

HSE South West: SEP 2025

Employment Report Staff Group

Employment by Staff Group SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	+3.8%	22,981
Consultants	390	529	604	626	640	+75	+37	+15	+111	+250	+21.1%	693
Medical/ Dental, other	119	139	131	123	128	-8	-3	+5	-11	+9	-8.2%	241
Registrars	457	587	652	679	683	+65	+32	+5	+96	+227	+16.4%	706
SHO/ Interns	409	531	567	563	571	+36	+4	+8	+40	+163	+7.5%	578
Medical & Dental	1,374	1,787	1,954	1,990	2,023	+167	+69	+33	+236	+649	+13.2%	2,218
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	1,057	1,268	1,277	1,295	1,286	+9	+9	-9	+18	+230	+1.5%	1,414
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	176	378	418	440	446	+40	+28	+6	+68	+270	+18.0%	490
Nursing/ Midwifery other	10	15	22	22	22	+7	-0	+0	+7	+12	+46.2%	26
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	35	10	18		29	+9	11	+29	20	-5	+209.3%	50
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	48	29	29	10	22	0	-7	+12	-7	-27	-25.5%	36
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	39	15	17	119	86	+3	69	-33	71	+47	+492.6%	174
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	122	53	64	129	137	+11	+73	+7	+84	+15	+158.3%	260
Public Health Nurse	216	209	216	221	220	+7	+4	-0	+12	+4	+5.5%	286
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	3,713	4,450	4,610	4,613	4,578	+160	-32	-36	+128	+864	+2.9%	5,278
Nursing & Midwifery	5,293	6,372	6,608	6,720	6,689	+236	+81	-31	+317	+1,396	+5.0%	7,754
Health Science/ Diagnostics	598	684	693	708	708	+9	+15	+0	+24	+110	+3.5%	829
H&SC, Other	79	98	97	80	85	-1	-12	+5	-13	+5	-13.7%	100
Pharmacy	102	163	164	160	163	+1	-1	+3	-0	+61	-0.1%	194
Psychologists	139	167	163	168	175	-4	+12	+6	+8	+36	+4.5%	213
Social Care	240	278	295	292	292	+17	-4	-0	+14	+52	+4.9%	332
Social Workers	143	214	210	206	208	-4	-2	+2	-6	+65	-2.7%	235
Dietitians	76	113	113	112	112	0	-1	+0	-1	+35	-1.3%	139
Occupational Therapists	201	318	299	295	298	-19	-1	+3	-19	+97	-6.1%	348
Physiotherapists	229	317	315	314	313	-2	-3	-1	-5	+84	-1.5%	369
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	10	19	19	19	19	0	0	+0	0	+9	-1.1%	22
Speech & Language Therapists	160	200	192	188	188	-9	-3	+0	-12	+28	-6.0%	224
Orthoptists	4	1	2	2	2	+0	0	+0	0	-3	+20.0%	2
Therapy Professions	681	969	940	929	932	-30	-8	+2	-38	+251	-3.9%	1,104
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,983	2,574	2,562	2,544	2,562	-12	+0	+19	-12	+579	-0.5%	3,007
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	360	683	663	692	701	-20	+38	+9	+18	+341	+2.6%	761
Clerical (III & IV)	1,388	1,609	1,584	1,580	1,595	-25	+12	+15	-13	+207	-0.8%	1,845
Management (VIII & above)	114	160	155	162	163	-5	+8	+1	+3	+49	+1.6%	169
Management & Administrative	1,862	2,452	2,402	2,434	2,459	-50	+57	+25	+7	+597	+0.3%	2,775
Maintenance/ Technical	35	34	39	41	44	+5	+5	+3	+10	+9	+30.0%	47
Support	1,244	1,391	1,364	1,455	1,437	-28	+73	-18	+45	+193	+3.3%	1,680
General Support	1,279	1,425	1,402	1,495	1,481	-23	+78	-15	+56	+202	+3.9%	1,727
Care, other	462	588	602	600	620	+13	+19	+20	+32	+158	+5.4%	744
Health Care Assistants	3,576	3,730	3,787	3,829	3,821	+57	+34	-8	+91	+245	+2.4%	4,756
Patient & Client Care	4,039	4,319	4,389	4,429	4,442	+71	+53	+12	+123	+403	+2.9%	5,500



