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Mr Matt Shanahan TD Dail Eireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

PQ 11945 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons with diabetes who are awaiting a first appointment to the adult outpatient's diabetes clinic in University Hospital Waterford; the duration of their time on the list since first referral/diagnosis in tabular form

**Dear Deputy Shanahan** 

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Number of patients on Diabetes Mellitus waiting list UHW at 20/03/2023	
Total on Diabetes Mellitus WL	110
Total with no appointment date	85
Total with future appointment date	25
Average days on waiting list	116 (days)

I trust the above is satisfactory but if you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Grace Rothwell
General Manager

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