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Deputy Cathal Crowe,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
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PQ 19410/23 To ask the Minister for Health the total number of people using Ypsopumps insulin pumps who are aged between 0-17 years, and those aged 18 years or greater, in each county, in 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

- Cathal Crowe

Dear Deputy Crowe,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 19410/23) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please note that the authorisation of insulin pumps occurs at an LHO level, and as such, there is not a national database which collates the information centrally or records the number of persons who are approved for insulin pumps each year.

However, the total number of patients who have been prescribed Ypsopumps insulin pumps to date, and who are currently using them is recorded, and is detailed in the below table.

Ypsomed				
	2019	2020	2021	2022
All ages	107	40	27	11
Under 21	16	17	7	1
Over 21	63	18	10	7
DOB unknown	28	5	10	3

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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