



Ref: PQ 46302/24

30th January 2025

Deputy Paul Donnelly
Dáil Eireann
Dublin 2

Dear Deputy Donnelly,

I refer to your parliamentary question below which has been forwarded to me for attention.

PQ 46302/24 – To ask the Minister for Health the number of paediatric neurosurgeries outsourced abroad in the years of 2023 and 2024, in tabular form.

Children's Health Ireland (CHI) Response:

Please see information you require from Children's Health Ireland (CHI) below. CHI at Temple Street can advise that your representation has been brought to the attention of Mr Darach Crimmins, Consultant in Paediatric Neurosurgeon. Who has confirmed that, Neurosurgery service do not outsource Paediatric patients abroad.

Paediatric Neurosurgeries Outsourced Abroad	
2023	0
2024	0

Yours sincerely,

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