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PQ: 14810/21

To ask the Minister for Health the number of dentists paid a minimum of €5,000 per month by the HSE for each of the past 12 months by county associated with the provision of dental care to eligible medical card patients under the dental services treatment scheme. -Róisín Shortall.

Dear Deputy Shortall,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 14810/21), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please see attached report for the Number of Dentists who were paid a minimum of €5,000 per month by LHO for the period February 2020 to January 2021.

Yours sincerely,

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Suzanne Doyle Primary Care Eligibility & Reimbursement Service

The Health Service Executive operates the General Medical Services Scheme, which includes Medical Cards and GP Visit Cards, under the Health Act 1970, as amended. It has established a dedicated contact service for members of the Oireachtas specifically for queries relating to the status of Medical Cards and GP Visit Cards applications, which the Deputy / Senator may wish to use for an earlier response. Tel: 01-8647180 / email: <u>Oireachtas.pcrs@hse.ie</u>