

Trust Headquarters
Russell's Hall Hospital
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DY1 2HQ

Ref: FOI-000295

Date: 2/10/23

Address / Email:

Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

1. Please provide the number of pregnant women that waited over 24 hours for their labour to be induced at your maternity unit for each of the past five years.
2. Please provide the number of pregnant women who have waited for over a week (7 days) for induction of labour at your maternity unit.
3. Please provide the longest waiting time a woman waited for their labour to be induced at your maternity unit over the last year.

Response

If a patient waited over 24 hours the information would be recorded on the Trust's incident reporting system, Datix.

Unfortunately we are unable to run a report for this information as it would be recorded under the general heading of maternity there is no sub category heading in the database to enable us to run reports for the information requested.

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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