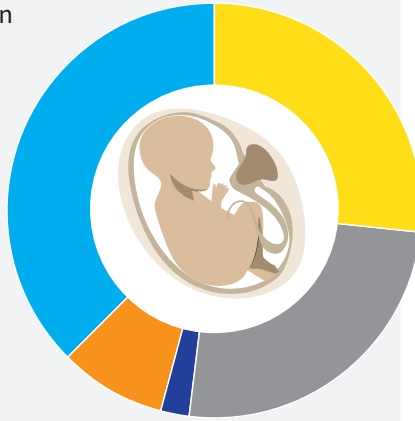


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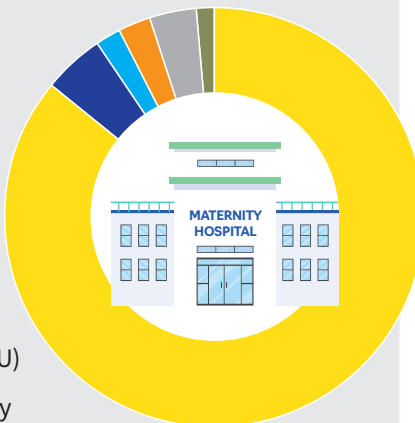
## Mode of Birth

- 272 Unplanned caesarean section (UCS)
- 258 Planned caesarean section
- 21 Birth with Ventouse (BWV)
- 87 Birth with forceps (BWF)
- 379 Spontaneous vaginal birth (SVB)



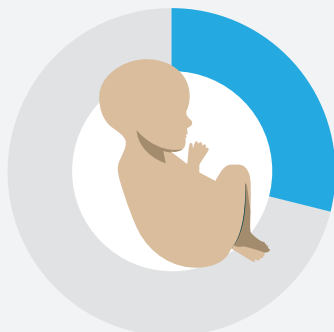
## Place of Birth

- 873 Labour Ward AMH
- 48 Midwives Unit Aberdeen
- 20 Ward 3 Dr Gray's
- 25 Peterhead Community Maternity Unit (PCMU)
- 35 Inverurie Community Maternity Unit (ICMU)
- 14 Home births



## Induction of labour

**29%** of births (excluding planned caesarean section) were following induction of labour



## Water Births

**31**



## Total Transfer Rate

Midwives Unit Aberdeen  
Ward 3 Dr Gray's  
PCMU  
ICMU  
Homebirth

## Women having a first baby

59%  
5%  
25%  
21%  
14%

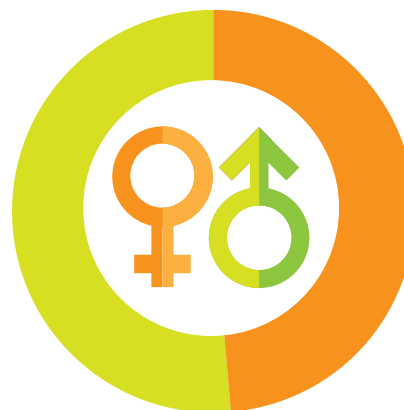
## Women having a subsequent baby

11%  
0%  
4%  
10%  
13%



## Breastfeeding Initiation Rate

**82%**



**501**  
Girls

**527**  
Boys

Our infographic includes all of our live births and stillbirths

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