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Date Received: 15th December 2023

Response Due: 17th January 2024

Date: 4th January 2024

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 15th December 2023, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that do not hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

- 1) How many private v NHS-funded patients did your trust treat for IVF in the financial year 2012-2013 and in the same period for 2022-2023? Please can you break this down by year and state whether they were private patients or NHS patients.**

Please find response below.

- 2) How many private patients that you treated for IVF in the financial year 2012-2013 and 2022-23 started as NHS patients via your service? Please break this down by year**

Please find response below.

- 3) What was the success rate for 2022-2023 per embryo transferred using patients eggs for NHS patients compared to privately-funded patients? Please break this down by ages 18-34, 35-37, 38-39, and 40-42.**

Please find response below.

- 4) How many embryos have your service destroyed for patients who no longer wanted to store them in the financial year 2012-2013 and in the same period for 2022-2023? Please break this down by year and state the reason given for them not wanting to store them if possible and this information is available.**

Please find response below.

- 5) **How many patients have been treated in a private v NHS clinic in the financial year 2012-2013 and in the same period for 2022-2023? Please break this down by year and state the name of the service commissioned and money spent with them.**

Please find response below.

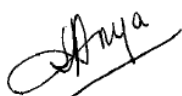
The Trust is HFEA licensed for IUI as a satellite unit for primary centres who would hold this data. The primary Centres are Hewitt Fertility Centres and Manchester Fertility.

Hewitt Fertility Centres are part of the Liverpool Women's hospital please direct your request to them:

Email FOI@lwh.nhs.uk
Post to:
Freedom of Information
Information Governance Department
Liverpool Women's NHS Foundation Trust
Crown Street
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If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Sanjay Arya
Medical Director

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