Summary of request

The Authority has been asked for the annual total fresh and frozen numbers performed by each centre for the past 10 years. The Authority has asked for the clinical pregnancy rates for under 35 year olds, for fresh own egg cycles for each centre for the past 5 years.

HFEA response

Please find that information in the attached document.

Please note that I have replaced small numbers with a ‘<5’ figure because there is a significant possibility that this information, when combined with other information to which you may reasonably be expected to have access, could lead to the identification of a person to whom the HFEA owes a duty of confidentiality. To disclose this information in these circumstances may therefore result in a breach of the confidentiality provisions of section 33A of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 1990 (as amended), and the information is therefore exempt from disclosure under section 44 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The HFEA does not release rates (pregnancy rates) when the cohort of treatments is less than 50 as this gives a false impression of the success or failure of a particular treatment. In such cases I have replaced the rate with (*.*).