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**Deputy David Cullinane  
Dáil Eireann  
Leinster House  
Kildare Street  
Dublin 2**

**PQ 28157/20 To ask the Minister for Health the number of children on dental and orthodontic services waiting lists; the number waiting 0 to 6, 6 to 12 months, 1 to 2, 2 to 3 and 3 plus years, by LHO in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter**

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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.

I wish to advise that the system does not hold data in the manner requested. Appendix 1 and Appendix 2 details KPI data end Q3 2020 for the Dental and Orthodontic Service

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but if you require further clarification please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joe Green', written over a horizontal line.

**Joseph Green  
AND, National Oral Health Lead - Operations**



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## Appendix 1: KPI Data Q3 2020 Dental Service

No. of new Oral Health patients in target groups attending for scheduled assessment						
CHO	LHO	Outturn Previous Year	Target/EA Full Year	Activity YTD	% Tar YTD V Tgt/EA	% Var SPLY v YTD
<b>National Total</b>		<b>151,392</b>	<b>153,516</b>	<b>39,294</b>	<b>-65.9%</b>	<b>-65.9%</b>
CHO 1	<b>Total</b>	<b>19,266</b>	<b>18,672</b>	<b>6,326</b>	<b>-54.8%</b>	<b>-55.0%</b>
CHO 1	Cavan Monaghan	5,116	4,932	2,534	-31.5%	-32.2%
CHO 1	Donegal	8,321	8,148	1,755	-71.3%	-71.2%
CHO 1	Sligo Leitrim	5,829	5,592	2,037	-51.4%	-51.8%
CHO 2	<b>Total</b>	<b>12,145</b>	<b>12,648</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>-76.3%</b>	<b>-75.8%</b>
CHO 2	Galway	4,317	4,716	531	-85.0%	-84.3%
CHO 2	Mayo	3,690	3,864	796	-72.5%	-72.1%
CHO 2	Roscommon	4,138	4,068	919	-69.9%	-69.9%
CHO 3	<b>Total</b>	<b>11,632</b>	<b>11,688</b>	<b>2,042</b>	<b>-76.7%</b>	<b>-76.9%</b>
CHO 3	Clare	4,148	3,912	814	-72.3%	-72.6%
CHO 3	Limerick	2,544	2,508	528	-71.9%	-72.4%
CHO 3	North Tipperary East Limerick	4,940	5,268	700	-82.3%	-82.4%
CHO 4	<b>Total</b>	<b>20,641</b>	<b>20,664</b>	<b>5,723</b>	<b>-63.1%</b>	<b>-63.8%</b>
CHO 4	Kerry	3,419	3,456	910	-64.9%	-65.3%
CHO 4	North Cork	4,105	4,428	1,268	-61.8%	-62.7%
CHO 4	North Lee	5,175	4,884	1,452	-60.4%	-61.6%
CHO 4	South Lee	6,369	6,420	1,726	-64.2%	-64.5%
CHO 4	West Cork	1,573	1,476	367	-66.8%	-67.9%
CHO 5	<b>Total</b>	<b>18,638</b>	<b>18,696</b>	<b>4,924</b>	<b>-64.9%</b>	<b>-65.6%</b>
CHO 5	Carlow Kilkenny	4,992	5,136	1,387	-64.0%	-65.2%
CHO 5	South Tipperary	6,239	5,988	1,791	-60.1%	-61.3%
CHO 5	Waterford	3,919	3,816	1,020	-64.4%	-64.7%

