



Deputy Alan Kelly
Dáil Éireann
Leinster House
Dublin 2

13th March 2025

PQ9548/25

To ask the Minister for Health the number of open beds in each HSE and voluntary hospital on 26 February in each of the years from 2022 to 2025.

Dear Deputy Kelly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary questions, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I am pleased to provide the detail you have requested, in tabular form hereunder. Please note that the latest available data refers to September 2024 as this is the most up to date fully validated data set as provided by the HSE Business Intelligence Unit (BIU).

Please note that the reporting of bed data captured up to Dec 2023 was based on 'Average available (open) beds' and should be considered in this way. The HSE implemented a new Bed Management System (BMS) in 2024, and in this regard, have reformed the capture of data to 'Treatment Capacity' which provides the actual number of beds available on each hospital site. An extensive validation exercise was undertaken in order to ensure the data was accurate and consistent across all sites nationally. This validation led to some re-categorisation of beds. For this reason, the data prior to 2024 will not be fully comparable with that of 2024 and this should be considered when comparing the bed capacity from December 2023 onwards to any earlier reported data.

I trust this is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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Access and Integration



HSE Available (Open Beds) Report

	Feb-22		Feb-23	
	Inpatient	Day Beds/Place	Inpatient	Day Beds/Place
National	11,556	2,451	11,796	2,551
HSE Dublin and Midlands	2,523	476	2,539	484
Children's Health Ireland	340	94	338	96
Coombe Women and Infants University Hospital	201	18	189	18
MRH Mullingar	194	24	204	25
MRH Portlaoise	139	13	139	13
MRH Tullamore	212	74	232	79
Naas General Hospital	178	18	190	18
St. James's Hospital	683	120	685	120
St. Luke's Radiation Oncology Network	130	16	104	16
Tallaght University Hospital	446	99	458	99
HSE Dublin and North East	2,729	644	2,814	665
Beaumont Hospital	728	172	728	172
Cavan General Hospital	231	74	235	74
Connolly Hospital	303	38	329	54
Louth County Hospital	1	29	1	29
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	706	201	707	205
Monaghan Hospital		23	97	35
National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh	93	35		23
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	409	42	446	43
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	89	15	102	15
Rotunda Hospital	169	15	169	15
HSE Dublin and South East	2,149	432	2,199	442
Kilcreene Regional Orthopaedic Hospital	20	11	20	11
National Maternity Hospital	146	15	146	15
National Rehabilitation Hospital	110	9	113	9
Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital	22	27	23	27
St. Columcille's Hospital	111	7	111	7
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	221	25	239	25
St. Michael's Hospital	95	20	95	20
St. Vincent's University Hospital	543	138	543	138
Tipperary University Hospital	210	22	210	22
UH Waterford	444	105	472	115
Wexford General Hospital	227	53	227	53
HSE Midwest	832	206	832	220
Croom Orthopaedic Hospital	44	18	44	33
Ennis Hospital	50	19	50	19
Nenagh Hospital	50	20	52	20
St. John's Hospital Limerick	72	10	89	10
UH Limerick	514	139	518	138
UMH Limerick	102		79	
HSE South West	1,497	304	1,514	331
Bantry General Hospital	46	13	46	13
Cork University Hospital	642	101	635	120
Cork University Maternity Hospital	173	1	170	3
Mallow General Hospital	37	10	37	10
Mercy University Hospital	195	77	224	75
South Infirmary Victoria University Hospital	152	59	149	59
UH Kerry	252	43	253	51
HSE West and North West	1,826	389	1,898	409
Galway University Hospitals	666	155	707	171
Letterkenny University Hospital	365	72	378	64
Mayo University Hospital	298	49	292	50
Portumna University Hospital	157	18	164	29
Roscommon University Hospital	58	29	66	28
Sligo University Hospital	282	66	291	67

Please note that the figures above for beds available are subject to rounding.

Data Source: Acute BIU Hospital MDR's



Treatment Capacity: March 2024 & September 2024

	Mar-24				Sep-24			
	Inpatients		Day Case		Inpatients		Day Case	
	Total Inpatient Beds	Acute Adult Beds	Day Case Beds/Places	Sub-Acute Beds	Total Inpatient Beds	Acute Adult Beds	Day Case Beds/Places	Sub-Acute Beds
National	11,195	9,255	2,633	515	11,168	9,197	2,649	515
HSE Dublin & Midlands	2,378	1,773	528	198	2,380	1,772	539	198
Children's Health Ireland	317		97		317	0	97	0
Coombe Women and Infants University Hospital	165	12	30		165	12	30	
MRH Mullingar	197	135	25		197	135	30	
MRH Portlaoise	131	72	13	11	131	69	19	11
MRH Tullamore	222	208	80		222	208	80	
Naas General Hospital	192	192	22		192	192	22	
St. James's Hospital	659	659	120	115	661	661	120	115
St. Luke's Radiation Oncology Network	56	56	16	25	56	56	16	25
Tallaght University Hospital	439	439	125	47	439	439	125	47
HSE Dublin & North East	2,644	2,363	650	204	2,645	2,364	655	204
Beaumont Hospital	684	684	163		684	684	168	
Cavan General Hospital	233	172	51		233	172	51	
Connolly Hospital	353	353	55		353	353	55	
Louth County Hospital	1	1	32	60	1	1	32	60
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	638	625	219	74	639	626	219	74
Monaghan Hospital			20	60	0		20	60
National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh	95	79	35		95	79	35	
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital	421	332	45		421	332	45	
Our Lady's Hospital Navan	92	92	15	10	92	92	15	10
Rotunda Hospital	127	25	15		127	25	15	
HSE Dublin & South East	2,141	1,769	447		2,141	1,769	447	0
Kilcreene Regional Orthopaedic Hospital	20	20	11		20	20	11	
National Maternity Hospital	143	18	17		143	18	17	
National Rehabilitation Hospital	120	112	9		120	112	9	
Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital	25	25	27		25	25	27	
St. Columcille's Hospital	115	115	7		115	115	7	
St. Luke's General Hospital Kilkenny	230	178	25		230	178	25	
St. Michael's Hospital	91	91	20		91	91	20	
St. Vincent's University Hospital	500	461	138		500	461	138	
Tipperary University Hospital	242	199	22		242	199	22	
UH Waterford	442	386	118		442	386	118	
Wexford General Hospital	213	164	53		213	164	53	
HSE Mid West	804	662	221		804	662	221	0
Croom Orthopaedic Hospital	44	44	33		44	44	33	
Ennis Hospital	50	50	19		50	50	19	
Nenagh Hospital	52	52	24		52	52	24	
St. John's Hospital Limerick	89	89	10		89	89	10	
UH Limerick	476	427	135		476	427	135	
UMH Limerick					93			
HSE South West	1,459	1,193	385	45	1,440	1,181	385	45
Bantry General Hospital	43	43	14	12	43	43	14	12
Cork University Hospital	610	553	120		614	541	120	
Cork University Maternity Hospital	140	23	7		140	23	7	
Mallow General Hospital	68	68	20		68	68	20	
Mercy University Hospital	213	190	75	18	190	190	75	18
South Infirmary Victoria University Hospital	121	109	89		121	109	89	
UH Kerry	264	207	60	15	264	207	60	15
HSE West & North West	1,769	1,495	402	68	1,758	1,449	402	68
Galway University Hospitals	621	541	142	34	621	541	142	34
Letterkenny University Hospital	355	326	72		344	280	72	
Mayo University Hospital	259	202	57	34	259	202	57	34
Portumna University Hospital	179	118	27		179	118	27	
Roscommon University Hospital	66	66	32		66	66	32	
Sligo University Hospital	289	242	72		289	242	72	

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