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PQ 2100/22: To ask the Minister for Health the number of full-time staff working 39 hours and part-time staff working 37 hours or less staff employed in the HSE by staff grade; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

I refer to your recent parliamentary question in relation to staffing which was forwarded to the Health Services Executive (HSE) by the Department of Health for direct reply.

The Deputy will be interested to note that, employment levels at the end of Dec 2021 show there were 150,903 personnel (*equating to 132,323 whole-time equivalents*), in almost 700 different grades, directly employed in the provision of Health & Social Care Services by the HSE and the various Section 38 hospitals & agencies and of which 107,867 (71.5%) were record as working on a full-time basis.

Details by staff grouping are as set out in the following table:

by Staff Group: Dec 2021	Full-time hours/ Week	No. Dec 21	No Full- time: Dec 21	No Part- time: Dec 21
Total¹		150,903	107,867	43,036
Medical & Dental	39	12,975	11,642	1,333
Consultants	39	3,945	3,359	586
Registrars	39	4,248	4,097	151
SHO/ Interns	39	3,654	3,629	25
Medical/ Dental, other	39	1,128	557	571

by Staff Group: Dec 2021 <i>(continued)</i>	Full-time hours/ Week	No. Dec 21	No Full- time: Dec 21	No Part- time: Dec 21
Nursing & Midwifery	39	47,375	33,384	13,991
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager	39	8,232	6,202	2,030
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	39	2,791	2,061	730
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	39	31,982	21,637	10,345
Public Health Nurse	39	1,835	1,306	529
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	39	650	590	60
Nursing/ Midwifery other	39	390	279	111
Health & Social Care Professionals	37	21,800	15,605	6,195
Therapy Professions	37	6,869	5,140	1,729
Health Science/ Diagnostics	37	5,474	4,321	1,153
Social Care	39	3,665	1,825	1,840
Social Workers	37	1,457	1,165	292
Psychologists	37	1,236	951	285
Pharmacy	37	1,447	1,141	306
H&SC, Other ²	37-39	1,652	1,062	590
Management & Administrative	37	23,941	18,569	5,372
Management (VIII & above)	37	2,282	2,192	90
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	37	7,151	6,107	1,044
Clerical (III & IV)	37	14,508	10,270	4,238
General Support	39	11,478	8,116	3,362
Support	39	10,239	6,939	3,300
Maintenance/ Technical	39	1,239	1,177	62
Patient & Client Care	39	33,334	20,551	12,783
Health Care Assistants	39	22,293	13,994	8,299
Home Help	39	5,195	2,117	3,078
Ambulance Staff	39	1,998	1,989	9
Care, other	39	3,848	2,451	1,397

Source: Health Service Personnel Census

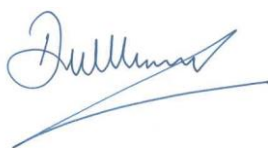
Note¹: Health Sector staffing figures relate to direct employment levels as returned through the Health Service Personnel Census (HSPC) for the public health sector (HSE & Section agencies)

Note²: H&SC, Other generally 37 hours with the exception of vaccinators 39 hours.

The HSE conducts a monthly census of public health services employment across all services covering the HSE and Section 38 Voluntary Hospitals & Agencies. The Health Services Personnel Census (HSPC) is the official employment count for the public health sector and is routinely published at <https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/our-workforce/workforce-reporting/>.

I trust that this information is sufficient to meet the Deputy's needs.

Yours sincerely,



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