

FOI 1893

13th October 2023

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Question 1: The number of FTE funded midwife posts there are for each maternity service at your board?

Response:

	Bands 5-7 wte
Craigavon Area Hospital Based	118.94
Daisy Hill Hospital Based	54.31
Community Team	46.25

Question 2: The number of FTE funded midwife posts for each maternity service at your board which were vacant as of the start of August 2023 (excluding those on maternity or long term sick leave where sick leave has lasted for one month or longer)?

Response:

	Bands 5-7 wte
CAH Hospital Based	20.11 WTE
DHH Hospital Based	0
Community Team	2.02 TE

Question 3: The date of the most recent Birthrate Plus study of midwifery staffing for each service within your board?

Response: June 2022

Question 4: The number of FTE funded midwife posts that Birthrate Plus recommended your trust employ?

Response:

Current Funded Clinical, specialist and management wte	Birthrate Plus wte	Variance wte
245.55	260.84	-15.29

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