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PQ 21511/25 - To ask the Minister for Health the number and percentage of patients who were waiting 0-6 hours, 0-9 hours, 9-24 hours, and 24+ hours for admission an emergency department for each March of each year 2019-2024, inclusive, nationwide and, by location, in tabular form; and the number and percentage for all patients and patients aged over 75. -David Cullinane

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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

The HSE Business Information Unit (BIU) is a central repository for activity information for Acute and Non Acute Services. The BIU collects, collates and validates extensive amounts of data which is used in performance monitoring and measurement to support the HSE in operational and strategic decisions.

Patient experience time (PET) shows:

The total number of all patients who attended an Emergency Department (ED) and were recorded in the following time bands between 0-6 hours, 0-9 hours and greater than 24 hours, for all patients and patients aged 75 and over.

Patient Experience Time (PET) is the length of time a patient spends in an emergency department from the time they register in an Emergency Department until they are discharged to a hospital bed or discharged home. It therefore does not describe the time a patient is waiting to be seen, but the total time they spend in ED.

The purpose of EDs is to deal with serious and unexpected illness and injury. EDs operate 24/7 and often experience high volumes of persons presenting. During busy periods or when a significant emergency / trauma is underway 'wait time' in the ED can be extensive

There are many reasons that result in longer wait times such as volume of patients presenting to the ED and the requirement to prioritise. This can mean that patients with less serious illnesses and conditions may need to wait longer for their treatment. Many people, whose clinical needs could be more appropriately addressed by self-care, pharmacists, GPs, GP Out of Hours Services and Injury Units, continue to attend Emergency Departments.

The information requested has been provided in the attached Excel file supplied by the Acute BIU.



Please see the data notes on the Excel file and outlined below:

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- CHI Tallaght ED closed from 27th March 2020.

I trust this is of assistance to you.

Yours Sincerely,

John Smith
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2024

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	Total Patients	March					
		Number to 6 hrs	% within 6 hours	Number to 9 hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 9-24 hrs	% within 24 hrs
HSE Dublin and Midlands	35,431	20,993	59.3%	27,459	77.5%	1,030	97.09%
Children's Health Ireland	10,871	7,931	73.0%	9,695	89.2%	79	99.27%
MRH Mullingar	3,905	2,344	60.0%	3,141	80.4%	21	99.46%
MRH Portlaoise	3,959	2,653	67.0%	3,419	86.4%	24	99.39%
MRH Tullamore	3,676	2,470	67.2%	3,177	86.4%	-	100.00%
Nasas General Hospital	2,898	1,236	42.7%	1,675	57.8%	257	91.13%
St. James's Hospital	5,011	2,282	45.7%	3,468	69.0%	320	93.61%
Tallaght University Hospital	5,111	2,067	40.4%	2,944	57.6%	329	93.56%
HSE Dublin and North East	29,033	13,658	47.0%	19,032	65.6%	1,525	94.75%
Beaumont Hospital	5,645	2,012	35.6%	3,309	58.6%	356	93.69%
Cavan General Hospital	3,451	1,955	56.7%	2,643	76.6%	69	98.00%
Connolly Hospital	4,605	2,100	45.6%	3,028	65.8%	132	97.13%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	6,931	3,250	46.9%	4,235	61.1%	425	93.87%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	6,126	2,829	46.2%	3,904	63.7%	541	91.17%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	2,275	1,512	66.5%	1,913	84.1%	2	99.91%
HSE Dublin and South East	25,308	17,162	67.8%	21,085	83.3%	508	97.99%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	4,238	3,055	72.1%	3,756	88.6%	4	99.91%
St. Michael's Hospital	1,657	1,451	87.6%	1,626	98.1%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	5,632	2,861	50.8%	3,774	67.0%	474	91.58%
Tipperary University Hospital	3,087	1,882	61.0%	2,525	81.8%	10	99.68%
UH Waterford	5,977	4,411	73.8%	5,287	88.5%	-	100.00%
Wexford General Hospital	717	3,402	72.1%	4,117	87.3%	20	99.59%
HSE Midwest	7,359	3,960	53.8%	5,251	71.4%	468	93.64%
UH Limerick	7,359	3,960	53.8%	5,251	71.4%	468	93.64%
HSE South West	14,039	7,654	54.5%	10,066	71.7%	701	95.01%
Cork University Hospital	7,463	4,141	55.2%	5,338	71.5%	418	94.40%
Mercy University Hospital	2,863	1,569	54.8%	2,087	72.9%	128	95.53%
UH Kerry	3,713	1,944	52.4%	2,641	71.1%	155	95.83%
HSE West and North West	21,895	11,545	52.7%	16,101	73.5%	535	97.56%
Galway University Hospitals	6,891	3,635	52.7%	5,000	72.6%	261	96.21%
Letterkenny University Hospital	4,615	2,512	54.4%	3,494	75.7%	67	98.55%
Mayo University Hospital	3,742	2,408	64.4%	3,169	84.7%	5	99.87%
Portlaoise University Hospital	2,766	1,548	56.0%	2,110	76.3%	40	98.55%
Sligo University Hospital	3,881	1,442	37.2%	2,328	60.0%	162	95.83%
Grand Total	133,065	74,972	56.3%	98,994	74.4%	4,767	96.42%

