

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_35_21

You asked:

Would it be at all possible to receive all of the data originally asked for (CTMUHB_283_20) broken down by hospital, Prince Charles Hospital (PCH), Royal Glamorgan Hospital (RGH) and Princess of Wales Hospital (POW)?

Our response:

Please may I also request the following data for each unit for the year 2017, 2018 and 2019:

- Number of Multiple Birth Pregnancies (e.g. twins, triplets, quads +)

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	26	34	19
2018	19	28	38
2019	32	*Less than 5	20

- Could you please let us know the number of foetuses delivered (all live born [regardless of gestation] and stillborn infants [after 24 weeks of gestation]) resulting from a multiple pregnancy for 2017, 2018 and 2019.**

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	52	68	38
2018	38	56	76
2019	64	8	40

- Multiple Birth Still Births (number of babies)

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	0	0	0
2018	0	0	*Less than 5
2019	0	0	0

- Multiple Birth pregnancies resulting in an Emergency C-Sections

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	6	18	5
2018	6	14	17
2019	12	*Less than 5	13

- Multiple Birth Neonatal Deaths (number of babies)

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	0	*Less than 5	*Less than 5
2018	0	0	0
2019	*Less than 5	0	0

- Multiple Birth Neonatal Admissions (number of babies admitted to a neonatal unit for their care)

The figures provided in the table below include readmissions in the time period.

Year	PCH	RGH	POW
2017	40	46	29
2018	19	37	34
2019	50	7	34

* Please note exact figures have been withheld due to the low numbers involved. Where numbers are low we have considered that there is the potential for the individuals to be identified from the information provided, when considered with other information that may also be in the public domain. Also, responses under the Freedom of Information Act are made available to the public at large. The data is classed as personal data as defined under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Data Protection Act 2018 and its disclosure would be contrary to the data protection principles and constitute as unfair and unlawful processing in regard to Articles 5, 6, and 9 of GDPR. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.