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Leinster House
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To ask the Minister for Health the number of clinical nurse specialists working in the Urodynamics Department of Cork University Hospital in 2024 and to-date in 2025, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Healy

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.

There are currently no Clinical Nurse Specialists in the Urodynamics Department.

Clinical Nurse Specialists (CNS) roles for urodynamics , were advertised in 2024 but unfortunately there were no applicants.

CUH is currently awaiting approval for the CNS posts for urodynamics to be converted to candidate CNS posts and then the posts will be re-advertised. This will ensure that a wider cohort of nursing staff are eligible to apply.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,


Ms. Jennifer Kearney
Chief Executive Officer