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Cork South and West	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Cork South and West	9,295	10,877	11,386	11,671	11,674	+509	+289	+4	+797	+2,380	+7.3%	13,627
Consultants	263	365	416	425	434	+52	+17	+8	+69	+171	+19.0%	470
Medical/ Dental, other	48	54	53	55	56	-1	+3	+1	+2	+8	+3.9%	105
Registrars	257	337	391	409	413	+54	+22	+4	+76	+156	+22.6%	428
SHO/ Interns	230	307	346	334	337	+39	-8	+3	+30	+107	+9.9%	340
Medical & Dental	799	1,063	1,206	1,224	1,240	+143	+35	+17	+178	+441	+16.7%	1,343
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	559	677	704	715	710	+27	+6	-5	+33	+151	+4.8%	784
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	102	201	231	228	231	+29	+1	+3	+30	+129	+14.9%	257
Nursing/ Midwifery other	6	9	11	11	11	+2	+0	+0	+2	+6	+25.8%	13
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	79	34	54	85	85	+20	+31	-0	+52	+7	+153.9%	165
Public Health Nurse	77	81	82	86	87	+1	+5	+2	+6	+10	+7.2%	118
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	2,204	2,643	2,818	2,838	2,820	+175	+2	-19	+177	+616	+6.7%	3,245
Nursing & Midwifery	3,026	3,645	3,899	3,964	3,945	+254	+45	-19	+299	+919	+8.2%	4,582
Health Science/ Diagnostics	427	472	471	484	478	-0	+7	-6	+7	+51	+1.5%	564
H&SC, Other	56	56	62	45	50	+6	-12	+5	-5	-6	-9.8%	58
Pharmacy	60	106	110	110	111	+5	+1	+1	+5	+51	+4.8%	129
Psychologists	64	87	82	83	86	-5	+4	+3	-1	+21	-0.9%	103
Social Care	183	218	234	217	218	+16	-16	+2	+1	+35	+0.3%	245
Social Workers	84	110	107	109	110	-3	+3	+1	+0	+26	+0.0%	126
Therapy Professions	412	468	464	559	559	-4	+96	+1	+92	+148	+19.6%	668
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,287	1,516	1,530	1,607	1,614	+15	+83	+7	+98	+327	+6.5%	1,893
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	215	336	328	335	342	-8	+13	+7	+5	+127	+1.6%	371
Clerical (III & IV)	772	824	837	860	873	+13	+37	+13	+50	+102	+6.0%	1,007
Management (VIII & above)	54	70	59	60	60	-11	+1	-0	-11	+6	-15.4%	61
Management & Administrative	1,040	1,230	1,224	1,255	1,275	-7	+51	+20	+44	+235	+3.6%	1,439
Maintenance/ Technical	15	17	19	16	19	+2	+0	+3	+2	+4	+12.6%	22
Support	823	898	892	970	951	-6	+59	-19	+54	+128	+6.0%	1,127
General Support	839	915	911	986	971	-4	+60	-15	+56	+132	+6.1%	1,149
Care, other	327	399	418	424	435	+19	+17	+11	+36	+108	+9.0%	508
Health Care Assistants	1,978	2,109	2,198	2,211	2,196	+89	-2	-15	+87	+218	+4.1%	2,713
Patient & Client Care	2,305	2,508	2,616	2,635	2,631	+107	+15	-5	+123	+326	+4.9%	3,221