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances (admitted or non-admitted) for patients aged 75 years and over

	Total Patients	March					
		Number to 6 hrs	% within 6 hours	Number to 9 hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 9-24 hrs	% within 24 hrs
HSE Dublin and Midlands	3,463	1,262	36.4%	1,991	57.5%	173	95.00%
MRH Mullingar	475	178	37.5%	299	62.9%	4	99.16%
MRH Portlaoise	356	144	40.4%	247	69.4%	3	99.16%
MRH Tullamore	665	326	49.0%	508	76.4%	-	100.00%
Nasas General Hospital	599	176	29.4%	247	41.2%	97	83.61%
St. James's Hospital	700	245	35.0%	404	57.7%	44	93.71%
Tallaght University Hospital	668	193	28.9%	286	42.8%	25	96.26%
HSE Dublin and North East	4,408	1,306	29.6%	2,058	46.7%	500	88.66%
Beaumont Hospital	1,052	212	20.2%	423	40.2%	139	96.79%
Cavan General Hospital	570	223	39.1%	338	59.3%	23	95.96%
Connolly Hospital	889	180	20.1%	285	32.1%	51	92.60%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	891	358	40.2%	468	52.5%	93	89.56%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	834	169	20.1%	290	34.8%	193	76.86%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	372	165	44.4%	254	68.3%	1	99.73%
HSE Dublin and South East	4,409	2,115	48.0%	2,962	67.2%	213	95.17%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	680	417	61.3%	535	78.7%	-	100.00%
St. Michael's Hospital	364	289	79.4%	347	95.3%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	1,384	530	38.3%	713	51.5%	208	84.97%
Tipperary University Hospital	476	169	35.5%	307	64.5%	-	100.00%
UH Waterford	870	398	45.7%	614	70.6%	-	100.00%
Wexford General Hospital	635	312	49.1%	446	70.2%	5	99.21%
HSE Midwest	1,067	533	50.0%	626	58.7%	159	85.10%
UH Limerick	1,067	533	50.0%	626	58.7%	159	85.10%
HSE South West	2,166	731	33.8%	1,065	49.1%	213	90.16%
Cork University Hospital	1,158	418	36.1%	571	49.3%	162	86.01%
Mercy University Hospital	396	109	27.5%	183	46.2%	24	93.94%
UH Kerry	611	204	33.4%	311	50.9%	27	95.58%
HSE West and North West	3,316	982	29.6%	1,777	53.6%	158	95.24%
Galway University Hospitals	916	310	33.8%	475	51.9%	71	92.25%
Letterkenny University Hospital	717	182	25.4%	381	53.1%	18	97.49%
Mayo University Hospital	653	244	37.4%	451	69.1%	1	99.85%
Portlaoise University Hospital	375	102	27.2%	197	52.5%	9	97.60%
Sligo University Hospital	657	144	21.9%	273	41.6%	59	91.02%
Grand Total	18,830	6,929	36.8%	10,479	55.7%	1,416	92.48%

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2023

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	Total Patients	Number 0 to 6 hrs	% within 6 hours	March			
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HSE Dublin and Midlands	34,492	19,508	56.6%	25,637	74.3%	1,906	94.4%
Children's Health Ireland	11,422	7,913	69.3%	10,003	87.6%	221	98.0%
MRH Mullingar	3,861	2,306	59.7%	3,013	78.0%	116	97.0%
MRH Portlaoise	3,787	2,443	64.5%	3,156	83.3%	52	98.6%
MRH Tullamore	3,422	2,204	64.4%	2,831	82.7%	5	99.8%
Nass General Hospital	2,585	862	33.3%	1,248	48.3%	348	86.5%
St. James's Hospital	4,758	2,209	46.4%	3,123	65.6%	809	89.3%
Tallaght University Hospital	4,657	1,571	33.7%	2,263	48.6%	655	85.9%
HSE Dublin and North East	27,974	13,579	48.5%	16,570	66.4%	1,252	95.5%
Beaumont Hospital	5,294	1,886	35.6%	2,945	55.6%	263	95.0%
Cavan General Hospital	3,306	2,104	63.6%	2,841	79.9%	49	98.9%
Connolly Hospital	4,316	1,884	43.7%	2,793	64.7%	12	99.7%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	6,702	3,268	48.8%	4,211	62.8%	620	90.7%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	6,295	3,105	49.3%	4,290	68.1%	280	95.5%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	2,081	1,432	68.8%	1,690	82.0%	28	98.6%
HSE Dublin and South East	22,086	14,313	64.8%	17,559	79.5%	765	96.5%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	4,235	3,200	75.6%	3,818	90.2%	11	99.7%
St. Michael's Hospital	1,009	1,455	100.0%	1,584	98.4%	-	100.0%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	5,615	2,785	49.6%	3,646	64.9%	664	88.1%
Tipperary University Hospital	2,985	1,979	66.3%	2,501	83.8%	21	99.3%
UH Waterford	7,102	4,390	61.8%	5,482	77.2%	67	99.0%
Wexford General Hospital	450	504	93.3%	528	97.8%	2	99.6%
HSE Midwest	7,031	3,614	51.4%	4,743	67.5%	608	91.3%
UH Limerick	7,031	3,614	51.4%	4,743	67.5%	608	91.3%
HSE South West	12,844	6,031	46.6%	8,300	64.1%	1,357	89.5%
Cork University Hospital	6,523	2,855	43.8%	3,923	60.1%	806	87.6%
Mercy University Hospital	2,811	1,394	49.6%	1,921	68.3%	268	90.4%
UH Kerry	3,610	1,782	49.4%	2,456	68.0%	283	92.1%
HSE West and North West	20,975	10,188	48.6%	14,207	67.7%	1,059	94.5%
Galway University Hospitals	6,093	2,634	43.2%	4,003	65.7%	564	91.4%
Limerick University Hospital	4,556	2,214	48.6%	3,008	66.0%	225	95.0%
Mayo University Hospital	3,292	1,814	55.1%	2,474	75.2%	30	99.0%
Portlaoise University Hospital	2,656	1,779	67.0%	2,322	87.4%	5	99.8%
Sligo University Hospital	3,678	1,747	47.5%	2,400	65.3%	235	93.9%
Grand Total	125,502	67,233	53.6%	89,016	70.9%	6,947	94.6%

