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To ask the Minister for Health the number of intern doctor positions by acute hospital group in each of the years 2015 to 2020; and the projected number for 2021, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Daly

Medical Interns are allocated Intern posts via the Intern Training Networks and not via hospital groups. Therefore, please find details attached outlining the number of Internship posts by clinical site allocated within each Intern Training Network for the years 2015 to 2020 along with those projected for 2021.

Intern Posts - July, 2020

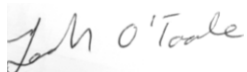
Intern Network	Hospital Site	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
DML	Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	53	53	50	50	50	73	59
	Midland Regional Hospital, Tullamore	8	8	8	8	8	8	9
	Midland Regional Hospital, Portlaoise	7	7	6	6	6	6	7
	Midland Regional Hospital, Mullingar	9	9	9	9	9	9	11
	Cappagh Orthopaedic Hospital	3	3	3	3	3	1	1
	Coombe Primary Care	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Beacon Hospital	2	2	3	3	3	3	3
	St. Colmcilles' Hospital	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
	Mater Private Hospital	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	St. Vincents University Hospital	40	40	43	43	43	69	54
	St. Michaels' Hospital	4	4	4	4	4	5	4
	Greystones Primary Care	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Temple Street	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	St. Vincents' Fairview	2	2	2	2	2	0	0
	Holles St	2	2	0	0	0	0	0



Intern Network	Hospital Site							
DNE	Connolly Hospital, Blanchardstown	24	24	24	24	24	34	28
	University Hospital, Waterford	20	20	20	20	20	29	28
	Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda	24	24	24	24	24	32	28
	Beaumont Hospital	69	69	66	66	66	85	69
	Temple Street	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Cappagh Orthopaedic Hospital	2	2	2	2	2	2	3
	Midland Regional Hospital, Mullingar	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Intern Network	Hospital Site							
DSE	St. James' Hospital	55	55	52	52	52	74	61
	Linn Dara	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Wexford General Hospital	10	10	10	10	10	13	12
	St. Lukes' Hospital, Kilkenny	10	10	10	10	10	11	12
	Tallaght Hospital	42	42	42	42	42	53	48
	Naas General Hospital	8	8	8	8	8	10	9
Intern Network	Hospital Site							
MWT	University Hospital, Limerick	48	48	45	45	45	92	65
	St. Johns' Hospital, Limerick	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Primary Care, Ennis	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
	University Hospital, Limerick (Maternity)	1	1	2	2	2	3	2
Intern Network	Hospital Site							
STH	Mercy University Hospital	24	24	24	24	24	28	27
	South Infirmary Victoria Uni. Hospital	17	17	17	17	17	21	19
	Bons Secour Private	9	9	9	9	9	12	11
	Cork University Hospital	47	47	44	44	44	56	47
	Mitchelstown GP	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
	Mallow GP	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
	Bantry General Hospital	4	4	4	4	4	5	5
	Mallow General Hospital	4	4	4	4	4	5	5
	Kerry General Hospital	17	17	17	17	17	25	21
	South Tipperary General Hospital	9	9	9	9	9	14	13
	St. Stephens Hospital, Glanmire	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

Intern Network	Hospital Site							
WNW	University College Hospital, Galway	74	74	71	71	71	95	78
	Portiuncula Hospital	11	11	11	11	11	13	12
	Mayo University Hospital	11	11	11	11	11	15	14
	Galway Clinic	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Letterkenny University Hospital	15	15	15	15	15	20	19
	Sligo University Hospital	13	13	13	13	13	17	16
	Roscommon General Hospital	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
	Letterkenny GP	1	1	0.5	0.5	0.5	1	1
	UCH Galway Claddagh GP	0	0	0.5	0.5	0.5	2	2
	Bon Secours Galway	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	*Academic Track			24	24	24	24	24
	TOTAL	727	727	734	734	734	992	854

*The Academic Intern Track began in 2017 resulting in some reconfiguration of clinical sites for Intern rotations within the Intern networks.



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