## **NEWS IN NUMBERS**

Only 15.5% of dental practices in Wales can offer appointments to new adult NHS patients.

And only **27%** can take on new child patients, the British Dental Association (BDA) found.

The BDA warns of huge local variation, blaming a 'broken' NHS contract that means dentists must achieve 95% of their contractual target or return their budgets

36%

The increase in calls to the NSPCC FGM helpline in 1 year. The numbers rose from 476 in 2017-18 to 645 in 2018-19

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The number of **infant deaths** in Scotland in **2018** – **3.2 per 1000** infants – equalling the previous rate recorded in **2015**.

There were **190 stillbirths**, also an all-time low, at a rate of **3.7 per 1000** 



The number of **teen pregnancies** per **1000 women in Scotland** in 2017. The level has fallen for the **10th year in a row** and is now at its lowest level in **25 years**, down from **54.7 per 1000** in **1994** 

