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**RE: PQ42132/25**

**To ask the Minister for Health if she will provide the number of WTE dentists and dental nurse posts by grade that are filled at Castlebar Primary Care Centre in each of the years 2023 to 2024 and to date in 2025, in tabular form; and the number and grade of current vacancies.**

Dear Deputy Conway-Walsh

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

Please see below the number of WTE dentists and dental nurse posts by grade that are filled at Castlebar Primary Care Centre in each of the years 2023 to 2024 and to date in 2025:

Castlebar PC	Dentists	Dental Nurses
2023	1.5	5
2024	1.5	4
2025	1.5	4

There are currently no vacancies in Castlebar.

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

Yours Sincerely

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