

21 March 2022

Maternity Statistics from January 2016 – Live Births, Miscarriages, Still Births, Caesarean Sections and Natural and Pre-Term Deliveries

- 1. Please provide the yearly statistics for the number of live births recorded by the Belfast Trust from January 2016 - December 2019 inclusive.**

Information in separate Excel spreadsheet.

- 2. Please provide the yearly statistics for the number of miscarriages from January 2016 - present day.**

Belfast Trust Royal Jubilee Maternity Service (RJMS) do not hold information on all miscarriages. Some women may attend the Gynaecological Service, Emergency Department or their own GP, while others miscarry without any health professional involvement.

We can confirm the RJMS Early Pregnancy Unit has histopathology reports for 207 women from April 2021 to present day. These are only from miscarriages that have been surgically managed, but the majority of women who attend RJMS have medical management.

- 3. Please provide the yearly statistics for the number of still births recorded from January 2016 - December 2019 inclusive**

Information in separate Excel spreadsheet.

- 4. Please provide the yearly statistics in monthly format for caesarean sections performed during January 2016 to the present day.**

Information in separate Excel spreadsheet.

- 5. For the same time-period as in Question 4, and in the same monthly format as required above, please also provide the number of natural deliveries.**

Information in separate Excel spreadsheet.

- 6. For the same time-period as in Question 4, please provide the number of pre-term deliveries.**

Information in separate Excel spreadsheet.