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Deputy Pauline Tully,
Dáil Éireann,
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PQ 1400/22 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of ophthalmologists employed by the HSE nationally in each of the years 2017 to 2021; the number employed in Cavan General Hospital over the same period; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

- Pauline Tully

Dear Deputy Tully,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 1400/22) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please note that this information is not available in the format requested. However, detailed information on the number of HSE staff grades of those disciplines employed from 2018 to 2021 is publicly available on the HSE website at www.hse.ie. The national version of this report can be found at the hyperlink below. <https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/our-workforce/workforce-reporting/national-reports.html>. I have also attached a copy of this report.

Information pertaining to a more specific area can be found at <https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/our-workforce/workforce-reporting/>, which is broken down by Community Health Organisation, Hospital Group, etc.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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