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Deputy Pádraig MacLochlainn  
Dáil Eireann,  
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**To ask the Minister for Health the number of day surgeries that have been cancelled at Letterkenny University Hospital in 2021,2022 and 2023; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Pádraig Mac Lochlainn**

Dear Deputy,

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.

Day surgeries cancellations have been impacted as a direct result of the COVID-19 and the ransomware attack.

Please see below

**Day Case patient surgeries cancelled by year in LUH**

2021	778
2022	1334
2023	1114

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours Sincerely,



**Seán Murphy  
General Manager  
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