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

PQ 12709 - To ask the Minister for Health if he will provide in clear detail the number of whole-time equivalents or redirected personnel who have been recruited as part of the University Hospital Waterford 24-person additional cardiac care team; if he will outline the core responsibilities that each of the 24 is tasked with in terms of deployment to the cardiac suite in Waterford; if these are recruited personnel now in place and available for duty; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

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 current position in terms of recruitment for 2nd Cardiac Cath Lab at University Hospital Waterford

Grade Code Description	Current Position
Health Care Assistant	Actively trying to recruit HCA's
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Clerical Officer Grade III - Ward Clerk	Filled
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Clerical Officer Grade III - Ward Clerk	Post can be filled through Agency until National panel formed
Clerical Officer Grade III - HCR	Filled
CNM 2 Coordinator	Filled
CNM	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Filled
Staff Nurse	Actively trying to recruit Nurses
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Senior Cardiac Physiologist	Filled
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Senior Cardiac Physiologist	Awaiting Validation of Overseas Qualification
Senior Radiographer	Post accepted
Senior Radiographer	Post accepted
Porter	Filled
Porter	Filled (redeployment)

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

Yours sincerely,



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