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PQ9558/25-To ask the Minister for Health the number of days in 2024 on which ICU occupancy exceeded 90%, 95%, and 100%, at each relevant public hospital, including statutory and voluntary, across the State, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

Thank you for your representation. Please find the data below prepared by the National Office of Clinical Audit (NOCA) using information from the ICU Bed Information System (ICU-BIS).

This data is from each HSE-funded adult public hospital, the number of days in 2024 during which ICU occupancy exceeded 90%, 95%, and 100%.

The number of days has been calculated based on instances where the occupancy percentage exceeded each of the specified thresholds.

ICU bed occupancy rates from the ICU Bed Information System are captured once daily at 10 am. More detailed occupancy data will be available from the Irish National ICU Audit (INICUA) 2023 report which is currently finalised for agreement and will then be published.

The 2022 report is available via this link Irish National ICU Audit Annual Report on 2022 data: Improving Patient Care With National Clinical Audits

Hospital	Occupancy rate exceeds 90% (number of days)	Occupancy rate exceed 95% (number of days)	Occupancy rate exceeds 100% (number of days)
Beaumont Hospital	364	355	266
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital	350	290	0
Mercy Hospital Cork	315	315	37
St. Vincent`s University Hospital	313	270	166
Cork University Hospital	309	249	96
Tallaght Hospital	302	225	26
Tullamore General	262	262	70

Limerick University Hospital	260	210	105
St. James`s Hospital	258	82	12
Connolly Hospital Blanch	251	251	54
Portlaoise General	243	243	44
Galway University Hospital	222	55	8
Clonmel General (South Tipperary)	208	208	7
Ballinasloe General	208	208	53
Navan General	185	185	31
St Lukes Kilkenny	186	186	31
Naas General	181	181	4
Mullingar General	157	157	6
Wexford Hospital	141	141	10
Cavan General	138	138	11
Sligo General	117	117	31
Kerry/Tralee General	114	114	3
Waterford Regional Hospital	109	109	1
Our Lady Of Lourdes Hospital,	106	106	3
Letterkenny General	91	91	2
Castlebar	63	63	3

Data extracted from the NOCA ICU bed system 2024

I hope this is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

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