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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

- 1. How many births took place in female prisons in the trust's area from 2018 to 2022 (please provide figures for each year)**

There are no female prisons within East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust's area.

- 2. A chronological list of every birth in female prisons in the trust's area from 2018 to 2022 (please state the date of each birth)**

Not applicable.

- 3. The name of the prison where each birth took place**

Not applicable.

- 4. Whether the child was stillborn or if they died within 30 days of being delivered**

Not applicable.

- 5. The status of each child after their birth (whether they were taken into foster care, sent to stay with the prisoners' relatives etc)**

Not applicable.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely

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