

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 23-352	7 th August 2023
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Freedom of Information Request: Pregnancy and Miscarriage

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

We have 1 Early Pregnancy Assessment Unit (EPAU) that is open between the hours of 8am until 4pm, Monday to Friday.

- 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? Yes, 1 per month.
- 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? No.
- How many recurrent miscarriages would an individual need to experience before being entitled to an investigation into the causes?

Women who have experienced 3 consecutive miscarriages are seen and investigations into the causes are undertaken.

• What mental health support do you offer for people affected by miscarriage?

We offer referrals to the Beresford Pregnancy Counselling Centre who provide impartial and confidential counselling to women and their partners, and we provide leaflets from the Miscarriage Association and SANDS.