



Our Ref: PQ 19850/22

10th May 2022

Deputy David Cullinane
Dáil Eireann
Dublin 2

Dear Deputy Cullinane

I refer to your recent PQ which has have been forwarded to me for attention.

PQ: To ask the Minister for Health the number of children who are currently waiting for scoliosis surgeries in all categories in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Childrens Health Ireland (CHI) Response:

I have followed up with Children's Health Ireland (CHI) and set-out hereunder the information you require. Please be advised that this data is as of 22nd of April 2022.

Hospital	Total Spinal WL as of 22/04/2022 (excluding suspensions)	Number of suspensions*** on the Spinal WL 22/04/2022	Total Spinal WL as of 22/04/2022 (including suspensions)
Crumlin Spinal Fusion	84	17	101
Crumlin Spinal Other	58	2	60
Temple Street Spinal Fusion	34	6	40
Temple Street Spinal Other	24	0	24
Cappagh Spinal Fusion	15	1	16
Current Total	215	26	241



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I trust this is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

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