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PQ: 19006/22

**To ask the Minister for Health the number of claims submitted by dentists under the dental treatment services scheme in each of the years from 2011 to 2021 and to date in 2022; the number of dentists who submitted less than 50, 50 to 100, 100 to 250, 250 to 500, 500 to 1000 and more than 1000 claims in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -David Cullinane**

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 19006/22), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please see below data regarding claims submitted by dentists under the Dental Treatment Services Scheme as requested.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Suzanne Doyle'.

Suzanne Doyle  
Primary Care Eligibility & Reimbursement Service

Year	Range					No. of Dentists with claims 1,001 & Over	No. of Dentists who submitted claims	Total No. of Claims submitted
	No. of Dentists with claims Under 50	No. of Dentists with claims 50-100	No. of Dentists with claims 101-250	No. of Dentists with claims 251-500	No. of Dentists with claims 501-1000			
2011	327	124	257	341	279	100	1,428	506,344
2012	217	104	230	322	336	145	1,354	600,829
2013	179	84	228	329	350	186	1,356	680,144
2014	146	89	221	357	360	170	1,343	686,764
2015	146	82	209	338	372	164	1,311	665,356
2016	116	91	237	353	385	146	1,328	663,710
2017	172	83	244	355	371	156	1,381	665,743
2018	165	100	262	367	338	143	1,375	633,327
2019	166	101	234	348	344	136	1,329	615,627
2020	174	122	299	323	239	77	1,234	451,563
2021	143	68	229	242	214	97	993	430,547
Jan to Mar 2022	206	192	243	100	14	0	755	100,344