

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002
Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004

Date received	31/10/2022	Subject	Destruction of Embryos	
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Category of information requested	H&SC Delivery - Assessment / Diagnosis / Treatment H&SC Delivery - Patient / Clinical Management			

Question/s to be answered

1. We wish to submit a Freedom of Information Request to you in respect of the policies your Health Board had in place concerning the destruction of embryos, with specific reference to fresh embryos which were ready for treatment, but thereafter not used for treatment, in 2002.

NHS Shetland do not provide any services which involve the destruction of human embryos or the storage of human embryos