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22 June 2022,

**Deputy Mark Ward**  
**Dail Eireann**  
**Dublin 2.**

**PQ 27227/22 To ask the Minister for Health the number of inpatient admission to CAMHS by location in each of the years 2018 to 2021 and to date 2022, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Mark Ward**

Dear Deputy Ward,

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. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position:

The number of referrals received & accepted by CAMHS 2018 to end of May 2022

CHO	2018			2019			2020			2021			YTD May 2022		
	Received	Accepted	% Accepted	Received	Accepted	% Accepted	Received	Accepted	% Accepted	Received	Accepted	% Accepted	Received	Accepted	% Accepted
CHO 1	1,461	1,030	70%	1,478	1,095	74%	1,366	1,109	81%	1,739	1,309	75%	800	583	73%
CHO 2	1,821	1,247	68%	1,867	1,257	67%	1,663	1,138	68%	1,999	1,412	71%	822	548	67%
CHO 3	2,002	1,593	80%	1,856	1,391	75%	1,699	1,292	76%	1,876	1,419	76%	849	555	65%
CHO 4	2,214	1,573	71%	2,395	1,520	63%	2,317	1,625	70%	2,555	1,512	59%	1,203	572	48%
CHO 5	1,943	1,178	61%	2,194	1,393	63%	1,863	1,179	63%	2,331	1,324	57%	867	440	51%
CHO 6	1,974	1,650	84%	2,018	1,641	81%	1,875	1,492	80%	2,603	1,864	72%	1,181	824	70%
CHO 7	2,567	1,796	70%	2,215	1,642	74%	2,370	1,745	74%	4,153	2,986	72%	1,606	1,116	72%
CHO 8	3,107	2,319	75%	3,206	2,294	72%	2,913	2,098	72%	3,746	2,483	66%	1,764	1,086	62%
CHO 9	1,561	869	56%	1,602	957	60%	1,370	853	62%	212	1,184	56%	875	404	46%
<b>National Total</b>	<b>18,650</b>	<b>13,255</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>18,831</b>	<b>13,190</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>17,436</b>	<b>12,531</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>23,125</b>	<b>15,493</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>9,967</b>	<b>6,175</b>	<b>62%</b>

The number of children admitted to adult mental health units has reduced during 2022. The latest available data is the end of May 2022 that indicates there were 6 child admissions to adult units in the year to date. This



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is compared to 13 child admissions to adult units in same period last year and an overall figure of 27 admitted in 2021

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

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tony McCusker".

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Tony McCusker  
General Manager Mental Health Services