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Re: PQ 43906/20 – Consultant oncologists, SVUH

“To ask the Minister for Health the number of consultant oncologists with a special interest in sarcoma currently in St. Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin; and his plans to appoint an additional consultant.”

Dear Deputy Ó Snodaigh,

I refer to the above Parliamentary Question seeking the number of consultant oncologists with a special interest in sarcoma currently in St. Vincent's University Hospital, which has been referred to the Ireland East Hospital Group for direct response.

I have had this matter examined and am advised that there are currently two consultants with a special interest in Sarcoma in St Vincent's University Hospital. At the time of writing there is no open competition to recruit for this specialty.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely



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