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Total Cork North and East	3,654	4,093	4,030	4,214	4,243	-63	+213	+29	+150	+588	+3.7%	5,008
Consultants	81	99	106	113	115	+7	+9	+2	+16	+34	+16.3%	122
Medical/ Dental, other	46	56	51	44	48	-5	-4	+4	-8	+2	-14.9%	98
Registrars	139	169	174	179	181	+5	+7	+2	+12	+42	+7.0%	185
SHO/ Interns	103	123	114	120	122	-9	+8	+1	-2	+19	-1.5%	123
Medical & Dental	368	447	445	456	465	-2	+19	+9	+18	+96	+4.0%	528
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	280	325	324	330	331	-1	+7	+1	+6	+51	+1.7%	365
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	45	101	104	114	118	+2	+15	+4	+17	+74	+16.7%	127
Nursing/ Midwifery other	3	4	7	7	7	+3	-0	+0	+3	+4	+63.1%	8
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	32	12	7	11	16	-5	+9	+5	+4	-16	+30.3%	24
Public Health Nurse	88	81	81	80	78	-1	-2	-1	-3	-10	-3.6%	102
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	799	937	928	925	914	-9	-14	-10	-23	+115	-2.5%	1,057
Nursing & Midwifery	1,247	1,461	1,451	1,467	1,464	-10	+13	-2	+3	+217	+0.2%	1,683
Health Science/ Diagnostics	103	120	130	130	132	+10	+2	+3	+12	+29	+10.4%	157
H&SC, Other	18	35	25	27	27	-10	+1	-0	-8	+9	-23.6%	33
Pharmacy	28	38	35	35	36	-2	+0	+1	-2	+8	-5.5%	46
Psychologists	63	68	71	72	76	+3	+5	+3	+7	+13	+10.7%	94
Social Care	11	8	10	19	19	+1	+9	-0	+10	+8	+124.4%	22
Social Workers	42	47	47	51	51	-0	+4	-0	+4	+9	+8.0%	57
Therapy Professions	154	135	134	213	215	-1	+81	+2	+80	+61	+58.8%	253
Health & Social Care Professionals	416	451	452	547	555	+1	+102	+8	+103	+138	+22.9%	662
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	87	139	134	156	156	-4	+22	-0	+18	+70	+12.6%	171
Clerical (III & IV)	360	401	382	399	404	-19	+21	+5	+3	+44	+0.7%	472
Management (VIII & above)	18	29	31	31	31	+2	+0	+0	+2	+13	+6.6%	32
Management & Administrative	464	569	547	586	591	-22	+44	+5	+22	+127	+3.9%	675
Maintenance/ Technical	16	13	16	17	17	+3	+1	+0	+4	+1	+30.8%	17
Support	159	188	179	184	185	-9	+6	+2	-3	+26	-1.5%	213
General Support	175	201	195	201	202	-6	+7	+2	+1	+28	+0.6%	230
Care, other	65	96	93	95	98	-3	+4	+3	+1	+32	+1.1%	128
Health Care Assistants	918	866	845	863	868	-21	+22	+5	+2	-50	+0.2%	1,102
Patient & Client Care	983	963	939	957	965	-24	+27	+8	+3	-18	+0.3%	1,230

