

2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW 26 January 2021 Our ref: 6898120

Thank you for your request received on 30 December 2020, for the following information:

What is the number of health visits or appointments made with new mothers with a child under the age of 6 months in each of the months between October 2019 and October 2020?

- \* Of the health visits scheduled, how many were (a) cancelled, (b) delayed by over two weeks and (c) held digitally in each of the months between October 2019 and October 2020?
- \* Of the total number of health visitors as of January 2020, how many of whom were redeployed in each of the months between January 2020 and October 2020?
- \* How many babies were born in the borough in each of the months between October 2019 and October 2020? Of these, how many were (a) reviewed within 10 to 14 days of the birth and (b) invited for a thorough physical examination within 6 to 8 weeks of the birth?

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

## Response

I am writing to inform you that we have searched our records and although we hold some of the information requested, some is not held by London Borough of Barnet.

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Please note that our provider Central London Community Healthcare would have this information – it is not kept by Commissioners: <a href="https://clch.nhs.uk/about-us/foi">https://clch.nhs.uk/about-us/foi</a>

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None

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