



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte
Health Service Executive



Chief Operating Officer,
Saolta University Health Care Group,
Old Nurses Home,
Newcastle Road,
Galway University Hospital,

16th January 2019

Deputy Stephen Donnelly,
Dáil Eireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

To ask the Minister for Health the number of consultant positions advertised by the Saolta Hospital Group to date in 2019; the speciality of each advertised position; if each position has been filled; and the number of applications for each speciality in tabular form - Stephen Donnelly. -Stephen Donnelly

Dear Deputy,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question/Public Representation which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Name of competition	Hospital Group/Health Care Area	Date Advertised	No of Applicants	Comments
Consultant in Emergency Medicine at Mayo University Hospital for 39 hpw	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	22/02/2019	5	Failed to fill
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Consultant in Emergency Medicine at Mayo University Hospital for 39 hpw	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	11/10/2019	2	Interviews scheduled
Consultant Gastroenterologist & General Physician at University Hospital Galway for 39 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	24/05/2019	6	Candidate in clearance
Consultant Microbiologist at University Hospital Galway for 21 hours per week, Portlucella Hospital, Ballinasloe, 12 hours per week and Roscommon University Hospital, 6 hours per week.	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	10/05/2019	3	Candidate recommended

Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon si Spinal Surgery at Galway University Hospitals for 39 hours per week.	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	31/05/2019	3	Candidate recommended
Consultant Radiologist Post - BreastCheck Western Unit (Galway)	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	30/08/2019	1	Candidate recommended
Consultant Radiation Oncologist Galway University Hospital for 39 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	14/06/2019	7	Candidate in clearance
Consultant Gastroenterologist Letterkenny University Hospital for 39 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	05/07/2019	6	Candidate in clearance
Consultant Physician in Geriatric Medicine Letterkenny University Hospital	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	31/05/2019	0	Currently advertised
Consultant Physician in Geriatric Medicine Letterkenny University Hospital	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	31/05/2019	0	Currently advertised
Consultant General Physician at Roscommon County Hospital for 32 hours per week and Galway University Hospitals for 7 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	08/02/2019	3	Candidate recommended
Consultant Anaesthetist Sligo University Hospital	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	11/05/2019	10	Candidate in clearance
Consultant Otolaryngologist at Sligo University Hospital for 27 hours per week and to Letterkenny University Hospital for 12 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	01/08/2019	1	Failed to fill
Consultant Physician in Geriatric Medicine at Sligo University Hospital for 39 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	10/05/2019	1	Candidate in clearance
Consultant Microbiologist Sligo University Hospital 39 Hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	18/01/2019	1	Failed to fill
Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist at Sligo University Hospital	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	10/05/2019	2	Candidate recommended
Consultant Paediatrician Special Interest in Community Child Health at Sligo University Hospital for 39 hours per week	HSE/Saolta Hospitals Group	05/04/2019	1	Candidate recommended

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,



**Ann Cosgrove,
Chief Operations Officer,
Saolta University Health Care Group**