

FOI 3386

14<sup>th</sup> October 2025

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST**

**Question: I am submitting this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.**

**I am seeking non-medical administrative information from historical maternity records at Daisy Hill Hospital, Newry.**

**Specifically, I would like to know whether maternity ward discharge or transfer logs exist for the year 1975**

**Response:**

I regret that we cannot provide the information you requested because the records have been destroyed in line with the Trust's Retention and Disposal Schedule.

The Trust's Retention and Disposal Schedule reflects the regional DHSSPS guidance for the disposal of records "Good Management Good Records" which is available at the Department's website or by clicking on this link:

<https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/health/gmgr-disposal-schedule.pdf>

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