

By email to pauline.tully@oireachtas.ie

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Ms. Pauline Tully T.D, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question 38246/23 "To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE midwives working in the maternity department of Cavan General Hospital in each of the years 2020, 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023, in tabular form; if this number will be further increased; and if so, when. -Pauline Tully"

Dear Deputy Tully,

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.

| Year | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
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| WTE | 59 | 58 | 60.06 | 60.98 |

We trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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