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Mr. Alan Kelly TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin

PQ 45862/22

To ask the Minister for Health the number of whole time equivalent vacancies by job title currently in the minor injuries unit at Our Lady's Hospital, Cashel; when each of these vacancies will be filled, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Kelly,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I have reviewed the matter and the following outlines the current position.

The Minor Injury Unit (MIU) was established in January 2007 and is located on the grounds of Our Lady's Campus Cashel and is approximately 15 miles from the nearest Emergency Department in Tipperary University Hospital.

Minor Injuries Unit,	Vacancies	Staffing Complement
Cashel	0	1 Whole Time Equivalent (WTE) Registrar (agency)
		1 WTE Nursing (2 nurses cover this post)
		1 WTE administration

I trust this information is of assistance to you. Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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