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Deputy Patricia Ryan,  
Dáil Eireann,  
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PQ ref 11893/23 “To ask the Minister for Health the number of people on the eye-care waiting list from the CHO7 area; the number waiting for more than six months, the number waiting for more than one year”

Deputy Patricia Ryan

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Dear Deputy Ryan,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for a response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Health Service Executive can confirm as of the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 2023 the number of paediatric patients on the CHO7 eye care waiting list was 696. At this time we are not able to provide detailed waiting list data for the adult service, however no new referrals to CHO7 wait longer than 6 months to be offered an appointment.

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

Yours sincerely,

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