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**PQ 9935/22**

**To ask the Minister for Health the number of dentists that held contracts for the dental treatment service scheme in County Wexford at December 2020, 2021 and to date in 2022, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.**

Dear Deputy Mythen,

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

*I have reviewed the matter and the following outlines the current position.*

Persons with medical card eligibility and other eligible persons can access dental treatment through the Dental Treatment Services Scheme (DTSS). The table below outlines the number of dentists that held contracts for the DTSS in Co. Wexford from 2020 to 2022 (to date).

Co. Wexford	2020	2021	2022 (to date)
<b>No. of dentists that held contracts for the dental treatment services scheme</b>	22 8 in Wexford Town 14 in County Wexford	24 9 in Wexford Town 15 in County Wexford	24 9 in Wexford Town 15 in County Wexford

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

Yours sincerely,

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