

Our ref: CD/br (994) 9042000
13th July, 2021

Mr. Peadar Tóibín,
Houses of the Oireachtas,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

Re; PQ Ref: 23640/21
Question; To ask the Minister for Health the number of cancelled hospital appointments in University Hospital Mayo in 2020 and to date in 2021. - Peadar Tóibín

Dear Mr. Tóibín,,

I refer to your representation regarding the above and confirm the following;

2020;

Total cancellations;	11,577
Hospital cancellations;	7,162
(Approximately 4,500 in March April May)	

2021;

Total cancellations to date;	4,445
Hospital cancellations to date;	2,485
Cyber-attack;	1,385

I would like to acknowledge the delay in responding to this PQ. This was due to a number of factors including changes to the Hospital Management Reporting System in November 2020 and the subsequent impact of the cyber attack in May. This has left our reporting system unreliable in regard to accuracy. The information is as correct as we can give however it is not reliable.

Kind Regards,



Catherine Donohoe
Hospital Manager