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

**PQ 49877/22**

***To ask the Minister for Health the State wide mean, median, and maximum time to admission via an emergency department for all patients under 75, and 75 plus years of age for July, August, and September 2022, in tabular form; 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.

I wish to advise that the mean, median and maximum times to admissions via an emergency department for all patients, under 75 and 75+ are not currently reported. In this regard, I do, however, outline for your information national average time from registration to admission in the same respective categories.

<b>Age grouping</b>	<b>July</b>	<b>August</b>	<b>September</b>
Under 75	11.8	11.6	11.9
75+	15.3	14.8	14.8
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>12.7</b>

\*Source BIU

- Please note data is preliminary and may be subject to change
- Data is based on what is captured within the Emergency Department dataset, which is subject to on-going validation therefore subject to change.
- This data is based on patients admitted from ED, not all ED attendances. The following discharge destinations were used to identify admissions:
  - Admitted to Ward, Discharged to CDU, Referred to AMU

I trust this response is helpful.

Yours sincerely,



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