

<u>Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference Fol/22/410</u> <u>Maternity</u>

1. How many early pregnancy units do you have within your health board? Please can you provide the opening times of those early pregnancy units?

One Early Pregnancy Unit, open 9-5 Monday to Friday.

2. Do you have any *dedicated* recurrent pregnancy-loss clinics or recurrent miscarriage clinics within your health board? If so, please can you give the number of clinics you have?

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) have one clinic which is held once a week. It is nurse led for 3 of the weeks but has a Consultant Gynaecologist present on the 4th week.

3. Do you have any *dedicated* pregnancy-loss clinics or miscarriage clinics (i.e. for non-recurring losses) within your health board? If so, please can you give the number of clinics you have?

The UHB have one such clinic which is run at Llandough ANC x1 weekly.

4. How many recorded miscarriages did your health board deal with in the year 2021 (January - December, inclusive)

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5. How many recurrent miscarriages would an individual need to experience before being entitled to an investigation into the causes?

An individual would be referred for investigation into the causes after 3 recurrent miscarriages. If 40 years of age or nearing 40 then investigations may commence after 2 miscarriages.