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HSE Dublin and Midlands	3,182	1,012	31.8%	1,618	50.8%	351	88.9%
MRH Mullingar	484	161	33.3%	265	54.8%	28	94.2%
MRH Portlaoise	351	137	39.0%	231	65.8%	5	98.6%
MRH Tullamore	632	276	43.7%	438	69.3%	1	99.8%
Nass General Hospital	441	94	21.3%	136	30.8%	87	80.7%
St. James's Hospital	674	206	30.6%	331	49.1%	75	88.7%
Tallaght University Hospital	600	138	23.0%	217	36.2%	155	74.1%
HSE Dublin and North East	4,141	1,294	31.2%	1,998	48.2%	366	91.1%
Beaumont Hospital	955	227	23.8%	394	41.3%	73	92.4%
Cavan General Hospital	462	169	36.6%	267	57.8%	14	96.9%
Connolly Hospital	628	163	26.0%	284	45.2%	5	99.2%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	912	383	42.0%	497	54.5%	132	81.4%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	638	210	32.9%	335	52.5%	87	88.4%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	336	142	42.3%	221	65.8%	5	98.5%
HSE Dublin and South East	3,982	1,870	47.0%	2,485	62.4%	360	90.9%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	1,019	377	37.0%	488	78.8%	3	99.3%
St. Michael's Hospital	352	289	82.1%	340	96.6%	-	100.0%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	1,416	583	41.2%	741	52.3%	317	77.6%
Tipperary University Hospital	460	205	44.6%	316	68.7%	2	99.5%
UH Waterford	1,089	377	34.6%	560	51.4%	36	96.6%
Wexford General Hospital	46	39	84.8%	40	87.0%	2	95.6%
HSE Midwest	1,010	340	33.7%	456	45.1%	263	73.9%
UH Limerick	1,010	340	33.7%	456	45.1%	263	73.9%
HSE South West	1,910	479	25.1%	731	38.3%	513	73.1%
Cork University Hospital	953	245	25.7%	362	38.0%	314	67.0%
Mercy University Hospital	420	103	24.5%	156	37.1%	106	74.7%
UH Kerry	537	131	24.4%	213	39.7%	93	62.6%
HSE West and North West	3,112	820	26.3%	1,383	44.4%	380	87.7%
Galway University Hospitals	902	204	22.6%	329	36.5%	229	74.6%
Limerick University Hospital	685	134	19.6%	235	34.3%	72	89.4%
Mayo University Hospital	527	146	27.7%	269	51.0%	12	97.2%
Portlaoise University Hospital	364	155	42.6%	270	74.2%	2	99.4%
Sligo University Hospital	634	181	28.5%	280	44.2%	65	89.7%
Grand Total	17,337	5,815	33.5%	8,671	50.0%	2,233	87.1%

