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PQ 45846/23 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of inpatient beds, by bed type, available at each acute hospital for each quarter and for September for each year 2019-2023 to date, inclusive; and the number of bed days provided. - David Cullinane

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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 attached, as requested, the number of inpatient beds, by bed type, available at each acute hospital for each quarter and for September for each year 2019-2022 (noting that September 2023 data is currently unavailable due to the Forsa industrial action); and the number of bed days provided.

I trust this is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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