

F-2014-00175 - Success rates for women undergoing IVF in 1996 and 2004 at centre 0059

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Summary of request

The Authority was asked for success rates for 36 year old women undergoing IVF in 1996 and 44 year old women undergoing IVF in 2004 at centre 0059, as well as for UK clinics and Welsh clinics.

HFEA response

The information requested can be seen in the tables below.

Centre	Centre name	Year	Patient age	Treatment cycles	Birth events	Rate
0059	London Women's Clinic, Swansea	1996	36		0	(*.*)
		2004	44		<5	(*.*)

Region	Year	Patient age	Treatment cycles	Birth events	Rate
Wales	1996	36	38	<5	(*.*)
	2004	44		<5	(*.*)
UK wide	1996	36	2433	373	15.33
	2004	44	541	40	7.39

The Authority cannot release some of the information requested because to do so could lead to the identification of a person or persons to whom the HFEA owes a duty of confidentiality. Where there is a reasonable risk that the information disclosed, whilst not identifying in itself, could lead to the deductive information of a person, to disclose this information may therefore result in a breach of the confidentiality provisions of Section 33A of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 (as amended). Section 33A of the HFE Act prohibits disclosure of identifying information contained on the HFEA's register. Information regarding numbers of treatment cycles in 2004 for patients aged 44 for centre 0059 and for Welsh clinics is therefore exempt from the general entitlement to disclosure provided by Section 1 of the FOIA under Section 44 of that Act.