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RE: Freedom of Information Request

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2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023

Dear [REDACTED]

With reference to your request for information received on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2023, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below. Please accept our sincere apologies for the delay in responding to your request.

In your request you asked:

**Please can you tell me how many live births, stillbirths and neonatal deaths the trust has recorded in every year between 2013-2022.**

Year	Live Births	Stillbirths	Neonatal Deaths to 28 days
2013	3232	7	7
2014	3430	11	13
2015	3530	17	5
2016	3436	19	5
2017	3452	18	4
2018	3184	11	4
2019	3275	12	4
2020	3335	12	4
2021	3425	6	5
2022	3475	13	4

### Criteria for a Neonatal Death

*A monthly count (by month of death, not birth) of babies*

*Born at (or under the care of) Sherwood Forest Hospitals (which would include those born at home under the care of Sherwood Forest Hospitals community midwives and those rare ones born unattended but booked with Sherwood Forest Hospitals)*

*At 24+ weeks (so excluding super-pre-term births)*

*Who showed signs of life (i.e. were judged live not stillborn)*

*But who went on to die within 28 days of birth*

*In any location (including any who died at home or under the care of another trust, following transfer, re-admission or any other scenario)*

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I trust this information answers your request. Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email [sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net](mailto:sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net).

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot decide unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: <https://ico.org.uk/your-data-matters/official-information/>.

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Yours sincerely

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