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Deputy Róisín Shortall,  
Dáil Eireann,  
Leinster House,  
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PQ 39142/19 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of health service personnel assigned to community psychology services by staff category, CHO and LHO.

-Róisín Shortall

Dear Deputy Shortall,

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 attached list of psychologists by Grade and Service area as of August 2019. These are further broken down by Acute Services and Community Services, and by WTE, Headcount and Gender.

Note that these statistics are not collated by LHO so this information is unavailable at this time.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David Walsh'.

David Walsh,  
National Director,  
Community Operations

Grade	% WTE	WTE	Headcount	WTE: no.	% Male	% Female	Ratio Males to Females	% Total Perm	% Male Perm	% Female Perm	% Total Full Time	% Total Part Time	% Male FT	% Female FT
<b>Psychologists</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>986.0</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>1.142</b>	<b>18.7%</b>	<b>81.3%</b>	<b>1:4.3</b>	<b>80.2%</b>	<b>79.6%</b>	<b>80.3%</b>	<b>71.9%</b>	<b>28.1%</b>	<b>86.3%</b>	<b>68.6%</b>
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	44.2%	435	518	1.19	18.9%	81.1%	1:4.3	95.8%	93.9%	96.2%	62.4%	37.6%	84.7%	57.1%
Psychologist, Clinical	26.6%	262	302	1.152	17.2%	82.8%	1:4.8	89.1%	86.5%	89.6%	75.5%	24.5%	82.7%	74.0%
Psychologist, Trainee Clinical	17.1%	168	169	1.005	17.8%	82.2%	1:4.6	3.0%	3.3%	2.9%	99.4%	0.6%	100.0%	99.3%
Psychologist, Principal Clinical	8.2%	81	89	1.098	25.8%	74.2%	1:2.9	98.9%	95.7%	100.0%	68.5%	31.5%	87.0%	62.1%
Psychologist, Educational	1.8%	17	21	1.213	14.3%	85.7%	1:6.0	90.5%	100.0%	88.9%	66.7%	33.3%	66.7%	66.7%
Psychologist, Counselling	1.1%	11	13	1.23	23.1%	76.9%	1:3.3	92.3%	100.0%	90.0%	53.9%	46.2%	100.0%	40.0%
Psychologist, Senior Educational	0.7%	7	9	1.252	0.0%	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%	55.6%	44.4%		55.6%
Psychologist, Senior Counselling	0.2%	2	2	1	0.0%	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%	100.0%	0.0%		100.0%
Psychology, Director of	0.2%	2	3	1.5	66.7%	33.3%	1:0.5	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	66.7%	33.3%	50.0%	100.0%
Psychologists	100.0%	986	1,126	1.142	18.7%	81.3%	1:4.3	80.2%	79.6%	80.3%	71.9%	28.1%	86.3%	68.6%

