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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 Maternal and neonatal sepsis incidents.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust. 1. Please provide data on the number of incidents of maternal and neonatal sepsis reported in your maternity unit in the last five years?

## Trust response:

The Trust does not have a category for Sepsis on our reporting system and we would be reliant on manually reading the description for each case to see if Sepsis was mentioned. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider 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 your request and we will not be processing your request further.