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Ms. Joanna Byrne T.D. Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question 23012/25 "To ask the Minister for Health the breakdown of the total number of vacant posts currently unfilled across all departments at a hospital (details supplied); and the length of time these posts have been vacant for, in tabular form.; and if she will make a statement on the matter.

Details Supplied: Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda, Co Louth"

Dear Deputy Byrne,

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.

Please see below table outlining vacancies in Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda.

	APR-25
Health & Social Care Professionals	8.0
Management & Administrative	22.1
General Support	18.0
Patient & Client Care	15.5

Active recruitment is ongoing to fill these vacancies.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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