Service Area	% WTE	WTE	Headcount	WTE: no.	% Male	% Female	Ratio Males to Females	% Total Perm	% Male Perm	% Female Perm	% Total Full Time	% Total Part Time	% Male FT	% Female FT
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>986.0</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>1.142</b>	<b>18.7%</b>	<b>81.3%</b>	<b>1:4.3</b>	<b>80.2%</b>	<b>79.6%</b>	<b>80.3%</b>	<b>71.9%</b>	<b>28.1%</b>	<b>86.3%</b>	<b>68.6%</b>
<b>Acute Services</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>82.0</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>1.324</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>84.4%</b>	<b>1:5.4</b>	<b>88.1%</b>	<b>82.4%</b>	<b>89.1%</b>	<b>43.1%</b>	<b>56.9%</b>	<b>47.1%</b>	<b>42.4%</b>
<b>Children's Health Ireland</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>37.0</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1.312</b>	<b>8.2%</b>	<b>91.8%</b>	<b>1:11.3</b>	<b>93.9%</b>	<b>75.0%</b>	<b>95.6%</b>	<b>42.9%</b>	<b>57.1%</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>42.2%</b>
CHI at Crumlin	46.5%	17	23	1.323	8.7%	91.3%	1:10.5	95.7%	50.0%	100.0%	39.1%	60.9%	50.0%	38.1%
CHI at Temple Street	44.1%	16	21	1.274	4.8%	95.2%	1:20.0	95.2%	100.0%	95.0%	47.6%	52.4%	100.0%	45.0%
CHI at Tallaght	8.8%	3	4	1.212	0.0%	100.0%		75.0%		75.0%	50.0%	50.0%		50.0%
CHI Programme	0.5%	-	1	5	100.0%	0.0%	1:0.0	100.0%	100.0%		0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	
<b>Dublin Midlands Hospital Group</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1.19</b>	<b>20.0%</b>	<b>80.0%</b>	<b>1:4.0</b>	<b>73.3%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>66.7%</b>	<b>60.0%</b>	<b>40.0%</b>	<b>66.7%</b>	<b>58.3%</b>
Coombe Women & Infants University	4.4%	1	1	1.786	0.0%	100.0%		0.0%		0.0%	0.0%	100.0%		0.0%
St. James's	39.7%	5	6	1.2	33.3%	66.7%	1:2.0	83.3%	100.0%	75.0%	66.7%	33.3%	50.0%	75.0%
St. Luke's Rathgar	23.8%	3	3	1	0.0%	100.0%		66.7%		66.7%	100.0%	0.0%		100.0%
Tallaght University Hospital	32.1%	4	5	1.238	20.0%	80.0%	1:4.0	80.0%	100.0%	75.0%	40.0%	60.0%	100.0%	25.0%
<b>Ireland East Hospital Group</b>	<b>1.7%</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1.402</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>83.3%</b>	<b>1:5.0</b>	<b>83.3%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>80.0%</b>	<b>45.8%</b>	<b>54.2%</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>45.0%</b>
Cappagh National Orthopaedic	2.9%	1	1	2	0.0%	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%	0.0%	100.0%		0.0%
Mater Misericordiae University	34.2%	6	7	1.197	42.9%	57.1%	1:1.3	71.4%	100.0%	50.0%	57.1%	42.9%	66.7%	50.0%
National Maternity	6.0%	1	2	1.961	0.0%	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%	0.0%	100.0%		0.0%
St. Columcille's	11.5%	2	3	1.523	0.0%	100.0%		66.7%		66.7%	33.3%	66.7%		33.3%
St. Vincent's University	45.4%	8	11	1.414	9.1%	90.9%	1:10.0	90.9%	100.0%	90.0%	54.6%	45.5%	0.0%	60.0%
<b>RCSI Hospitals Group</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1.312</b>	<b>30.8%</b>	<b>69.2%</b>	<b>1:2.3</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>30.8%</b>	<b>69.2%</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>22.2%</b>
Beaumont	94.0%	9	12	1.289	33.3%	66.7%	1:2.0	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	33.3%	66.7%	50.0%	25.0%
Rotunda	6.1%	1	1	1.667	0.0%	100.0%		100.0%		100.0%	0.0%	100.0%		0.0%
<b>Saolta University Hospital Care</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>66.7%</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>1:0.5</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
Galway University	100.0%	2	3	1.5	66.7%	33.3%	1:0.5	33.3%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%