CHO 5	Wexford	3,488	3,756	726	-74.2%	-74.2%
CHO 6	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,143</b>	<b>8,148</b>	<b>2,804</b>	<b>-54.1%</b>	<b>-53.7%</b>
CHO 6	Dublin South East		0			
CHO 6	Dun Laoghaire	8,143	8,148	2,804	-54.1%	-53.7%
CHO 6	Wicklow		0			
CHO 7	<b>Total</b>	<b>25,180</b>	<b>26,352</b>	<b>7,257</b>	<b>-63.3%</b>	<b>-63.4%</b>
CHO 7	Dublin South City	3,175	3,360	1,253	-50.3%	-50.0%
CHO 7	Dublin South West	5,242	5,220	1,542	-60.6%	-60.8%
CHO 7	Dublin West	5,420	6,000	1,262	-72.0%	-71.6%
CHO 7	Kildare West Wicklow	11,343	11,772	3,200	-63.8%	-64.3%
CHO 8	<b>Total</b>	<b>17,842</b>	<b>18,468</b>	<b>2,909</b>	<b>-79.0%</b>	<b>-78.8%</b>
CHO 8	Laois Offaly	3,154	3,480	692	-73.5%	-73.0%
CHO 8	Longford Westmeath	4,317	4,128	588	-81.0%	-81.6%
CHO 8	Louth	5,547	5,652	711	-83.2%	-82.6%
CHO 8	Meath	4,824	5,208	918	-76.5%	-76.2%
CHO 9	<b>Total</b>	<b>17,905</b>	<b>18,180</b>	<b>5,063</b>	<b>-62.9%</b>	<b>-62.3%</b>
CHO 9	Dublin North	7,419	8,256	1,688	-72.7%	-71.4%
CHO 9	Dublin North Central	2,676	2,544	1,315	-31.1%	-34.2%
CHO 9	Dublin North West	7,810	7,380	2,060	-62.8%	-62.7%
<b>No. of new Oral Health patients attending for unscheduled assessment</b>						
<b>National Total</b>		<b>63,210</b>	<b>64,692</b>	<b>38,597</b>	<b>-20.4%</b>	<b>-20.3%</b>
CHO 1	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,816</b>	<b>7,884</b>	<b>6,309</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
CHO 1	Cavan Monaghan	2,204	2,160	1,427	-11.9%	-13.8%
CHO 1	Donegal	3,952	4,272	3,081	-3.8%	-1.1%
CHO 1	Sligo Leitrim	1,660	1,452	1,801	65.4%	57.2%
CHO 2	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,261</b>	<b>2,460</b>	<b>1,178</b>	<b>-36.1%</b>	<b>-34.5%</b>
CHO 2	Galway	1,082	1,248	92	-90.2%	-89.8%
CHO 2	Mayo	555	564	614	45.2%	49.0%
CHO 2	Roscommon	624	648	472	-2.1%	-2.5%
CHO 3	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,231</b>	<b>5,424</b>	<b>1,125</b>	<b>-72.3%</b>	<b>-72.2%</b>
CHO 3	Clare	1,574	1,620	318	-73.8%	-73.1%
CHO 3	Limerick	1,529	1,524	402	-64.8%	-65.6%
CHO 3	North Tipperary East Limerick	2,128	2,280	405	-76.3%	-76.0%

CHO 4	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,816</b>	<b>8,004</b>	<b>3,156</b>	<b>-47.3%</b>	<b>-47.3%</b>
CHO 4	Kerry	1,552	1,632	664	-45.6%	-45.1%
CHO 4	North Cork	1,939	1,968	852	-42.3%	-42.9%
CHO 4	North Lee	1,746	1,728	716	-44.6%	-45.4%
CHO 4	South Lee	1,995	2,064	777	-49.7%	-49.0%
CHO 4	West Cork	584	612	147	-68.1%	-67.7%
CHO 5	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,746</b>	<b>7,788</b>	<b>5,103</b>	<b>-12.6%</b>	<b>-12.9%</b>
CHO 5	Carlow Kilkenny	2,069	2,100	1,478	-6.3%	-4.3%
CHO 5	South Tipperary	1,690	1,716	1,095	-14.7%	-15.8%
CHO 5	Waterford	1,670	1,632	1,334	9.2%	8.0%
CHO 5	Wexford	2,317	2,340	1,196	-31.9%	-32.7%
CHO 6	<b>Total</b>	<b>3,391</b>	<b>3,708</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>
CHO 6	Dublin South East		0			
CHO 6	Dun Laoghaire	3,391	3,708	2,842	2.3%	5.1%
CHO 6	Wicklow		0			
CHO 7	<b>Total</b>	<b>11,293</b>	<b>11,748</b>	<b>8,363</b>	<b>-5.2%</b>	<b>-4.7%</b>
CHO 7	Dublin South City	1,509	1,632	844	-30.9%	-30.2%
CHO 7	Dublin South West	2,775	2,832	2,353	10.6%	10.1%
CHO 7	Dublin West	3,701	3,816	1,978	-30.9%	-30.1%
CHO 7	Kildare West Wicklow	3,308	3,468	3,188	22.4%	22.8%
CHO 8	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,688</b>	<b>8,604</b>	<b>5,069</b>	<b>-21.5%</b>	<b>-22.3%</b>
CHO 8	Laois Offaly	2,600	2,640	1,625	-17.8%	-19.2%
CHO 8	Longford Westmeath	1,429	1,404	1,188	12.6%	10.3%
CHO 8	Louth	2,403	2,364	1,287	-27.5%	-28.8%
CHO 8	Meath	2,256	2,196	969	-41.1%	-40.5%
CHO 9	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,968</b>	<b>9,072</b>	<b>5,452</b>	<b>-19.9%</b>	<b>-19.9%</b>
CHO 9	Dublin North	3,769	3,756	2,245	-20.2%	-20.4%
CHO 9	Dublin North Central	1,455	1,512	1,329	16.8%	15.3%
CHO 9	Dublin North West	3,744	3,804	1,878	-34.1%	-33.7%

