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Response Due: 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2025

Date: 21st May 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold part of the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please could you provide the following two sets of information:

1. The number of pregnant patients who identified as transgender (i.e. trans men, non-binary, gender diverse) who received care for labour and delivery with the obstetrics and gynaecology department at each hospital under your trust.

Please provide this information broken down for each hospital, and the numbers from over the last three years, from January to December in 2022, 2023, and 2024.

The Trust is unable to provide this data as it is not recorded centrally, if recorded it would be held within individual case notes. As case notes are for the care and treatment of patients, we do not request staff to interrogate them in order to collate the information required to respond to Freedom of Information requests.

2. Any complaints received by each hospital under your trust, from a pregnant, transgender patient who received treatment from the obstetrics and gynaecology department, from the last three years (Jan-December 2022, 2023, and 2024).

Please disclose the nature and content of these complaints and provide them in a <u>Word</u> document format.

N/A.

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

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## PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to: Information Governance Department, Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh NHS Foundation Trust, Suite 9, Buckingham Row, Brick Kiln Lane, Wigan, WN1 1XX.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Helpline number: 0303 123 111