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PQ 56933/21 *To ask the Minister for Health the ratio of management to patients in the public and voluntary hospitals; and the way this compares to private hospitals*

Dear Deputy Tóibín,

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

During 2020 almost 1.5 million patients received inpatient and day case treatment with over 900,000 of these on a day case basis. During this period there were over 1.2m emergency attendances and almost 3m people attended outpatient departments.

The HSE's service employment report in December 2020, showed that there were 579 employed in an administrative management role and there were 4,924 nurses and midwives employed in a management role within the acute services.

The HSE does not have details of the numbers of staff in private hospitals.

I trust that this answers your question.

Yours sincerely,

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