

FOI 1875

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Please see below a request for the following information relating to tongue tie in babies aged 0-12 months.

Question 1:

How many babies were born within your trust between Jan 1st 2022 and December 31st 2022?

Response 1:

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Question 2:

How many babies were diagnosed with ankyloglossia (tongue tie) between Jan1st 2022 and December 31 2022 at your trust?

Response 2:

188 Attendees to the Tongue Tie Clinic for Assessment by the ENT Doctor.

Question 3:

On average how many days after birth was a tongue tie diagnosis made between Jan 1st 2022 and December 31st 2022?

Response 3:

Anywhere between 0 - 21 days old.

Question 4:

How many babies diagnosed with tongue tie were referred for a frenotomy procedure?

Response 4:

71 Babies diagnosed with a Tongue Tie by the ENT Doctor.

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