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Acute Operations,

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22nd July 2022

**Deputy David Cullinane
Dáil Eireann
Leinster House
Dublin 2**

PQ 37436/22

To ask the Minister for Health the number and percentage of patients who waited 0-6, 6-12, 12-24, 24-36, 36-48, and 48+ hours for admission via an emergency department, for each emergency department, in June 2022, in tabular form; the number of patients aged over 60 and over 75 years; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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.

In order to support HSE consistent monitoring across all sites, it is important that Patient Experience Time (PET) reports and aligns with HSE key performance indicators/targets. These targets are within time and age bands respectively. This information is published by BIU/HSE and used to manage and drive performance improvement.

For you information the PET targets are monitored and reported in context of time bands and age bands as follows:

Time Bands

- 6 Hours
- 9 Hours
- 24 Hours
- Greater than 24 Hours- Please note that all patients waiting greater than 24 hours are included within this time band and could include patients waiting for longer time periods.

Age Bands

- Those aged 75 years and over
- All attendances irrespective of age

I am pleased to provide you with the available requested data in the attached table, which sets out the 0-6 & greater than 24 hours PET times for patients aged over 75 Years, please note the following:



- Data provided in these reports are preliminary and may be subject to change due to ongoing validation.
- June data is very preliminary and subject to change.

I trust this response is helpful.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Ruddin', written over a thin horizontal line.

Eileen Ruddin
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Table 1 : PQ 37436/22 Number and percentage of Patients Over 75yrs who were admitted within 0-6hours and >24 hours of registration at ED for June 2022

	Within 0-6 hours		>24 Hours	
	Over 75 Years	Over 75 Years	Over 75 Years	Over 75 Years
National Total	1913	22.5%	1408	16.6%
Dublin Midlands Hospital Group	252	19.1%	175	13.3%
MRH Portlaoise	55	32.9%	5	3.0%
MRH Tullamore	49	18.0%	8	2.9%
Naas General Hospital	65	27.5%	65	27.5%
St. James's Hospital	48	15.3%	12	3.8%
Tallaght University Hospital	35	10.7%	85	25.9%
Ireland East Hospital Group	482	25.1%	379	19.7%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	56	13.4%	113	27.1%
MRH Mullingar	32	13.6%	45	19.1%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	42	32.3%	1	0.8%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	241	73.9%	0	0.0%
St. Michael's Hospital	36	42.9%	0	0.0%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	19	4.5%	189	45.1%
Wexford General Hospital	56	18.0%	31	10.0%
RCSI Hospitals Group	222	15.0%	107	7.2%
Beaumont Hospital	48	9.9%	8	1.6%
Cavan General Hospital	51	20.2%	35	13.9%
Connolly Hospital	20	6.6%	15	5.0%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	103	23.4%	49	11.1%
Saolta University Health Care Group	516	30.3%	209	12.3%
Galway University Hospitals	168	36.6%	114	24.8%
Letterkenny University Hospital	231	55.4%	20	4.8%
Mayo University Hospital	37	10.9%	23	6.8%
Portiuncula University Hospital	52	24.5%	4	1.9%
Sligo University Hospital	28	10.1%	48	17.3%
South / South West Hospital Group	252	16.5%	391	25.6%
Cork University Hospital	38	9.1%	208	49.6%
Mercy University Hospital	8	4.1%	84	43.1%
Tipperary University Hospital	84	34.1%	3	1.2%
UH Kerry	66	22.1%	83	27.8%
UH Waterford	56	15.2%	13	3.5%
UL Hospitals Group	189	35.0%	147	27.2%
UH Limerick	189	35.0%	147	27.2%

* Source BIU

Notes

1. Please note data contained in this report is preliminary and may be subject to change
2. June data is very preliminary at this moment in time