

Freedom of Information request 181-18

Request

Under freedom of information can you please tell me how many babies were born weighing more than 10lbs in your health board last year and also the weight of the biggest baby (and what sex it was). Please could you also tell me how many babies were born weighing 12 lbs or more and the same figures for 2016 and 2015.

Response

The table below details those babies born between 2015-2017 that weighed over 10lbs.

Year	Babies >10lbs	Babies >12lbs	Heaviest Baby
2015	22	0	11lbs 3oz (Male)
2016	17	0	11lbs 11oz (Male)
2017	21	0	11lbs 4oz (Male)

If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been handled or the decision given, you may ask NHS Borders to review its actions and the decision. If you would like to request a review please apply in writing to, Freedom of Information Review, NHS Borders, Room 2EC3, Education Centre, Borders General Hospital, Melrose, TD6 9BS or foi.enquiries@borders.scot.nhs.uk.

The request for a review should include your name and address for correspondence, the request for information to which the request relates and the issue which you wish to be reviewed. Please state the reference number **181-18** on this request. Your request should be made within 40 working days from receipt of this letter.

If following this review, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome, you may appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner and request an investigation of your complaint. Your request to the Scottish Information Commissioner should be in writing (or other permanent form), stating your name and an address for correspondence. You should provide the details of the request and your reasons for dissatisfaction with both the original response by NHS Borders and your reasons for dissatisfaction with the outcome of the internal review. Your application for an investigation by the Scottish Information Commissioner must be made within six months of your receipt of the response with which you are dissatisfied. The address for the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner is, Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife.