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Letterkenny University Hospital, Letterkenny,
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PQ : 17701/25

To ask the Minister for Health the rate of theatre utilisation in Letterkenny University Hospital for 2024; and if she will make a statement on the matter. -Charles Ward

Dear Deputy

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Letterkenny University Hospital Main Theatre activity 2024			
	Operations	% of operations	
Main Theatre cancellations 2024	208	4.7%	
Main Theatre operations 2024	4233	95.3%	
Total	4441	100.0%	
<i>Note: The cancellations were as a result of the hospital being constricted in the provision of it's normal service e.g. lack of available recovery beds, infection control issues, Theatre overrun, Staff shortages etc.</i>			



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I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours Sincerely,

**Seán Murphy
Hospital Manager
Letterkenny General Hospital**