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HSE Dublin and Midlands	34,126	19,832	58.1%	25,588	75.0%	1,667
Children's Health Ireland	11,671	8,973	76.9%	10,335	92.8%	84
MRH Mullingar	3,693	2,120	58.0%	2,790	77.4%	167
MRH Portlaoise	3,696	2,519	68.3%	3,166	85.9%	40
MRH Tullamore	3,476	1,793	51.6%	2,385	68.6%	193
Naas General Hospital	2,609	959	36.8%	1,391	53.3%	271
St. James's Hospital	4,622	2,027	43.9%	3,024	65.4%	180
Tallaght University Hospital	4,459	1,441	32.3%	1,997	44.8%	732
HSE Dublin and North East	30,381	16,448	54.1%	21,288	70.1%	1,023
Beaumont Hospital	5,524	1,969	35.6%	3,025	54.8%	232
Cavan General Hospital	3,362	1,828	57.2%	2,430	72.5%	86
Connolly Hospital	4,393	2,097	47.7%	3,139	71.5%	8
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	8,598	5,612	65.3%	6,505	75.7%	499
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	6,217	3,292	53.0%	4,258	68.5%	172
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	2,297	1,550	67.5%	1,931	84.1%	46
HSE Dublin and South East	22,848	15,186	66.5%	18,405	80.6%	685
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	3,775	3,182	84.3%	3,599	95.3%	1
St. Michael's Hospital	1,460	1,307	89.5%	1,427	97.7%	-
St. Vincent's University Hospital	5,649	2,904	51.4%	3,836	67.9%	538
Tipperary University Hospital	2,788	1,740	62.4%	2,227	79.9%	21
UHI Waterford	5,167	3,350	64.8%	4,087	78.1%	27
Wexford General Hospital	4,008	2,703	67.4%	3,229	80.6%	98
HSE Midwest	7,090	3,459	48.8%	4,718	66.5%	515
UH Limerick	7,090	3,459	48.8%	4,718	66.5%	515
HSE South West	12,530	5,806	46.3%	8,156	65.1%	1,088
Cork University Hospital	5,300	2,824	46.4%	4,044	64.2%	473
Mercy University Hospital	2,824	1,262	44.7%	1,776	62.9%	324
UH Kerry	3,406	1,620	47.6%	2,336	68.6%	291
HSE West and North West	19,962	11,216	56.2%	14,810	74.2%	897
Galway University Hospitals	6,481	3,268	50.4%	4,547	70.2%	468
Letterkenny University Hospital	3,931	2,528	64.3%	3,078	78.3%	142
Mayo University Hospital	3,368	1,867	55.4%	2,519	74.8%	53
Portlaoise University Hospital	2,660	1,744	65.6%	2,250	84.6%	5
Sligo University Hospital	3,552	1,809	51.2%	2,416	67.7%	229
Grand Total	126,937	71,947	56.7%	92,965	73.2%	5,875

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HSE Dublin and Midlands	2,886	1,737	59.9%	1,244	43.1%	417
MRH Mullingar	416	123	29.6%	188	45.2%	57
MRH Portlaoise	312	116	37.2%	208	66.7%	7
MRH Tullamore	535	149	27.9%	244	45.6%	50
Naas General Hospital	446	97	21.7%	155	34.8%	115
St. James's Hospital	612	154	25.2%	291	47.5%	23
Tallaght University Hospital	565	98	17.3%	158	28.0%	165
HSE Dublin and North East	4,306	1,435	33.3%	2,126	49.4%	319
Beaumont Hospital	965	212	22.0%	389	40.3%	65
Cavan General Hospital	525	143	27.2%	227	43.2%	34
Connolly Hospital	592	153	25.8%	276	46.6%	4
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	1,052	568	54.0%	663	63.0%	136
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	766	179	23.3%	300	39.0%	83
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	403	180	44.7%	271	67.2%	18
HSE Dublin and South East	3,634	1,580	43.5%	2,211	60.8%	308
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	935	341	36.5%	434	46.5%	1
St. Michael's Hospital	286	230	80.4%	279	97.6%	-
St. Vincent's University Hospital	1,170	418	35.7%	557	47.6%	256
Tipperary University Hospital	405	139	34.3%	245	60.5%	8
UHI Waterford	720	285	39.6%	402	55.8%	10
Wexford General Hospital	548	187	34.1%	294	53.6%	33
HSE Midwest	1,001	394	39.4%	488	48.8%	192
UH Limerick	1,001	394	39.4%	488	48.8%	192
HSE South West	1,880	479	25.5%	741	39.4%	436
Cork University Hospital	979	278	28.4%	409	41.8%	211
Mercy University Hospital	378	77	20.4%	123	32.5%	110
UH Kerry	523	124	23.7%	209	40.0%	115
HSE West and North West	3,043	1,125	37.0%	1,689	55.5%	313
Galway University Hospitals	868	321	37.0%	457	52.6%	158
Letterkenny University Hospital	623	327	52.5%	389	64.0%	50
Mayo University Hospital	662	149	22.6%	293	44.3%	29
Portlaoise University Hospital	365	141	38.6%	250	68.5%	2
Sligo University Hospital	605	187	30.9%	290	47.9%	83
Grand Total	16,750	5,750	34.3%	8,499	50.7%	1,985

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Data Source: PET Data

Subject: To ask the Minister for Health the number and percentage of patients who were waiting 0-4 hours, 0-9 hours, 9-24 hours, and 24+ hours for admission an emergency department for each March of each year 2019-2024, inclusive, nationwide and, by location, in tabular form; and the number and percentage for all patients and patients aged over 75. -

Notes: Children's Health Ireland includes CHI at Crumlin, CHI at Tallaght, CHI at Temple St