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Kerry	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Kerry	2,832	3,366	3,350	3,523	3,533	-16	+183	+10	+167	+700	+5.0%	4,125
Consultants	46	66	81	88	92	+16	+10	+4	+26	+46	+40.0%	101
Medical/ Dental, other	21	24	24	23	23	-0	-1	+0	-1	+2	-3.7%	37
Registrars	61	81	87	90	90	+6	+3	-1	+9	+29	+10.6%	93
SHO/ Interns	76	101	107	109	112	+6	+5	+3	+11	+37	+11.2%	115
Medical & Dental	204	272	300	310	317	+28	+17	+7	+45	+113	+16.6%	346
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	213	248	233	236	232	-15	-1	-4	-16	+19	-6.5%	250
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	29	73	82	97	95	+9	+13	-2	+22	+66	+30.4%	105
Nursing/ Midwifery other	1	2	4	4	4	+2	+0	+0	+2	+3	+104.8%	5
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	12	8	4	33	36	-4	+33	+3	+29	+25	+382.7%	71
Public Health Nurse	51	46	53	55	55	+7	+1	-1	+9	+4	+18.7%	66
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	710	859	859	850	844	-0	-15	-6	-15	+134	-1.8%	976
Nursing & Midwifery	1,016	1,235	1,234	1,274	1,265	-1	+31	-9	+30	+250	+2.4%	1,473
Health Science/ Diagnostics	68	93	92	94	97	-1	+6	+3	+5	+29	+5.1%	108
H&SC, Other	6	7	7	5	6	-0	-2	+1	-2	+0	-23.5%	7
Pharmacy	15	18	17	15	16	-1	-1	+0	-2	+1	-12.1%	18
Psychologists	12	12	11	13	13	-1	+2	+0	+0	+0	+0.8%	15
Social Care	46	52	52	56	55	-0	+3	-2	+2	+8	+4.8%	65
Social Workers	18	27	26	28	28	-0	+2	+0	+2	+11	+7.1%	32
Therapy Professions	116	102	95	157	157	-7	+62	+0	+55	+42	+54.1%	183
Health & Social Care Professionals	280	311	300	369	371	-11	+71	+3	+61	+91	+19.5%	428
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	38	102	105	115	114	+3	+8	-1	+11	+75	+11.0%	123
Clerical (III & IV)	254	281	268	281	282	-13	+14	+1	+1	+28	+0.2%	327
Management (VIII & above)	24	28	27	28	30	-0	+2	+2	+2	+6	+8.5%	31
Management & Administrative	317	411	401	424	426	-10	+24	+1	+14	+109	+3.5%	481
Maintenance/ Technical	4	4	4	8	8	-0	+4	+0	+4	+4	+104.2%	8
Support	261	304	292	301	300	-12	+8	-1	-5	+39	-1.5%	340
General Support	265	308	296	309	308	-12	+12	-1	-1	+43	-0.2%	348
Care, other	70	78	78	81	88	-0	+10	+7	+10	+18	+12.4%	108
Health Care Assistants	680	750	741	755	758	-9	+17	+2	+8	+77	+1.0%	941
Patient & Client Care	751	828	819	837	846	-9	+27	+9	+17	+95	+2.1%	1,049

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Regional Support Functions	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	+0	-408	+138	-68.8%	199
Medical/ Dental, other	3	5	3	1	1	-2	-2	+0	-4	-2	-81.3%	1
Registrars		0				-0			-0		-100.0%	
Medical & Dental	3	6	3	1	1	-3	-2	+0	-5	-2	-82.0%	1
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	4	17	16	14	13	-1	-2	-1	-4	+9	-22.3%	15
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP		2	2	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-52.9%	1
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife		10	5			-5	-5		-10		-100.0%	
Nursing & Midwifery	4	29	23	15	14	-7	-9	-1	-15	+10	-51.6%	16
Pharmacy		2	2	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-50.0%	1
Social Workers		30	29	17	19	-1	-10	+2	-11	+19	-38.1%	20
Dietitians		24	24			0	-24		-24		-100.0%	
Occupational Therapists		90	78			-12	-78		-90		-100.0%	
Physiotherapists		70	66			-4	-66		-70		-100.0%	
Podiatrists & Chiropodists		7	6			-1	-6		-7		-100.0%	
Speech & Language Therapists		74	73			-1	-73		-74		-100.0%	
Therapy Professions		264	247			-17	-247		-264		-100.0%	
Health & Social Care Professionals		296	278	18	20	-19	-258	+2	-277	+20	-93.4%	21
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	20	106	95	81	85	-10	-10	+4	-21	+65	-19.7%	91
Clerical (III & IV)	2	103	96	39	35	-6	-61	-4	-67	+33	-65.6%	38
Management (VIII & above)	18	33	33	31	30	-0	-3	-1	-3	+12	-9.0%	32
Management & Administrative	40	242	225	151	150	-17	-75	-0	-91	+110	-37.7%	161
Support		1	1			-0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
General Support		1	1			-0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
Care, other		15	13			-2	-13		-15		-100.0%	
Health Care Assistants		5	3			-2	-3		-5		-100.0%	
Patient & Client Care		19	16			-4	-16		-19		-100.0%	

