

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/23/341
Pregnancy and Miscarriage

Information Requested:

- Q. How many early pregnancy units do you have within your health board? Please can you provide the opening times of those early pregnancy units?
- A. We have one unit opening times are Monday to Friday 9am -5pm clinic code
- Q. 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?
- A. Weekly clinics which is one consultant clinic each month the other 3 are nurse led. Clinic code GYN149 consultant and nurse led, GYN149s is nurse led
- Q. 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?
- A. Yes – rainbow clinic which is later losses which is consultant led this takes place in Llandough. Ladies who are under investigation such as most mortem are seen in the recurrent miscarriage clinic. Not sure of this clinic code
- Q. How many recurrent miscarriages would an individual need to experience before being entitled to an investigation into the causes?
- A. Generally 3, however ladies who are late 30's early 40's are assessed on an individual basis
- Q. What mental health support do you offer for people affected by miscarriage? Directing to external services as we do not have internal services.
- A. We do offer ladies to be referred to the hospital bereavement team. Patients who have traumatic events such emergency theatre resulting in loss of pregnancy are offered debrief appointment on an ad-hoc basis, which may be a phone call or face to face