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To ask the Minister for Health the number of dentists in County Wexford who were contracted with the HSE under the dental treatment services scheme who have left the scheme in the past 24 months; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Murphy,

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

I have examined the matter and the following response outlines the current position.

Persons with Medical Card eligibility and other eligible persons can access Dental Treatment through the Dental Treatment Services Scheme (DTSS).

I can confirm that the number of dentists who were contracted with the HSE under the DTSS, who have left the scheme in the past 24 months are as follows:
26 Dentists in total for Wexford (17 in County Wexford and 9 in Wexford Town).

I trust this information is of assistance to you. Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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