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Deputy Eamon Scanlon,  
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**PQ 37123/19 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons awaiting home help support; and the number awaiting additional support at the latest available date in counties Donegal, Sligo, Leitrim and Roscommon**

-Eamon Scanlon

Dear Deputy Scanlon,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for response.

Please see below table 1 which lists the waiting list numbers for new home help support, the waiting list for additional home help support, and the total waiting for home help support in the counties requested as of August 2019. Note the data for Sligo/Leitrim is collated together.

Table 1: Home Help Support Figures

County	Waiting list numbers for home support	Waiting list numbers for additional home support	Total on waiting list
Roscommon	139	18	157
Sligo/Leitrim	122	105	227
Donegal	170	93	263

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,



David Walsh,  
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