Regional EMT	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Regional EMT			7	21	20	+7	+13	-1	+20	+20	-100.0%	22
H&SC, Other			2	2	2	+2	+0	+0	+2	+2	-100.0%	2
Psychologists				1	1		+1	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Health & Social Care Professionals			2	3	3	+2	+1	+0	+3	+3	-100.0%	3
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)				5	4		+4	-1	+4	+4	-100.0%	5
Clerical (III & IV)				1	1		+1	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Management (VIII & above)			5	12	12	+5	+7	+0	+12	+12	-100.0%	13
Management & Administrative			5	18	17	+5	+12	-1	+17	+17	-100.0%	19

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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	3.84%	22,981
Medical & Dental	799	1,063	1,206	1,224	1,240	+143	+35	+17	+178	+441	16.71%	1,343
Nursing & Midwifery	3,026	3,645	3,899	3,964	3,945	+254	+45	-19	+299	+919	8.21%	4,582
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,287	1,516	1,530	1,607	1,614	+15	+83	+7	+98	+327	6.47%	1,893
Management & Administrative	1,040	1,230	1,224	1,255	1,275	-7	+51	+20	+44	+235	3.60%	1,439
General Support	839	915	911	986	971	-4	+60	-15	+56	+132	6.10%	1,149
Patient & Client Care	2,305	2,508	2,616	2,635	2,631	+107	+15	-5	+123	+326	4.88%	3,221
Cork South and West	9,295	10,877	11,386	11,671	11,674	509	289	4	797	2,380	7.33%	13,627
Medical & Dental	368	447	445	456	465	-2	+19	+9	+18	+96	4.00%	528
Nursing & Midwifery	1,247	1,461	1,451	1,467	1,464	-10	+13	-2	+3	+217	0.20%	1,683
Health & Social Care Professionals	416	451	452	547	555	+1	+102	+8	+103	+138	22.87%	662
Management & Administrative	464	569	547	586	591	-22	+44	+5	+22	+127	3.90%	675
General Support	175	201	195	201	202	-6	+7	+2	+1	+28	0.59%	230
Patient & Client Care	983	963	939	957	965	-24	+27	+8	+3	-18	0.27%	1,230
Cork North and East	3,654	4,093	4,030	4,214	4,243	-63	213	29	150	588	3.67%	5,008
Medical & Dental	204	272	300	310	317	+28	+17	+7	+45	+113	16.61%	346
Nursing & Midwifery	1,016	1,235	1,234	1,274	1,265	-1	+31	-9	+30	+250	2.43%	1,473
Health & Social Care Professionals	280	311	300	369	371	-11	+71	+3	+61	+91	19.46%	428
Management & Administrative	317	411	401	424	426	-10	+24	+1	+14	+109	3.45%	481
General Support	265	308	296	309	308	-12	+12	-1	-1	+43	-0.17%	348
Patient & Client Care	751	828	819	837	846	-9	+27	+9	+17	+95	2.10%	1,049
Kerry	2,832	3,366	3,350	3,523	3,533	-16	183	10	167	700	4.96%	4,125
Medical & Dental	3	6	3	1	1	-3	-2	+0	-5	-2	-82.05%	1
Nursing & Midwifery	4	29	23	15	14	-7	-9	-1	-15	+10	-51.63%	16
Health & Social Care Professionals		296	278	18	20	-19	-258	+2	-277	+20	-93.35%	21
Management & Administrative	40	242	225	151	150	-17	-75	0	-91	+110	-37.73%	161
General Support		1	1			0	-1		-1		-100.00%	
Patient & Client Care		19	16			-4	-16		-19		-100.00%	
Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	0	-408	138	-68.76%	199
Health & Social Care Professionals			2	3	3	+2	+1	+0	+3	+3	-100.00%	3

