

Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act – 2019.248
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Thank you for your email received 28 August 2019 requesting information regarding maternity services.

Please find detailed below a summary of your request, together with our response.

Summary of your original request:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 related to medical care held at your trust between April 2018 and March 2019.

Could you please provide the following:

- ***The total number of inductions of labour carried out by Trust personnel under Trust auspices, and also the breakdown of this number by recorded clinical indication for induction of labour (For example, '[number] patients who had pre-eclampsia were induced' and '[number] of patients over the age of 35 were induced' etc.).***

If you do not store the information by financial year, please send the above for calendar year 2018 instead.

Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust is not commissioned to provide maternity services, which means we do not hold the information you have requested. We recommend you direct your request to the Trusts running the acute hospitals.

Chairman John Goulston Chief Executive Paul Bentley

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