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**Re: PQ 38854/23 re Physiotherapy Pelvic Health posts**

Dear Deputy O'Rourke

Thank you for your recent correspondence asking for the number of WTE clinical specialist physiotherapists in pelvic health at the Coombe Hospital in 2021.2022 and to date in 2023:

Funding for posts has been received from the National Women & Infants Health Programme to cover:  
2021:

Senior physiotherapist 1 WTE dedicated to the urogynaecology service  
Senior physiotherapist 1 WTE dedicated to antenatal/postnatal and OASIS conditions

2022:

Senior physiotherapist 1 WTE dedicated to antenatal/postnatal and OASIS conditions  
Senior physiotherapist 0.5 WTE dedicated to the endometriosis service.

2023:

1WTE clinical specialist dedicated to endometriosis replacing 0.5 Senior Physiotherapist (see above)  
1WTE clinical specialist dedicated to urogynaecology ( post commenced November 2022) to replace Senior Physiotherapist.  
Senior physiotherapist 1 WTE dedicated to antenatal/postnatal and OASIS conditions.

I trust this is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

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