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Mr. Gerald Nash T.D. Dáil Éireann. Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question 12110/25 "To ask the Minister for Health the number of people attending Dundalk Clinic for type 1 diabetes, broken down by those who have commenced treatment on pump therapy, those who have expressed an interest in pump therapy and are still on a waiting list and those who remain using insulin pens, in tabular form; and if she will make a statement on the matter.-Ged Nash"

Dear Deputy Nash,

HSE Dublin and North East 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. Having reviewed the matter, the following outlines the position.

There are currently 700 patients attending the Diabetic Clinic with type 1 diabetes. 61 patients are on insulin pumps and 639 patients are on insulin pens.

29 patients are awaiting insulin pump initiation.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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