

FOI311 Response

Request

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from your trust:

1. The number of pregnant women your trust has treated for Covid-19 between 1st March 2020 and 31st January 2021?
2. The number of pregnant women your trust has treated in ICU for Covid-19 between 1st March 2020 and 31st January 2021?
3. The number of women who had recently given birth that required treatment for Covid-19 by your trust between 1st March 2020 and 31st January 2021?
4. The number of women that had recently given birth and required treatment for Covid-19 in ICU at your trust between 1st March 2020 and 31st January 2021?
5. The number of maternal deaths in your trust where Covid-19 or a Covid-19 related illness was recorded as the cause of death between 1st March 2020 and 31st January 2021? (for both patients and staff)
6. The total number of maternal deaths (from all causes) in your trust for the period 1st March 2020 to 31st January 2021? (for both patients and staff)
7. The total number of maternal deaths (from all causes) in your trust for the period 1st March 2019 to 31st January 2020? (for both patients and staff)
8. The number of pregnant workers in your trust (employees, agency workers, self-employed or locum) that are currently in patient-facing roles?

Response

Please note that questions 1 to 4 are not applicable to the Trust, this is because Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health Foundation Trust explicitly provide mental health services and is not an acute Trust where physical health services are provided.

With this in mind, please redirect question 1-4 to an acute Trust.

Furthermore the Trust is unable to provide a response for question 5-7, this is because the Trust's systems does not readily capture the requested information.

Obtaining the information will require exhaustive and manual measures that exceeds the appropriate threshold of carrying out this task.

The Trust therefore rely on the exemption Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to refuse this part of your request.

In addition to this the Trust is also unable to provide a response for question 8, this is because we do not have the requested information recorded within our system.