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**Deputy Patricia Ryan** Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin 2

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To ask the Minister for Health the bed occupancy rate for each week for Naas, Tullamore and Portlaoise hospitals of all months 2019-2023, inclusive, in tabular form; the national average; the number of beds available for the period; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Patricia Ryan

Dear Deputy Ryan,

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 attach, as requested, a report outlining the bed occupancy rates for Naas General Hospital, Midland Regional Hospital Tullamore and Midland Regional Hospital Portlaoise for the period you have requested including the national rate for same. The report also includes the average number of inpatient and day beds available for the same period. The information is only currently reported monthly and in this regard we cannot provide you with a weekly figure.

I trust this is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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