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***To ask the Minister for Health the number of vascular consultants working in the South/Southwest Hospital Group, broken down by hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter.***

***David Cullinane***

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. We have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

There are 7 approved Consultant General Surgeons with a Special Interest (S.I) in Vascular Surgery working in the South/South West Hospital Group (SSWHG), breakdown as follows:

<b>HOSPITAL</b>	<b>NUMBER OF CONSULTANTS</b>
Cork University Hospital	2
Mercy University Hospital	2
University Hospital Waterford	3 funded posts – 4 Consultants**

\*\* Please note there are 3 funded Consultant Posts. However, there are currently 4 Consultants on site (including locum arrangements) as 1 is carrying out a Clinical Director role.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries, please contact me.

Yours Sincerely



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