South/South West Hospital Group		0.2%	2.0	2	1,333	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	50.0%	50.0%
Mercy University	66.7%	1	1	1	1	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	50.0%	50.0%
South Infirmary Victoria University	33.3%	1	1	2	2	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%
University of Limerick Hospital Group		0.2%	2.0	3	1,657	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	33.3%	33.3%
UH Limerick	100.0%	2	3	1,657	1,657	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	66.7%	66.7%
Community Services		91.5%	901.0	1,015	1,126	19.1%	80.9%	79.3%	79.4%	79.3%	75.0%	25.0%	89.7%
CHO 1	5.9%	58.0	65	1,128	1,128	27.7%	72.3%	95.4%	88.9%	97.9%	75.4%	24.6%	88.9%
Disabilities	8.1%	5	5	1,068	1,068	80.0%	20.0%	80.0%	75.0%	100.0%	80.0%	20.0%	75.0%
Mental Health	34.0%	20	22	1,124	1,124	22.7%	77.3%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	81.8%	18.2%	100.0%
Primary Care	57.9%	33	38	1,139	1,139	23.7%	76.3%	94.7%	88.9%	96.6%	71.1%	29.0%	88.9%
CHO 2	8.2%	80.0	96	1,195	1,195	13.5%	86.5%	93.8%	92.3%	94.0%	68.8%	31.3%	100.0%
Disabilities	21.4%	17	21	1,223	1,223	9.5%	90.5%	90.5%	100.0%	89.5%	61.9%	38.1%	100.0%
Mental Health	46.5%	37	43	1,151	1,151	20.9%	79.1%	95.3%	88.9%	97.1%	86.1%	14.0%	100.0%
Primary Care	32.2%	26	32	1,239	1,239	6.3%	93.8%	93.8%	100.0%	93.3%	50.0%	50.0%	100.0%
CHO 3	12.0%	118.0	124	1,052	1,052	18.5%	81.5%	44.4%	43.5%	44.6%	91.1%	8.9%	100.0%
Disabilities	13.4%	16	17	1,075	1,075	17.6%	82.4%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	88.2%	11.8%	100.0%
Mental Health	74.6%	88	91	1,035	1,035	19.8%	80.2%	27.5%	27.8%	27.4%	96.7%	3.3%	100.0%
Primary Care	12.0%	14	16	1,134	1,134	12.5%	87.5%	81.3%	100.0%	78.6%	62.5%	37.5%	100.0%
CHO 4	13.3%	131.0	151	1,150	1,150	22.5%	77.5%	86.8%	79.4%	88.9%	60.9%	39.1%	79.4%
Disabilities	26.5%	35	39	1,122	1,122	15.4%	84.6%	89.7%	100.0%	87.9%	61.5%	38.5%	83.3%
Mental Health	59.7%	78	90	1,149	1,149	26.7%	73.3%	82.2%	70.8%	86.4%	61.1%	38.9%	79.2%
Primary Care	13.8%	18	22	1,211	1,211	18.2%	81.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	59.1%	40.9%	75.0%
CHO 5	7.6%	75.0	84	1,120	1,120	16.7%	83.3%	88.1%	92.9%	87.1%	60.7%	39.3%	85.7%
Disabilities	17.5%	13	15	1,142	1,142	40.0%	60.0%	86.7%	83.3%	88.9%	60.0%	40.0%	66.7%
Mental Health	28.0%	21	24	1,144	1,144	8.3%	91.7%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	54.2%	45.8%	100.0%
Primary Care	54.5%	41	45	1,100	1,100	13.3%	86.7%	82.2%	100.0%	79.5%	64.4%	35.6%	100.0%
CHO 6	7.0%	69.0	86	1,247	1,247	10.5%	89.5%	84.9%	88.9%	84.4%	58.1%	41.9%	88.9%
Disabilities	40.8%	28	36	1,281	1,281	5.6%	94.4%	77.8%	100.0%	76.5%	55.6%	44.4%	50.0%
Mental Health	31.7%	22	29	1,325	1,325	10.3%	89.7%	93.1%	100.0%	92.3%	44.8%	55.2%	100.0%
Older People	3.1%	2	3	1,429	1,429	0.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	33.3%	66.7%	33.3%
Primary Care	24.5%	17	18	1,067	1,067	22.2%	77.8%	83.3%	75.0%	85.7%	11.1%	100.0%	85.7%
CHO 7	8.2%	81.0	92	1,137	1,137	16.3%	83.7%	98.9%	100.0%	98.7%	88.0%	12.0%	86.7%
Disabilities	35.9%	29	32	1,100	1,100	12.5%	87.5%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	87.5%	12.5%	100.0%
Mental Health	36.0%	29	33	1,132	1,132	18.2%	81.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Primary Care	28.1%	23	27	1,189	1,189	18.5%	81.5%	96.3%	100.0%	95.5%	74.1%	25.9%	60.0%
CHO 8	11.8%	117.0	127	1,088	1,088	28.3%	71.7%	80.3%	86.1%	78.0%	86.6%	13.4%	97.2%
Disabilities	19.7%	23	25	1,09	1,09	24.0%	76.0%	92.0%	100.0%	89.5%	84.0%	16.0%	83.3%
Mental Health	34.5%	40	43	1,068	1,068	32.6%	67.4%	88.4%	100.0%	82.8%	97.7%	2.3%	100.0%
Primary Care	45.8%	53	59	1,103	1,103	27.1%	72.9%	69.5%	68.8%	69.8%	79.7%	20.3%	100.0%
CHO 9	16.8%	166.0	183	1,104	1,104	15.8%	84.2%	65.6%	65.5%	65.6%	77.6%	22.4%	82.8%
Disabilities	32.1%	53	62	1,164	1,164	17.7%	82.3%	85.5%	63.6%	90.2%	61.3%	38.7%	81.8%

