



Oifig an Stiúrthoir Cúnta,
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Deputy Rice,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

PQ 3323/25 To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons on a waiting list for Podiatry by CHO, age category and time waiting, in tabular form.

- Pádraig Rice

Dear Deputy Rice,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (3323/25) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The HSE is committed to delivering efficient high-quality services to all eligible service users. In 2024, there were 63,130 patients seen by HSE Primary Care Podiatry services. Primary Care Access and Integration is focused on improving access to care in order to reduce waiting times for patients. This includes monitoring the waiting list on an on-going basis in the context of available resources.

Please find the attached appendix, which contains, in tabular form, details of the Podiatry waiting list for each CHO area, as of December 2024 which is the latest data available at this time.

Appendix 1 – Podiatry Waiting List by CHO as of December 2024

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Seán McArt

General Manager
Primary Care Access & Integration

Podiatry - Number of Patients waiting for treatment December 2024

CHO	0 - 4 Yrs 11 Months					5 - 17 Yrs 11 Months					18 - 64 Yrs 11 Months					65 Yrs+					TOTAL
	0 - ≤ 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks but ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52	> 52 weeks	0 - ≤ 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks but ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52	> 52 weeks	0 - ≤ 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks but ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52	> 52 weeks	0 - ≤ 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks but ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52	> 52 weeks	
CHO1 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	38	29	26	232	102	94	45	58	582	1,237
CHO2 Total	0	0	0	0	0	18	17	9	9	10	151	182	116	121	171	303	304	174	248	286	2,119
CHO3 Total	4	4	6	1	3	23	23	20	11	34	70	95	84	77	194	207	155	173	151	407	1,742
CHO4 Total	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	28	33	29	22	159	65	103	82	71	418	1,013
CHO5 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	19	9	229	24	25	42	35	708	1,102
CHO6 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	10	1	0	0	24	26	4	0	0	81
CHO7 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHO8 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	10	15	8	49	43	51	37	25	157	411
CHO9 Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	60	39	26	52	82	117	95	44	175	725
National Total	4	4	6	1	4	42	40	29	20	45	350	436	332	289	1,086	850	875	652	632	2,733	8,430

Please note data provided is preliminary until formally agreed and published on the HSE website