**No of new Oral Health patients who commenced treatment within three months of scheduled oral health assessment**

<b>National Total</b>		<b>107,916</b>	<b>109,752</b>	<b>26,293</b>	<b>-68.1%</b>	<b>-68.1%</b>
CHO 1	<b>Total</b>	<b>12,341</b>	<b>11,580</b>	<b>3,554</b>	<b>-59.1%</b>	<b>-60.6%</b>
CHO 1	Cavan Monaghan	3,639	3,444	951	-63.2%	-64.5%
CHO 1	Donegal	5,866	5,652	1,546	-63.5%	-65.1%
CHO 1	Sligo Leitrim	2,836	2,484	1,057	-43.3%	-44.6%
CHO 2	<b>Total</b>	<b>6,108</b>	<b>6,408</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>-80.2%</b>	<b>-79.9%</b>
CHO 2	Galway	2,599	2,916	164	-92.5%	-92.2%
CHO 2	Mayo	1,655	1,656	377	-69.6%	-69.4%
CHO 2	Roscommon	1,854	1,836	411	-70.2%	-70.4%
CHO 3	<b>Total</b>	<b>11,522</b>	<b>12,024</b>	<b>2,203</b>	<b>-75.6%</b>	<b>-75.8%</b>
CHO 3	Clare	2,658	2,568	614	-68.1%	-68.3%
CHO 3	Limerick	3,924	4,056	919	-69.8%	-69.9%
CHO 3	North Tipperary East Limerick	4,940	5,400	670	-83.5%	-83.7%
CHO 4	<b>Total</b>	<b>18,968</b>	<b>19,056</b>	<b>4,259</b>	<b>-70.2%</b>	<b>-70.7%</b>
CHO 4	Kerry	2,325	2,388	909	-49.2%	-49.0%
CHO 4	North Cork	3,996	4,332	839	-74.2%	-74.7%
CHO 4	North Lee	4,987	4,704	1,040	-70.5%	-71.5%
CHO 4	South Lee	6,122	6,180	1,166	-74.8%	-75.1%
CHO 4	West Cork	1,538	1,452	305	-72.0%	-72.8%
CHO 5	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,524</b>	<b>7,140</b>	<b>2,125</b>	<b>-60.3%</b>	<b>-60.5%</b>
CHO 5	Carlow Kilkenny	2,672	2,556	562	-70.7%	-70.6%
CHO 5	South Tipperary	1,682	1,752	490	-62.7%	-62.5%
CHO 5	Waterford	1,777	1,608	651	-46.0%	-44.6%
CHO 5	Wexford	1,393	1,224	422	-54.0%	-57.0%
CHO 6	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,170</b>	<b>5,448</b>	<b>1,483</b>	<b>-63.7%</b>	<b>-63.0%</b>
CHO 6	Dublin South East		0			
CHO 6	Dun Laoghaire	5,170	5,448	1,483	-63.7%	-63.0%
CHO 6	Wicklow		0			
CHO 7	<b>Total</b>	<b>18,618</b>	<b>18,576</b>	<b>5,989</b>	<b>-57.0%</b>	<b>-57.3%</b>
CHO 7	Dublin South City	2,531	2,520	1,333	-29.5%	-29.4%
CHO 7	Dublin South West	5,471	4,920	1,864	-49.5%	-51.5%

CHO 7	Dublin West	3,639	3,984	1,044	-65.1%	-64.5%
CHO 7	Kildare West Wicklow	6,977	7,152	1,748	-67.4%	-67.3%
CHO 8	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,035</b>	<b>14,304</b>	<b>1,876</b>	<b>-82.5%</b>	<b>-81.9%</b>
CHO 8	Laois Offaly	1,820	1,764	421	-68.2%	-68.8%
CHO 8	Longford Westmeath	2,559	2,832	346	-83.7%	-84.1%
CHO 8	Louth	3,101	2,976	766	-65.7%	-63.8%
CHO 8	Meath	5,555	6,732	343	-93.2%	-92.7%
CHO 9	<b>Total</b>	<b>14,630</b>	<b>15,216</b>	<b>3,852</b>	<b>-66.2%</b>	<b>-65.8%</b>
CHO 9	Dublin North	6,006	6,504	1,448	-70.3%	-69.2%
CHO 9	Dublin North Central	2,792	2,808	963	-54.3%	-55.6%
CHO 9	Dublin North West	5,832	5,904	1,441	-67.5%	-67.2%

## Appendix 2: KPI Data Orthodontic Service Q3 2020\*

	In Active Treatment	Waiting < 2 years	Waiting 2-4 years	Waiting > 4 years	Totals
Former East Coast (Loughlinstown)*		481	447	152	1080
Former South West (St James's)*	2,261	935	1073	327	2335
Midlands*	604		0		0
DNE	1,558	1,032	722	493	2247
South	2,255	1,360	792	89	2241
South East	1,063	853	1335	811	2999
Mid Western	1,463	555	840	328	1723
North West	742	473	212		685
Western	2,093	1,048	716	239	2003
Totals	12,039	6737	6137	2439	15313

\*Data for Former East Coast (Loughlinstown)\*Former South West (St James's)\* and Midlands\* as at Q2 2020