



**Tallaght
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Hospital**

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Deputy Padraig Rice
Dáil Éireann
Leinster House
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

RE: PQ 25 50732 To ask the Minister for Health for the number of posts in the HSE's supra-regional endometriosis centre operated by Tallaght University Hospital, by grade; the number that are filled; the number that are vacant; and the status of these vacant posts, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Kelly

Tallaght University Hospital (TUH) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister of Health.

The HSE and National Women and Infants Health Programme (NWHIP) have been supported of the development of endometriosis service at TUH, the hospital has been successful in recruiting most of the post, and the remaining post is going through a recruitment process.

Further developments are planned for 2026, the hospital has made a submission though the HSE service planning process.

Job title	WTE	Filled	Timeframe for filling	Comment
Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist	1	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 29/04/2021
Consultant General Surgeon Colorectal	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 29/04/2021
Consultant Anaesthesiologist	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 29/04/2021
CNS Endometriosis	1.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 29/04/2021
Staff Nurse Endometriosis	0.3	No	Unfilled	Approved by NWHIP 29/04/2021
Consultant Anaesthesiologist si pain	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022

Consultant Radiologist	0.5	Yes	  	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
Grade IV	1	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
CNM 2 - Ultrasonographer	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
Clinical Specialist Physiotherapist	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
Clinical Specialist Dietician	0.5	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
Health Care Assistant	1	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 20/10/2022
Clinical Nurse Manager 3	1	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP 21/08/2023
Specialist Registrar (Endometriosis Fellowship)	1	Yes	Filled	Approved by NWHIP July 2024

Yours sincerely,

MR JOHN KELLY
DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE