

Freedom of Information request 013985

29/3/18

Please could you tell me the total number of live births and separate out the number of live births with Down syndrome in your Trust in the past 7 years?

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Number of live births	4880	5176	4832	4567	4323	4315	4392	4348
<p>The data on Downs Syndrome is held by NCARDRS PHE and this information can be requested from them.</p> <p>Can you send details of your request to the following email address PHE.NCARDRSWM@nhs.net, and they will deal with it for you.</p>								
	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	
Number of live births with Down syndrome								

Also could you tell me if it has, when your hospital started to recommend NIPT (Non Invasive Prenatal Testing) to mothers?

	Dates: From - to
NIPT offered for free within Trust (also interested to know to what chance level this would be offered ie 1:150 or other)	No
NIPT mentioned as an option, but only available outside of Trust, ie by private providers not connected with the hospital/Trust	Yes since August 2016
NIPT mentioned as an option, and available within the Trust if patient willing to pay	No