

By email to paul.donnelly@oireachtas.ie

18th October 2023

Mr. Paul Donnelly, T.D., Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question "To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE consultant orthopaedic surgeons and orthopaedic registrars at Connolly Hospital, Blanchardstown, in 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023, in tabular form. -Paul Donnelly"

Dear Deputy Donnelly,

The RCSI Hospital Group 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. Having reviewed the matter, the following outlines the position.

Please see below table outlining WTE orthopaedic consultants and orthopaedic registrars at Connolly Hospital in the years requested:

	Dec-21	Dec-22	2023 (YTD)
Orthopaedic Consultant	5	5.82	6.98
Orthopaedic Registrar	4.91	4.84	4.5

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

Stephanie Dunne Communications Manager RCSI Hospitals Group comms@rcsihospitals.ie