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Deputy Cathal Crowe,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
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PQ 27543/24 To ask the Minister for Health the total number of people using Tandem TSlim insulin pumps in each county in 2021, 2022 and 2023, in tabular form

- Cathal Crowe

Dear Deputy Crowe,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (PQ 27543/24) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please note that the authorisation of insulin pumps occurs at an LHO level, and as such, there is not a national database which collates the information centrally or records the number of persons who are approved for insulin pumps each year. Primary Care have access to procurement data in relation to Tandem TSlim insulin pumps based on invoicing which I have supplied below. Please note the Tandem TSlim insulin pump became available in Ireland from the end of 2022.

	Tandem TSlim		
	2021	2022	2023
Total	0	597	798

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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