Mater Misericordiae University Hospital separated Smithfield Injury Unit attendances from their PET extract in March 2025 and back dated to 2019

Excludes discharge destination, Not yet discharged

Data relates to March only as per PQ request

2021

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances who were admitted or non-admitted (All age categories included)

	March					
	Total Patients	Number 0 to 4hrs	% within 4 hours	Number 5 to 9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 10 to 24hrs
HSE Dublin and Midlands	25,635	16,558	64.6%	20,595	80.3%	585
Children's Health Ireland	7,046	6,426	91.2%	6,891	97.8%	7
MRH Mullingar	2,793	1,723	61.7%	2,219	79.4%	106
MRH Portlaoise	2,664	1,907	67.8%	2,333	87.6%	5
MRH Tullamore	2,646	1,989	75.2%	2,335	88.2%	24
Nass General Hospital	2,245	800	35.6%	1,185	52.8%	226
St. James's Hospital	3,326	2,065	62.1%	3,019	90.8%	13
Tallaght University Hospital	4,415	1,748	39.6%	2,613	59.2%	204
HSE Dublin and North East	25,657	16,060	62.6%	20,725	80.8%	79
Beaumont Hospital	4,963	2,349	47.3%	3,529	71.1%	3
Cavan General Hospital	2,584	1,506	58.3%	1,989	77.0%	8
Connolly Hospital	3,904	2,548	65.3%	3,363	86.1%	-
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	7,278	5,340	73.4%	6,234	85.7%	33
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	5,089	3,080	60.5%	4,011	78.8%	21
Our Lady's Hospital Negan	1,839	1,237	67.3%	1,599	86.9%	14
HSE Dublin and South East	18,276	14,170	77.5%	16,548	90.5%	38
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	3,054	2,726	89.3%	2,957	96.8%	3
St. Michael's Hospital	886	858	96.8%	886	100.0%	-
St. Vincent's University Hospital	4,417	3,350	75.8%	3,945	89.3%	4
Tipperary University Hospital	2,433	1,753	72.1%	2,151	88.4%	14
UH Waterford	4,137	2,954	71.4%	3,572	86.3%	13
Wexford General Hospital	3,249	2,448	75.4%	2,837	87.4%	4
HSE Midwest	6,092	4,234	69.5%	5,006	82.2%	360
UH Limerick	6,092	4,234	69.5%	5,006	82.2%	360
HSE South West	10,622	6,192	58.3%	8,003	75.3%	471
Cork University Hospital	5,587	3,154	56.5%	4,075	72.9%	274
Mercy University Hospital	2,273	1,472	64.8%	1,811	79.7%	82
UH Kerry	2,762	1,566	56.7%	2,117	76.6%	115
HSE West and North West	16,037	10,705	66.8%	13,585	84.7%	224
Galway University Hospitals	5,274	3,274	62.1%	4,142	78.5%	192
Letterkenny University Hospital	3,342	2,431	72.7%	2,999	89.7%	13
Mayo University Hospital	2,391	1,523	63.7%	1,940	81.1%	8
Portlaoise University Hospital	1,870	1,389	74.3%	1,751	93.6%	6
Sligo University Hospital	3,160	2,088	66.1%	2,753	87.1%	5
Grand Total	102,319	67,919	66.4%	84,462	82.5%	1,757

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances (admitted or non-admitted) for patients aged 75 years and over

	March					
	Total Patients	Number 0 to 4hrs	% within 4 hours	Number 5 to 9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 10 to 24hrs
HSE Dublin and Midlands	2,255	756	33.5%	1,269	56.3%	160
MRH Mullingar	317	104	32.8%	170	53.6%	27
MRH Portlaoise	248	114	46.0%	191	77.0%	-
MRH Tullamore	386	182	47.2%	274	71.0%	9
Nass General Hospital	375	79	21.1%	120	32.0%	88
St. James's Hospital	488	177	36.3%	340	69.7%	1
Tallaght University Hospital	441	100	22.7%	174	39.5%	35
HSE Dublin and North East	3,487	1,441	41.3%	2,251	64.6%	20
Beaumont Hospital	893	272	30.5%	477	53.4%	2
Cavan General Hospital	361	130	36.1%	231	64.0%	2
Connolly Hospital	472	182	38.6%	331	70.1%	-
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	848	513	60.5%	648	76.4%	7
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	619	207	33.4%	346	55.9%	5
Our Lady's Hospital Negan	274	137	50.0%	218	79.6%	4
HSE Dublin and South East	2,905	1,828	62.9%	2,396	82.5%	9
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	416	320	76.9%	377	90.6%	1
St. Michael's Hospital	206	188	91.3%	206	100.0%	-
St. Vincent's University Hospital	841	601	71.5%	719	85.5%	2
Tipperary University Hospital	368	190	51.6%	304	82.6%	1
UH Waterford	601	281	46.8%	415	69.1%	4
Wexford General Hospital	473	248	52.4%	375	79.3%	1
HSE Midwest	911	491	53.9%	595	65.3%	118
UH Limerick	911	491	53.9%	595	65.3%	118
HSE South West	1,494	502	33.6%	777	52.0%	164
Cork University Hospital	799	265	33.2%	380	47.6%	114
Mercy University Hospital	282	111	39.4%	167	59.2%	17
UH Kerry	413	126	30.5%	230	55.7%	33
HSE West and North West	2,550	1,329	52.1%	1,922	75.4%	71
Galway University Hospitals	775	392	50.6%	524	67.6%	66
Letterkenny University Hospital	568	378	66.5%	482	84.9%	3
Mayo University Hospital	403	138	34.2%	247	61.3%	1
Portlaoise University Hospital	283	154	54.4%	259	91.5%	1
Sligo University Hospital	521	267	51.2%	410	78.7%	-
Grand Total	13,602	6,347	46.7%	9,210	67.7%	542

