

Could you confirm the number of Babies born with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome in your health board during the financial years 2017/18; 2018/19; 2019/20; 2020/21; 2021/22; 2022/23?

Please find below information for babies who were admitted for Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS) scoring in the neonatal unit.

Please note there are babies who are monitored in the post natal ward and transitional care, but this information is not recorded centrally.

Years	No. of admissions	No. requiring treatment
April 2017 to March 2018	9	5
April 2018 to March 2019	5	4
April 2019 to March 2020	8	4
April 2020 to March 2021	9	6
April 2021 to March 2022	7	3
April 2022 to today	6	3