NHS Sickle Cell and Thalassaemia Screening Programme:

Summary statistics: England, 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016

**Antenatal coverage**

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**Newborn coverage**

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**Timeliness of antenatal screening**

- **Tested by 10+0 weeks:** 51.8%
- **Tested after 10+0 weeks:** 48.2%
- **Tested by 12+6 weeks:** 59.8%
- **Tested after 12+6 weeks:** 40.2%

**Numbers detected**

- **680,558 pregnant women screened**
- **13,870 (1 in 51) women screened were screen positive**
- **104 (1 in 4) PND tests reported an affected pregnancy**
- **265 (1 in 2,500) babies were reported screen positive**

Source: KPI ST1, KPI ST2, KPI NB1, PND laboratory data. Excludes 2 cases with unknown gestation.