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Deputy Micheál Martin

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Dear Deputy Martin

Response to Parliamentary Question:

“To ask the Minister for Health the number of dermatologist consultants that are employed in the health service; the way in which this compares to other European countries; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

National Doctors Training and Planning Response

There are 39 Consultant Dermatologists recorded in the Doctors Integrated Management E-System (DIME) as of 26 March 2019. This includes all posts (approved and unapproved).

Comparison data of consultant numbers employed by the HSE to other European countries is not data that is recorded by NDTP. We would suggest you contact the National Clinical Programme for Dermatology whose aim is to support high quality, efficient and evidenced based dermatology services delivered in a timely manner and close to, those who need it. The current National Clinical Lead is Dr Anne Marie Tobin and she can be contacted through the Programme Manager kelliemyers@rcpi.ie

Please feel free to contact us if you have any further queries in relation to this matter.

Yours sincerely

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