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Deputy Pádraig MacLochlainn,
Bobby Sands/Eddie Fullerton House,
Ard O Donnell,
High Road,
Letterkenny,
Co. Donegal

Re: PQ ref 58732/21: To ask the Minister for Health the number of nurses based at St Joseph's Community Hospital, County Donegal in each of the years 2004 to 2020 and to date in 2021, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy MacLochlainn,

I refer to your recent Parliamentary Question in relation to the number of nurses employed in St Joseph's Community Hospital in each of the years 2004 to 2021 to date.

Please find attached a table including the requested information for the years 2007 to 2021 inclusive, which shows the correlation between the number of beds open in the unit and the number of nursing staff employed. I am unable to obtain the data for the years 2004 through to 2006 at this time.

I trust this information of assistance to you, however if you have any further queries do not hesitate to contact my office

Yours sincerely,

Mr Patrick Murray,
Head of HR, CHO 1

Community Hospital	2007		2008		2009		2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019		2020		2021 (October)	
	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds	No of Nurses	No of Beds
St Josephs	39.23	92	36.2	91	32.4	91	34.71	89	35.51	78	38.78	78	31.32	67	28.94	67	26.02	67	29.54	67	27.79	67	26.1	67	26.58	67	28.42	56	22.98	54