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## Re: Freedom of Information Request

### Original Request and Response

Please may you provide me with the following:

1. Copies of the reports into maternity care in your trust:
  - The reports will be entitled 'Maternity Quality and Safety Champions Report' or 'Maternity Safety Champion Report' (or equivalent) and submitted by the Director of Midwifery (or equivalent)
  - Please provide every report (whether submitted monthly or quarterly) since Jan 1 2020. If it is not possible to provide the information requested due to it exceeding the cost of compliance limits, please work back from the most recent report

If providing the above does not exceed the cost limits, could I also request the following:

2. For each calendar month within the below three time periods (a. - c.), please provide the number of avoidable term admissions into the neonatal unit. We understand you are required to collect this data under the 'ATAIN' programme. Please also provide this data as a percentage of live births each month.
3. For each calendar month within the below three time periods (a. - c.), please provide the number of 'early resolution complaints' (or equivalent) made to your Trust about the maternity services. Of these complaints, please state the number which became 'formal care group complaints' (or equivalent).

The three time periods:

- a. Jan 1 2020 - Dec 31 2020
- b. Jan 1 2021 - Dec 31 2021
- c. Jan 1 2022 - June 13 2022

**Response:** N/A, as the Trust does not have either maternity or neonatal units.

If you are not satisfied that your Freedom of Information request has been dealt with in an adequate manner, you have the right to request a review, requiring us to review our action and response. To request a review of this response, please contact the FOI Officer, Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust, St Catherine's Health Centre, Derby Road, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH42 0LQ or email: [WCNT.foi@nhs.net](mailto:WCNT.foi@nhs.net). You will receive a full response to your request for review within 20 working days of its receipt.

If you are unhappy with the way we have handled your request for review, you may ask the Information Commissioner to review our decision: The Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF, Telephone: 01625 545700.



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