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## **Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I hereby submit a Freedom of Information Request seeking the following information:

1. The number of persons born alive as a result of termination (abortion) in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction, annualised between 2018-2023 inclusive.
2. The median age in weeks of persons born alive as a result of termination (abortion) in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction, annualised between 2018-2023 inclusive.
3. The median period of time in minutes for which persons born alive as a result of termination (abortion) in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction survived until death, annualised between 2018-2023 inclusive.
4. A list of the methods used to terminate the lives of persons born alive as a result of termination (abortion) (after the failed termination (abortion)) in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction, annualised between 2018-2023 inclusive.
5. A copy of the protocols, policies, guidance and procedures used in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction with regard to care for persons born alive as a result of termination (abortion), applicable for 2018-2023 inclusive.
6. A copy of the protocols, policies, guidance and procedures for recording and reporting events whereby a person is born alive as a result of termination (abortion) in NHS facilities in your trust area/jurisdiction, applicable for 2018-2023 inclusive.

**We do not undertake Social Terminations within the Trust we only deal with Medical Terminations**