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Acute Operations, The Dargan Building, Heuston South Quarter, Military Road, Dublin 8

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Deputy Louise O'Reilly TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin 2

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"To ask the Minister for Health the emergency department waiting times greater than 24 hours for persons over 75 years of age in 2018; if the targets were met; if not, the number of persons over 75 years of age that have had a wait of more than 24 hours in an emergency department in 2018, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy O'Reilly

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

The table below details the total number of persons aged 75 years and over who have experienced an Emergency Department wait time of greater than 24 hours for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2018

I hope this response is helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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	Number >	% <24
	24hrs	Hours
National Total	14,041	91.5%
Dublin Midlands Hospital Group	2,021	92.1%
MRH Portlaoise	99	97.3%
MRH Tullamore	581	88.8%
Naas General Hospital	732	83.2%
St. James's Hospital	120	98.3%
Tallaght University Hospital	489	90.9%
Ireland East Hospital Group	2,932	93.3%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	1,529	84.4%
MRH Mullingar	174	96.0%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	106	96.8%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	1	99.97%
St. Michael's Hospital	0	100.0%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	1,033	90.3%
Wexford General Hospital	89	98.4%
RCSI Hospitals Group	1,720	93.5%
Beaumont Hospital	567	94.3%
Cavan General Hospital	43	99.1%
Connolly Hospital	611	88.1%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	499	92.3%
Saolta University Health Care Group	1,854	94.0%
Galway University Hospitals	1,737	77.8%
Letterkenny University Hospital	43	99.3%
Mayo University Hospital	45	99.3%
Portiuncula University Hospital	9	99.8%
Sligo University Hospital	20	99.7%
South/South West Hospital Group	3,582	88.1%
Cork University Hospital	917	89.9%
Mercy University Hospital	364	90.8%
South Tipperary General Hospital	509	88.4%
UH Kerry	759	85.1%
UH Waterford	1,033	86.4%
UL Hospitals Group	1,932	78.2%
UH Limerick	1,932	78.2%

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