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- Q1 Do you provide antenatal education classes? – yes or no? If yes, what is the annual budget for this/these contracts/service provision?
- Q2 Answer only if you provide antenatal education classes:
a) Do the practitioners delivering the classes use a specific evidence-based programme/s/model/s? – yes or no?
i) If yes, which one/s and is it/are they licensed?
ii) If no, briefly describe the what programme is provided.
b) Which senior manager/s is/are responsible for the provision of this/these service/s? What is/are their email address/s?
- Q3 Answer only if you provide the antenatal education classes:
a) Which organisation provides this/these services – your organisation? Or is/are the service(s) subcontracted out to an external provider? What are the contract start and end dates?
b) Are the classes commissioned individually as a cost and volume contract or as part of a block contract?
- Q4 Here is a list of vulnerabilities/adversities that can impact on the ability of parents-to-be to engage with antenatal education:
- those with mental health difficulties
 - those experiencing social isolation or from a socially marginalised community
 - survivors of domestic abuse
 - those with learning difficulties
 - those with substance use difficulties
 - parents who have had previous children removed into care
 - care leavers
 - teenage parents
 - parents in prison
 - those not speaking English as a first language
 - those with chaotic or transient lifestyles
 - black or minority ethnic communities
 - those with anti-social or offender behaviour
 - asylum seekers
- Much of this information is gathered by midwives at booking in appointments.
- a) Do you, or have you in the past, carry/carried out any analysis of this data, or collected and analysed any data, to determine whether parents-to-be experiencing any of these difficulties are less likely to access/engage with antenatal education delivered in your area than those who do? -yes or no?
b) Do any of the antenatal education classes specifically target vulnerable parents-to-be? -yes or no? If yes, which ones?
- Q5 a) Do you provide the Family Nurse Partnership(FNP)? - yes or no?

If yes, what is the annual budget for this contract/service provision? What are the contract start and end dates?

- b) If you do not provide the Family Nurse Partnership, do you provide any other similar services that target vulnerable parents-to-be? Briefly describe the services.

A1-5 Information not held - Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital is a specialist adult cardiothoracic centre and does not provide antenatal services.