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25th September 2023

Deputy Duncan Smith,
Dail Eireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare St, Dublin 2

PQ Number: 38345/23

Dear Deputy Smith,


The Health Service Executive (HSE) – South (Cork & Kerry) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the following Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to this office for response.

PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE senior physiotherapist in elective orthopaedics based at University Hospital Kerry in the years of 2022 and to date in 2023, in tabular form. - Duncan Smith

University Hospital Kerry had 1 WTE Senior Physiotherapist for Orthopaedics in 2022 and 2023. This would cover both elective and non-elective admissions.

I trust this response is to your satisfaction; should you have any further queries however, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Mary Fitzgerald
General Manager
University Hospital Kerry