

Maternity Clinical Negligence Claims

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response, in **blue bold** text below:

Royal Devon's Eastern FOI Office Response

- 1) Please provide me with an annual breakdown of the total number successful clinical negligence claims made against the trust in the maternity sector and the total value of the damages paid out in the maternity sector, broken down at a site-level.

I am specifically requesting the information at a site-level, not at the trust-level. That means the data you provide should be broken down by individual sites - e.g. separate data for a hospital the trust manages, as well as a midwife-led unit.

Please indicate if a site is a midwife-led unit i.e. freestanding from a hospital.

Please provide this data for the latest five years for which it is available.

The data could be provided to me in the format of two tables, one for total number of claims and a second for the total value of damages. Each row would represent a site, and each column would be a year.

The data Requested above is held by NHS Resolution. Please contact them direct for a response to your request.

The link you need is as follows:

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