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Deputy Pearse Doherty, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2

*Re; PQ ref 13506/21; To ask the Minister for Health the number of patients in 2020, who were referred form Donegal and Killybegs community hospitals to other community hospitals for x-rays; and if he will make a statement on the matter.* 

Dear Deputy Doherty,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Representation, which you submitted to the Chief Officer, CHO 1 for response.

GP NAME / PRACTICE	No. OF PATIENTS REFERRED TO OTHER COMMUNITY XRAY
Dr. Barry Breen / Mountcharles	1
Dr. Kamran Qadeer / Killybegs	1

There was a reduction in GP referrals due to the pandemic as people weren't going to the GP's, this was reflected all over the county.

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

Yours sincerely,

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