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PQ: 61594/21

To ask the Minister for Health the number of participants who are currently receiving treatment under the medical cannabis access programme; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Violet-Anne Wynne

Dear Deputy Wynne,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 61594/21), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

As of 10<sup>th</sup> December 2020, the HSE has assigned 4 CMUR patient specific numbers to consultants for use when they are prescribing Schedule One products under S.I. No 262 of 2019 Misuse of Drugs (Prescription and Control of Supply of Cannabis for Medical Use) Regulations 2019 (as amended) for their individual patients. One prescription was submitted for reimbursement at the end of November 2020.

Yours sincerely,

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