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Deputy McGuinness Dáil Éireann, Leinster House Dublin 2

PQ 20197/25: To ask the Minister for Health the number of patients that have used each of the HSE fertility hubs in 2024 and to date in 2025 in tabular form.

Dear Deputy McGuinness,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary question which was submitted to the National Women's and Infants Health Programme (NWIHP) for response.

Please see below in tabular form as requested the number of **new** patients seen per hub during the course of 2024 and up to March 2025. It is important to note that the six regional fertility teams manage new patients within the context of them being a couple. This means that both the female and the male are active patients of the hubs and both are assessed and managed with a view to determining the best plan of care for them with reference to the care needs of both the female and the male combined. As such, the table below represents the totality of new male and female patients seen.

	New Patients seen 2024	New Patients seen 2025 (up to March)	Total
NMH	866	216	1082
Rotunda	1096	368	1464
Coombe	1638	378	2016
Cork	1288	238	1526
Galway	822	178	1000
Nenagh	552	92	614
Total	6,232	1470	7702

I trust this clarifies the matter.

Yours sincerely,

MaryJo Biggs, General Manager, National Women and Infants Health Programme