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Deputy Catherine Murphy,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

PQ 47162/22 – To ask the Minister for Health the staff turnover of audiologists within children’s disability services in each of the years 2019 to 2021 and to date in 2022, in tabular form.

- Catherine Murphy

Dear Deputy Murphy,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 47162/22) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please see the below table which illustrates the staff number for audiology within the HSE in the years 2019 to Aug 2022. Please note that this is not specific to children’s disability services, as the data is not collated in this manner, but is collected across the whole health service. For more information on Health Service Employment please see the workforce planning Personnel Census report available from; <https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/our-workforce/workforce-reporting/health-service-personnel-census-august-2022.pdf>

Therapy Professions	WTE Dec 2019	WTE Dec 2020	WTE Dec 2021	WTE Aug 2022
Audiology	72	82	92	93

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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