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REF: 2026-142
Subject: Maternity

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your email dated **18/02/2026** where you requested information about **Maternity.**

The information you requested is enclosed.

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<tr><th>Question</th><th>Answer</th></tr>
<tr><td>Question 1: the total cost of maternity services delivered in your trust for each year since 2019.</td><td>
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<tr><th>Year</th><th>Amount</th></tr>
<tr><td>2019-2020</td><td>24,156,709</td></tr>
<tr><td>2020-2021</td><td>22,277,922</td></tr>
<tr><td>2021-2022</td><td>22,821,489</td></tr>
<tr><td>2022-2023</td><td>23,949,161</td></tr>
<tr><td>2023-2024</td><td>26,457,116</td></tr>
<tr><td>2024-2025</td><td>26,817,445</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Question 2: the total number of mothers using maternity services each year since 2019.</td><td>
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<tr><th>Year</th><th>Total Mothers</th></tr>
<tr><td>2019</td><td>6460</td></tr>
<tr><td>2020</td><td>6318</td></tr>
<tr><td>2021</td><td>6420</td></tr>
<tr><td>2022</td><td>5919</td></tr>
<tr><td>2023</td><td>5714</td></tr>
<tr><td>2024</td><td>5605</td></tr>
<tr><td>2025</td><td>5355</td></tr>
<tr><td>Total</td><td>41791</td></tr>
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Note - Data includes all mothers booked in to use maternity services at Bolton NHS FT. Time period 01/01/2019-31/12/2025
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