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PQ 42520/22 To ask the Minister for Health the number of student nurses and midwives nationally who have received the pandemic recognition payment to date in 2022; the percentage of student nurses and midwives that that figure represents; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Catherine Connolly

Dear Deputy,

I refer to your recent parliamentary question which was sent to the HSE for response.

Please find below number of Student Nurses & Midwives who received pandemic payment as at 26th August, 2022:

Number of Payments made to Student Nurses and Midwives as at 26/08/2022	797
% of Student Nurses & Midwives that this figure represents	76%

Of note, this % above represents the % of all student nurses and midwives.

I trust that this information is sufficient to meet the Deputy's needs.

Yours sincerely,

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