

13th February, 2024

Deputy Pauline Tully
Dáil Éireann
Leinster House
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

Re: PQ 45288/23 “To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE lactation consultants positions in CHO1 in 2022 and to-date in 2023, in tabular form.”

Dear Deputy Tully

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 table below details the requested information from Primary Care Services in Community Healthcare Cavan, Donegal, Leitrim, Monaghan Sligo (CH CDLMS).

Number of Whole Time Equivalent (WTE) lactation consultants positions in CH CDLMS in 2022 and to-date in 2023		
Area	2022	2023
Cavan Monaghan	1 WTE	1 WTE
Donegal	0	1 WTE
Sligo, South Donegal/Leitrim, West Cavan	1 WTE	1 WTE
Total	2 WTE	3 WTE

Kindly note, this response was held due to Fórsa Industrial Action which has now been lifted.

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

Yours sincerely



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