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## Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on the 27<sup>th</sup> October 2014.

### You Asked for:

The latest birth rate for the Wirral CCG area and also the number of patients with congenital heart disease.

### Our Response:

Birth rate:

Crude birth rate 2011/12 for Wirral is recorded as 11.9 (source: Office for National Statistics). Unfortunately we don't have more recent information.

Number of patients with congenital heart disease:

Unfortunately NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not have access to this information. I would advise for you to contact Public Health England direct, I have included their contact details below:

[foi@PHE.gov.uk](mailto:foi@PHE.gov.uk)

I hope this sufficiently answers your FOI enquiry however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the FOI team (contact details at the top of this letter).

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