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To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE Consultant Paediatric Rheumatologists based at Cork University Hospital, in 2023, 2024 and to date in 2025, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Seamus 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. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Cork University Hospital does not have any Consultant Paediatric Rheumatologists.

Any referrals are forwarded to CHI Dublin.

It 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. Deirdre O'Keefe
Interim Chief
Executive Officer