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**Deputy Matt Carthy
Dáil Eireann
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PQ 52400/21: To ask the Minister for Health the number of dentists participating in the dental treatment services scheme by county or smallest available geographic unit; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Carthy,

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

The number of dentists (including Clinical Dental Technicians CDTs) that hold Dental Treatment Services Scheme (DTSS) contracts is 1175 at end October 2021.

The data is available by HSE Local Health Office (LHO) region and is detailed in the attached Excel Sheet.

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but if you require further clarification please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joe Green', positioned above a horizontal line.

**Joseph Green
AND, National Oral Health Lead - Operations**