



Mairéad Farrell, T.D.
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
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5th October 2023

PQ: 41718/23

To ask the Minister for Health the number of medical card holders in each county, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Mairéad Farrell

Dear Deputy Farrell,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 41718/23), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The information you requested is available on our website at [PCRS - Reporting Menu \(sspcrs.ie\)](https://www.sspcrs.ie), along with a lot of other pertinent information. Click on “Eligibility Reports” to find the data relating to medical card holders.

Please note the PCRS does not collate data on medical card holders by county, but rather by CHO number. The Counties covered by each respective CHO are marked on the website. Please also note regarding figures, that a medical card sometimes may cover a child or children in a family unit.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Suzanne Doyle', written in a cursive style.

Suzanne Doyle
Primary Care Eligibility & Reimbursement Service