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Dear

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act.

You asked:

I would like to request the following information, please, under the freedom of information act.

Could you please tell me the names of your maternity units and sites and the distances they are apart?

The maternity unit is sited at the Royal Albert Edward Infirmary.

Could you please tell me the number of births at each individual named maternity unit and site, for the last year?

2859 at Royal Albert Edward Infirmary

For every named maternity unit and site run by your trust, could you please tell me:

- * the number of full-time consultant obstetricians working at each unit/ site **10**
- * the number of part-time consultant obstetricians working at each unit/ site **0**
- * the number of whole time equivalent consultant obstetricians working at each unit/ site **10**
- * the number of hours each named unit or site has a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital Monday to Friday **8**
- * the number of hours each named unit or site has a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on Saturdays
This varies depending on how busy the unit is, about 8 hours.
- * the number of hours each named unit or site has a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on Sundays
This varies depending on how busy the unit is, about 8 hours.
- *the number of hours each named unit or site has a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on Bank holidays
This varies depending on how busy the unit is, about 8 hours.

Chairman: Robert Armstrong
Chief Executive: Andrew Foster CBE

In addition, could you please give the following information specifically for the Easter Bank Holiday weekend
Friday March 25 to Monday March 28 2016

*the number of hours each named maternity unit or site had a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on
Friday March 25 2016 **8 hours.**

*the number of hours each named maternity unit or site had a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on
Saturday March 26 2016 **8 hours.**

*the number of hours each named maternity unit or site had a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on
Sunday March 27 2016 **8 hours.**

*the number of hours each named maternity unit or site had a consultant obstetrician working in the hospital on
Monday March 28 2016 **8 hours.**

I hope you find this information useful, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not
hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within
28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information
Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Andrew Foster

Chief Executive

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