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Deputy Thomas Pringle TD  
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Kildare Street,  
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**Re: PQ10326/22 - "To ask the Minister for Health the number of staff vacancies in podiatry services for local people with diabetes in the CHO1 area; and if he will make a statement on the matter".**

Dear Deputy Pringle,

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. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position

In relation to Podiatry vacancies for Diabetes only:

**Donegal:** 1 WTE Clinical Specialist; 1 WTE Senior; 1 WTE Staff Grade

**Cavan/Monaghan:** 1 WTE Staff Grade

**Sligo/Leitrim:** Nil

There is a recruitment campaign underway for staff grade podiatrist posts.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards,

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