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**Re: PQ Number: 23621/20**

**Question: To ask the Minister for Health the reason the HSE has stopped providing the median age of those that died with or of Covid-19 since 12 June 2020; and if he will make a statement on the matter.**

Dear Deputy O'Callaghan

I refer to the above Parliamentary Question which has been referred by the Minister for Health to the Health Service Executive for direct response.

The HSE Health Protection Surveillance Centre has continued to provide median age of deaths in all COVID-19 cases notified in Ireland in the Epidemiology of COVID-19 in Ireland report available at: <https://www.hpsc.ie/a-z/respiratory/coronavirus/novelcoronavirus/casesinireland/epidemiologyofcovid-19inireland/>

If you require any further information or clarification please do contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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