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Áras Dargan, An Ceantar Theas, An Bóthar Míleata, Cill Mhaighneann, Baile Átha Cliath 8

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6<sup>th</sup> December 2022

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

**PQ 57833/22**

**To ask the Minister for Health the number of patients who could not be discharged on time due to a lack of suitable arrangements by reported reason type and by location by month to date in 2022, in tabular form.**

**PQ 57838/22**

**To ask the Minister for Health the number of patients who could not be discharged on time due to a lack of suitable arrangements, by reported reason type, by location and by month in 2019, in tabular form.**

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.

The attached document outlines the requested data in tabular form.

Please note

In 2019 DTOC only had 3 categories and this was expanded to provide 8 categories in 2022.

I trust this response is helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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