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Data Source: PET Data

Subject: To ask the Minister for

Health the number and percentage of

patients who were waiting 0-6 hours,

0-9 hours, 9-24 hours, and 24+ hours

for admission an emergency

department for each March of each

year 2019-2024, inclusive, nationwide

and, by location, in tabular form; and

the number and percentage for all

patients and patients aged over 75, -

David Cullinane

Notes: Children's Health Ireland includes CHI at Crumlin, CHI at Tallaght, CHI at Temple St

CHI Tallaght ED closed from 27th March 2020

Mater Misericordiae University Hospital separated Smithfield Injury Unit attendances from their PET extract in March 2025 and back dated to 2019

Excludes discharge destination: Not yet discharged

Data relates to March only as per PQ request

2020

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances who were admitted or non-admitted (All age categories included)

	Total Patients	March					
		Number 0-6hrs	% within 6 hours	Number 7-9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number >24hrs	% within 24 hours
HSE Dublin and Midlands	20,755	14,840	71.5%	17,871	86.1%	292	98.59%
Children's Health Ireland	6,575	5,918	90.0%	6,383	97.1%	13	99.80%
MRH Mullingar	2,117	1,365	64.5%	1,738	82.1%	53	97.50%
MRH Portlaoise	2,142	1,592	73.9%	1,927	90.0%	10	99.53%
MRH Tullamore	2,072	1,443	69.6%	1,755	84.7%	61	97.06%
Naes General Hospital	1,793	996	55.5%	1,318	73.5%	42	97.68%
St. James's Hospital	2,861	1,844	64.5%	2,373	82.9%	32	98.88%
Tallaght University Hospital	3,195	1,692	53.0%	2,377	74.4%	81	97.46%
HSE Dublin and North East	18,550	12,437	67.0%	15,325	82.6%	277	98.51%
Beaumont Hospital	3,527	2,015	57.1%	2,639	74.8%	77	97.82%
Craen General Hospital	2,003	1,501	74.9%	1,801	89.9%	5	99.75%
Connolly Hospital	2,818	1,741	61.8%	2,313	82.1%	18	99.36%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	5,089	3,535	69.5%	4,191	82.4%	112	97.80%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	3,896	2,702	69.4%	3,278	84.2%	61	98.43%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	1,218	943	77.4%	1,103	90.6%	4	99.67%
HSE Dublin and South East	14,544	11,491	79.0%	13,052	89.7%	172	98.82%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	2,543	2,345	92.2%	2,480	97.5%	-	100.00%
St. Michael's Hospital	896	837	93.5%	890	99.4%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	3,523	2,571	73.0%	2,964	84.1%	109	96.91%
Tipperary University Hospital	1,804	1,382	76.6%	1,660	92.0%	4	99.78%
UHI Waterford	3,216	2,463	76.6%	2,780	86.7%	42	98.69%
Westford General Hospital	2,584	1,903	74.2%	2,269	88.5%	17	99.34%
HSE Midwest	4,475	2,901	64.8%	3,707	82.8%	81	98.19%
UHI Limerick	4,475	2,901	64.8%	3,707	82.8%	81	98.19%
HSE South West	8,020	5,190	64.7%	6,517	81.3%	305	96.20%
Cork University Hospital	4,091	2,889	70.1%	3,527	86.2%	111	97.29%
Mercy University Hospital	1,922	1,184	61.6%	1,482	77.1%	79	95.89%
UHI Kerry	2,007	1,137	56.7%	1,508	75.1%	115	94.27%
HSE West and North West	12,530	9,336	74.5%	11,134	88.9%	102	99.19%
Galway University Hospitals	3,875	2,664	68.7%	3,180	82.1%	91	97.65%
Lethbridge University Hospital	2,534	2,007	79.2%	2,329	91.9%	2	99.92%
Mayo University Hospital	2,270	1,791	78.9%	2,106	92.8%	2	99.91%
Portlaoise University Hospital	1,457	1,029	70.6%	1,304	89.5%	4	99.73%
Sligo University Hospital	2,304	1,845	77.1%	2,215	92.5%	3	99.87%
Grand Total	78,874	56,195	71.2%	67,606	85.7%	1,229	98.44%

