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Email:

Dear,

Tel: 0300 123 0999 www.secamb.nhs.uk

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 20/02/23

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

I would like to find out the number of 'birth imminent/labour' and 'Pregnancy related' incidents SECAmb attended between January 2018 and January 2019.

No of birth imminent /	No of pregnancy related
labour	incidents
626	1527

^{*}Please note that condition code used was to identify the conditions that were reported when an ambulance was sent to the patient but not necessarily what was found on arrival at the scene

Pregnancy-related incidents has been defined on the following conditions: Pregnancy and Maternity."

If possible would you be able to provide me with the number of incidents with the outcome of 'birth', 'Postpartum haemorrhage' or 'resuscitation of neonate'?

No of babies delivered	Post-partum haemorrhages	Neonatal Resuscitation
10	98	3

^{*}Please note that this data is taken from the crew condition codes whilst with the patient so may not have been the original reason being given for the call

^{*}Birth imminent/ labour incidents has been defined on the following conditions: Labour and Maternity - Imminent Delivery.

^{*}The values provided are from 1st January 2018 to 31st January 2019

- * The crew condition code (which was used to answer these questions) was identified in scanned fields. Please treat values with caution due to inaccuracies associated with OCR (Optical character recognition).
- *Also, this may not be the reason for the call and please be aware that not all cases may be identified if this has not been recorded."
- *The values provided are from 1st January 2018 to 31st January 2019

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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