



25<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

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**Re: PQ 45835/23: To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons that presented to the accident and emergency department of St. Vincent's University Hospital in the years of 2022 and to date in 2023, in tabular form.**

Dear Deputy Smith,

I refer to the above parliamentary question which was sent to me for direct response. I have had this matter examined – please see response for St. Vincent's University Hospital below:

St Vincents University Hospital - ED Monthly Attendances		
	2022	2023
January	5,227	4,648
February	4,802	4,541
March	5,634	5,602
April	4,994	5,264
May	5,229	5,475
June	5,142	5,224
July	5,020	5,438
August	5,086	5,394
September	4,980	5,219
October	5,505	3,188
November	5,175	
December	5,203	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>61,997</b>	<b>49,993</b>

(up to 18/10/23)

I trust that this clarifies the matter.

Yours sincerely

Cahal Flynn,  
Director of Operations.