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Deputy John Lahart
Dáil Eireann
Dublin 2

Dear Deputy Lahart

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

PQ: To ask the Minister for Health the number of spinal fusion patients currently waiting less than 4 months for treatment in Our Lady's Children's Hospital, Crumlin and Temple Street Children's University Hospital for the end of June 2022 or the latest date available; the number waiting 4-8, and more than 8 months; and if he will provide the same information for other spinal patients in tabular form.

Childrens Health Ireland (CHI) Response:

I have followed up with Children's Health Ireland (CHI) set out here-under, the information that you require.

Please note that these numbers are active patients.

Spinal Fusion Inpatient waiting list as of 15/07/2022	Waiting <4 months	Waiting 4-8 months	Waiting >8 months
CHI at Crumlin	23	29	23
CHI at Temple Street	9	12	10
Totals	32	41	33

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

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