated*	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX

6.

Please note: the definition of a Neonatal Death is within 28 days of birth.

N/A – not applicable

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
No of Deaths occurring ≥ 28 days	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
No of Deaths occurring ≤ 28 days	0	1	0	0	0