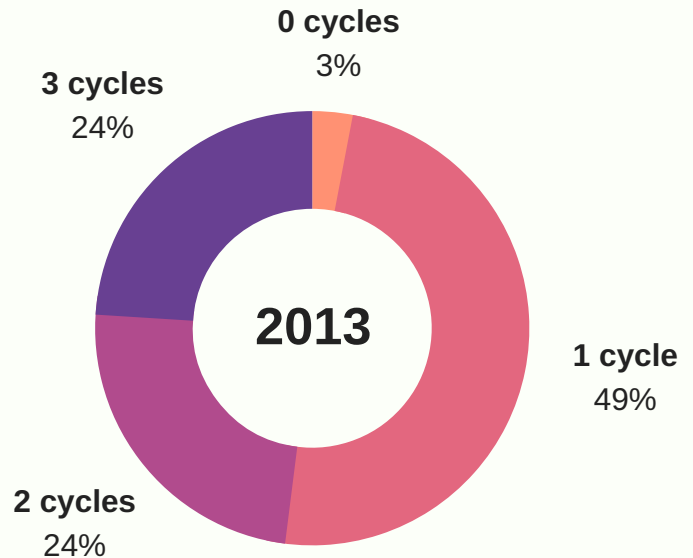
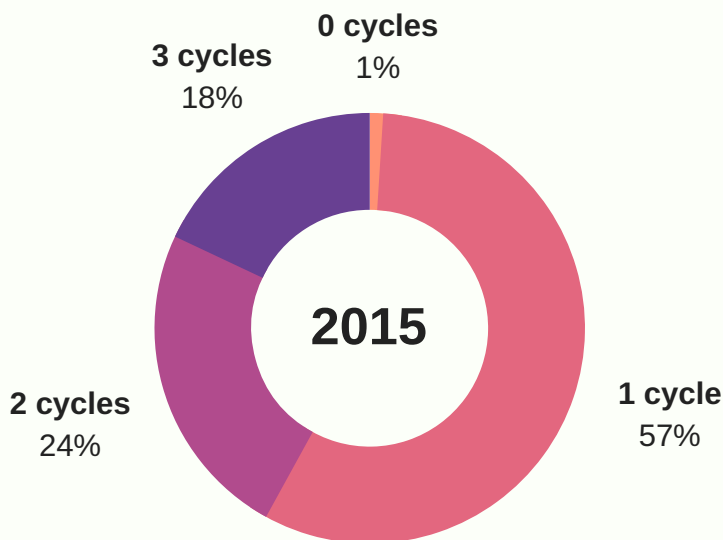
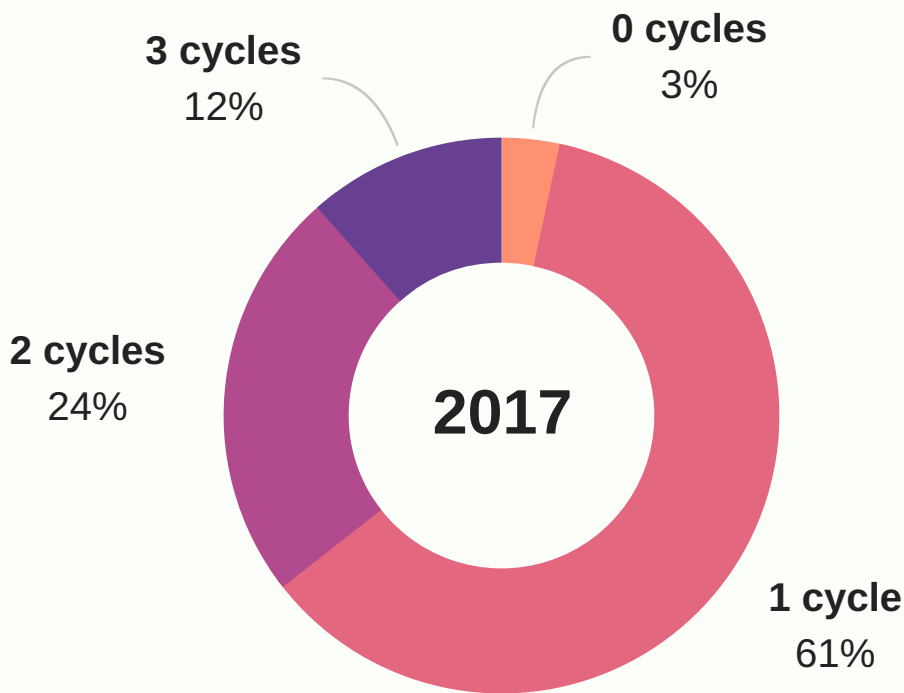


## Number of IVF cycles provided by CCGs

NICE guidelines state that women under the age of 40 should be offered **THREE** cycles of IVF. This is what CCGs have actually been offering:

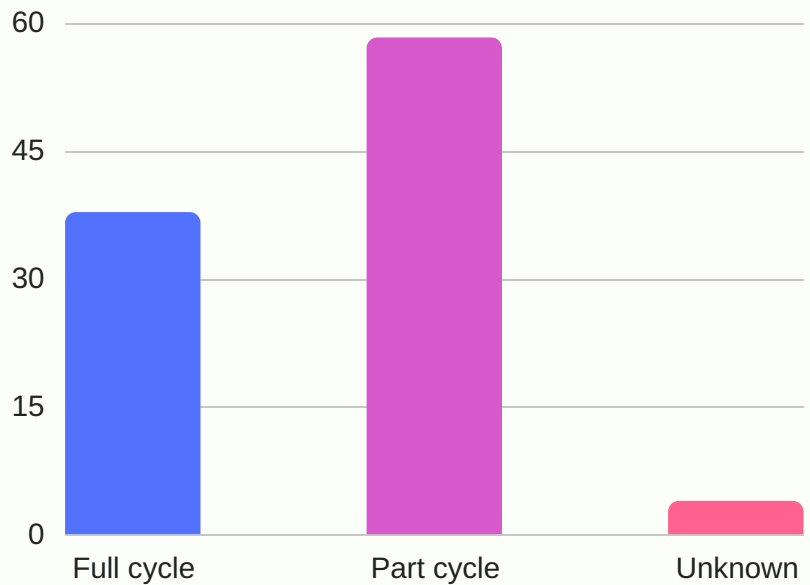


A full cycle should include one episode of ovarian stimulation and the transfer of any resultant fresh and frozen embryo(s).

This is to enable people to have multiple attempts at achieving a pregnancy with each cycle.

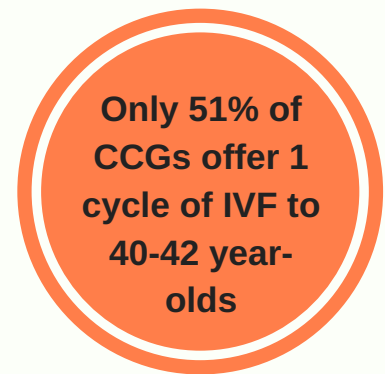
In 2017, 58% of CCGs claiming to offer one cycle restrict access by only offering a partial cycle.

## % of CCGs claiming to offer 1 cycle of IVF which actually offer less



The average cost a CCG pays for an IVF cycle is **£3,483**

Lowest: £1,347 Highest: £5,788



NICE recommends women between the age of 40 and 42 should be offered 1 cycle

Department of Health endorsed guidelines state that IVF services should be offered to couples if **at least one** partner has no living child. However, 82% of CCGs go against these guidelines and restrict provision by only offering IVF services to couples where **both** partners have no living children.

## % that restrict on childlessness

