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Leinster House,  
Kildare Street,  
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**PQ 15837/19**

"To ask the Minister for Health the wait time for a MRI at Temple Street Children's University Hospital".

Dear Deputy O'Reilly,

I refer to your parliamentary question above to which I have been asked to provide a response.

CHI at Temple Street advised the wait time for a routine MRI in a child needing a general anaesthetic is currently twenty-seven months.

The hospital further advised for a child needing sedation the wait time for a routine MRI is eighteen months.

Yours sincerely,



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**Joe Gannon**  
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