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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Could you please provide the statistics, both as a number and a percentage, in relation to the amount of termination of pregnancy (TOP) procedures, carried out on southern trust property, that are resultant in extra-uterine signs of life.

There were 0 babies in the year 2021 that showed extra-uterine signs of life following TOP for Fatal Fetal Abnormality.

There were 7 babies in the year 2022 that showed extra-uterine signs of life following TOP for Fatal Fetal Abnormality, That equates to 33.3% of all Neonatal Deaths in SHSCT.

There were 2 babies in the year 2023 that showed extra-uterine signs of life following TOP for Fatal Fetal Abnormality, That equates to 25% of all Neonatal Deaths in SHSCT.