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances (admitted or non-admitted) for patients aged 75 years and over

	Total Patients	March					
		Number 0-6hrs	% within 6 hours	Number 7-9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number >24hrs	% within 24 hours
HSE Dublin and Midlands	1,850	817	44.2%	1,251	67.6%	69	96.27%
MRH Mullingar	254	97	38.2%	158	62.2%	15	94.09%
MRH Portlaoise	198	99	50.0%	157	78.3%	2	98.99%
MRH Tullamore	373	200	53.6%	269	72.1%	26	93.03%
Naes General Hospital	257	97	37.7%	144	56.0%	12	95.33%
St. James's Hospital	400	193	48.3%	299	74.8%	4	99.00%
Tallaght University Hospital	368	131	35.6%	224	60.9%	10	97.28%
HSE Dublin and North East	2,482	1,202	48.4%	1,724	69.5%	91	96.33%
Beaumont Hospital	632	274	43.4%	388	61.4%	29	95.41%
Craen General Hospital	324	148	45.7%	235	72.5%	3	99.07%
Connolly Hospital	345	143	41.4%	235	68.1%	6	98.26%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	559	302	54.0%	396	70.8%	36	93.56%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	480	207	43.1%	309	64.4%	15	96.51%
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	192	128	66.7%	161	83.9%	2	98.96%
HSE Dublin and South East	2,300	1,505	65.4%	1,854	80.6%	59	97.43%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	351	297	84.6%	327	93.2%	-	100.00%
St. Michael's Hospital	241	221	91.7%	239	99.2%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	686	430	62.7%	515	75.1%	34	95.04%
Tipperary University Hospital	264	163	61.7%	238	90.2%	-	100.00%
UHI Waterford	424	234	55.2%	303	71.5%	17	95.99%
Westford General Hospital	334	160	47.9%	232	69.5%	8	97.60%
HSE Midwest	603	302	50.1%	408	67.7%	21	96.52%
UHI Limerick	603	302	50.1%	408	67.7%	21	96.52%
HSE South West	1,110	506	45.6%	730	65.8%	107	90.36%
Cork University Hospital	573	293	51.1%	406	70.9%	54	90.58%
Mercy University Hospital	221	101	45.7%	133	60.2%	14	93.67%
UHI Kerry	316	112	35.4%	191	60.4%	39	87.66%
HSE West and North West	1,849	1,088	58.9%	1,496	80.9%	32	98.27%
Galway University Hospitals	443	237	53.5%	316	71.3%	29	93.45%
Lethbridge University Hospital	422	273	64.7%	350	82.9%	1	99.76%
Mayo University Hospital	364	219	60.2%	307	84.3%	-	100.00%
Portlaoise University Hospital	248	124	50.0%	198	79.8%	-	100.00%
Sligo University Hospital	372	236	63.2%	325	87.4%	2	99.48%
Grand Total	10,184	5,420	53.2%	7,463	73.2%	379	98.28%

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Subject: To ask the Minister for Health the number and percentage of patients who were waiting 0-6 hours, 0-9 hours, 9-24 hours, and 24+ hours for admission an emergency department for each March of each year 2019-2024, inclusive, nationwide and, by location, in tabular form; and the number and percentage for all patients and patients aged over 75. -

Notes: Children's Health Ireland includes CHI at Crumlin, CHI at Tallaght, CHI at Temple St
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital separated Smithfield Injury Unit attendances from their PET extract in March 2025 and back dated to 2019
Excludes discharge destination, Not yet discharged
Data relates to March only as per PQ request

2019

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances who were admitted or non-admitted (All age categories included)

