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Dáil Éireann
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“To ask the Minister for Health the number of patients aged 75 years of age or over that experienced an emergency department wait time more than 24 hours in 2019; and the hospitals in which the wait occurred.”

Dear Deputy Donnelly

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 28 February 2019 per hospital.

	Number > 24hrs
National Total	2,913
Dublin Midlands Hospital Group	408
MRH Portlaoise	32
MRH Tullamore	107
Naas General Hospital	159
St. James's Hospital	37
Tallaght University Hospital	73
Ireland East Hospital Group	613
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	273
MRH Mullingar	24
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	11
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	1
St. Michael's Hospital	0
St. Vincent's University Hospital	303
Wexford General Hospital	1
RCSI Hospitals Group	409
Beaumont Hospital	202
Cavan General Hospital	11
Connolly Hospital	103
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	93



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Saolta University Health Care Group	295
Galway University Hospitals	269
Letterkenny University Hospital	10
Mayo University Hospital	11
Portiuncula University Hospital	1
Sligo University Hospital	4
South/South West Hospital Group	830
Cork University Hospital	252
Mercy University Hospital	134
South Tipperary General Hospital	2
UH Kerry	143
UH Waterford	299
UL Hospitals Group	358
UH Limerick	358

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Subject: 75+ Patients who waited over 24hrs in ED YTD 2019

I hope this response is helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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