

## Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 17 March 2021.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

**1. How many live births occurred in your organisation (please break this down to premature and term babies)**

Year	Total births	Premature
2015	3903	246
2016	3743	250
2017	3617	203
2018	3694	104
2019	3384	238
2020	3419	287

**2. How many of these live births had cord clamping as being recorded at being at or after one minute? (please break this down to premature and term babies)**

We do delayed cord clamping and this is usually entered as a free text note so we would not be able to provide the answer to these questions.

**3. Please provide the numbers where cord clamping occurred before one minute (please break this down to premature and term babies)**

As above

**4. How many times this was not documented (please break this down to premature and term babies)**

As above

**5. Please provide any audits in the last 5 years on cord clamping times.**

We have not completed any audits for delayed cord clamping.

**6. Is it mandatory to record the cord clamping time on any of your systems?**

It is not mandatory to record the cord clamping time

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator  
For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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