	Total Patients	March					
		Number to 6hrs	% within 6 hours	Number to 9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 9-24hrs	% within 24 hours
HSE Dublin and Midlands	31,950	20,151	63.1%	25,151	78.7%	1,102	96.55%
Children's Health Ireland	11,349	9,550	84.1%	10,898	96.0%	19	99.83%
MRH Mullingar	3,231	2,061	63.8%	2,659	82.3%	81	96.11%
MRH Portlaoise	3,171	2,170	68.4%	2,650	83.6%	110	96.53%
MRH Tullamore	2,916	1,767	60.6%	2,201	75.5%	196	93.28%
Nass General Hospital	2,539	1,088	42.9%	1,517	59.7%	260	89.76%
St. James's Hospital	4,261	1,869	43.9%	2,708	63.6%	165	96.13%
Tallaght University Hospital	4,483	1,646	36.7%	2,518	56.2%	291	93.51%
HSE Dublin and North East	26,189	14,589	55.7%	19,094	72.9%	946	96.39%
Beaumont Hospital	5,033	1,981	39.4%	2,968	59.0%	210	96.83%
Cavan General Hospital	2,909	2,038	70.1%	2,611	89.3%	13	99.56%
Connolly Hospital	3,569	1,856	52.0%	2,564	71.8%	92	97.42%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	7,191	4,102	56.3%	5,167	71.9%	477	93.37%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	5,676	3,300	58.1%	4,320	76.1%	137	97.59%
Our Lady's Hospital Negan	1,611	1,222	76.5%	1,564	89.4%	17	99.06%
HSE Dublin and South East	22,076	16,411	74.3%	19,038	86.2%	478	97.83%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	3,802	3,559	93.6%	3,727	98.0%	-	100.00%
St. Michael's Hospital	1,873	1,748	93.3%	1,864	99.5%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	5,237	3,220	61.5%	3,938	75.2%	193	96.31%
Tipperary University Hospital	2,668	1,933	72.5%	2,375	89.0%	8	99.70%
UH Waterford	4,942	3,376	68.3%	3,935	79.6%	276	94.42%
Wexford General Hospital	3,554	2,575	72.5%	3,198	90.0%	1	99.97%
HSE Midwest	6,255	3,184	50.9%	4,236	67.7%	569	90.90%
UH Limerick	6,255	3,184	50.9%	4,236	67.7%	569	90.90%
HSE South West	11,932	6,469	54.2%	8,502	71.3%	875	92.67%
Cork University Hospital	5,969	3,143	52.7%	4,174	69.9%	426	92.86%
Mercy University Hospital	2,884	1,525	52.9%	2,059	71.4%	167	94.21%
UH Kerry	3,079	1,801	58.5%	2,269	73.7%	282	90.84%
HSE West and North West	18,524	11,565	62.4%	14,834	80.1%	526	97.16%
Galway University Hospitals	5,781	3,052	52.7%	3,902	67.4%	497	91.42%
Letterkenny University Hospital	3,579	2,480	69.3%	3,161	88.3%	6	99.83%
Mayo University Hospital	3,380	2,268	67.1%	2,901	85.8%	12	99.64%
Portlinculla University Hospital	2,158	1,496	69.3%	1,943	90.0%	2	99.91%
Sligo University Hospital	3,616	2,249	62.2%	2,927	80.9%	9	99.75%
Grand Total	116,926	72,369	61.9%	90,855	77.7%	4,496	96.15%

The table below highlights the number of Emergency Department attendances (admitted or non-admitted) for patients aged 75 years and over

	Total Patients	March					
		Number to 6hrs	% within 6 hours	Number to 9hrs	% within 9 hours	Number 9-24hrs	% within 24 hours
HSE Dublin and Midlands	2,542	796	31.3%	1,296	51.0%	270	89.38%
MRH Mullingar	333	131	39.3%	228	68.5%	8	97.60%
MRH Portlaoise	277	109	39.4%	180	65.0%	22	92.06%
MRH Tullamore	455	149	32.7%	235	51.6%	75	83.52%
Nass General Hospital	395	125	31.6%	166	42.0%	95	76.95%
St. James's Hospital	694	171	24.6%	286	41.3%	24	95.96%
Tallaght University Hospital	488	111	22.7%	201	41.2%	46	90.57%
HSE Dublin and North East	3,477	1,139	32.8%	1,747	50.2%	321	90.77%
Beaumont Hospital	881	195	22.1%	328	37.2%	87	90.12%
Cavan General Hospital	364	153	42.0%	251	69.4%	5	98.70%
Connolly Hospital	481	128	26.6%	207	43.0%	36	92.52%
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	807	327	40.5%	424	52.5%	152	81.16%
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	596	148	24.8%	265	44.5%	39	94.46%
Our Lady's Hospital Negan	328	188	57.3%	272	82.8%	2	99.38%
HSE Dublin and South East	3,251	1,819	56.0%	2,342	72.0%	190	94.16%
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	473	414	87.5%	443	93.7%	-	100.00%
St. Michael's Hospital	452	402	88.9%	447	99.9%	-	100.00%
St. Vincent's University Hospital	893	366	41.0%	494	55.3%	70	92.16%
Tipperary University Hospital	349	186	53.3%	285	81.7%	-	100.00%
UH Waterford	628	240	38.2%	319	50.8%	120	80.89%
Wexford General Hospital	456	211	46.3%	354	77.6%	-	100.00%
HSE Midwest	780	195	25.0%	292	37.4%	203	73.97%
UH Limerick	780	195	25.0%	292	37.4%	203	73.97%
HSE South West	1,606	524	32.6%	759	47.3%	368	88.82%
Cork University Hospital	845	270	32.0%	380	45.0%	181	75.88%
Mercy University Hospital	335	97	29.0%	171	51.0%	34	89.85%
UH Kerry	426	157	36.9%	208	48.8%	93	78.17%
HSE West and North West	2,616	1,027	39.3%	1,636	62.5%	187	92.85%
Galway University Hospitals	654	163	24.9%	231	35.3%	180	72.48%
Letterkenny University Hospital	561	262	46.7%	428	76.3%	-	100.00%
Mayo University Hospital	532	244	45.9%	379	71.2%	5	99.06%
Portlinculla University Hospital	317	134	42.3%	245	77.3%	-	100.00%
Sligo University Hospital	552	224	40.6%	353	63.9%	2	99.64%
Grand Total	14,272	5,500	38.5%	8,072	56.6%	1,479	89.64%