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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	3.84%	22,981
Management & Administrative			5	18	17	+5	+12	-1	+17	+17	-100.00%	19
Regional EMT			7	21	20	7	13	-1	20	20	-100.00%	22



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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	+3.8%	22,981
Consultant Anaesthesia	55	61	69	68	71	+9	+2	+3	+10	+16	+17.0%	75
Consultant Dentistry	2	5	5	5	5	+0	0	+0	+0	+3	+5.2%	6
Consultant Emergency Medicine	10	20	23	27	28	+4	+5	+1	+9	+18	+44.9%	30
Consultant Intensive Care Medicine		1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+0.0%	1
Consultant Medicine	99	157	181	189	191	+24	+11	+2	+35	+92	+22.0%	209
Consultant Obstetrics & Gynaecology	19	26	33	34	35	+7	+1	+1	+8	+15	+31.3%	38
Consultant Paediatrics	20	30	35	36	35	+4	+0	-1	+5	+15	+15.1%	39
Consultant Pathology	30	36	38	40	43	+3	+4	+3	+7	+13	+19.6%	49
Consultant Psychiatry	51	67	74	76	80	+7	+6	+4	+13	+29	+19.4%	87
Consultant Radiology	34	40	50	53	54	+10	+3	+0	+13	+20	+32.5%	56
Consultant Surgery	70	86	93	95	97	+8	+4	+2	+12	+27	+13.5%	103
Consultants	390	529	604	626	640	+75	+37	+15	+111	+250	+21.1%	693
Dentists	62	71	64	54	59	-7	-5	+4	-12	-4	-17.5%	106
Other Medical	56	68	68	68	69	-1	+2	+1	+1	+13	+1.4%	135
Medical/ Dental, other	119	139	131	123	128	-8	-3	+5	-11	+9	-8.2%	241
Registrar	297	382	430	445	452	+49	+22	+8	+71	+155	+18.6%	468
Senior Registrar	26	31	33	31	30	+3	-3	-1	0	+4	-1.5%	32
Specialist Registrar	133	175	188	203	201	+13	+12	-2	+26	+68	+14.7%	206
Registrars	457	587	652	679	683	+65	+32	+5	+96	+227	+16.4%	706
Interns	119	135	137	134	138	+2	+1	+4	+3	+19	+2.3%	138
Senior House Officer	290	397	430	429	433	+34	+3	+4	+37	+144	+9.2%	440
SHO/ Interns	409	531	567	563	571	+36	+4	+8	+40	+163	+7.5%	578
Medical & Dental	1,374	1,787	1,954	1,990	2,023	+167	+69	+33	+236	+649	+13.2%	+2,218
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 1	187	184	184	194	192	+1	+8	-2	+8	+5	+4.5%	218
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 2	622	785	789	789	780	+4	-9	-9	-5	+157	-0.7%	864
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 3	89	99	103	107	107	+4	+4	0	+8	+18	+7.8%	113
Director Nursing/Midwifery, Assistant	115	145	149	153	157	+4	+8	+3	+11	+42	+7.8%	166
Director of Nursing/Midwifery	43	55	52	52	51	-3	-1	-1	-3	+8	-6.3%	53
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	1,057	1,268	1,277	1,295	1,286	+9	+9	-9	+18	+230	+1.5%	1,414
Advanced Nurse/ Midwife Practitioner	23	66	87	95	96	+21	+9	+1	+30	+73	+45.7%	102
Adv. Nurse/ Midwife, Candidate		53	43	43	46	-11	+3	+3	-8	+46	-14.5%	47
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Spec., Candidate			7	16	19	+7	+12	+3	+19	+19	-100.0%	19
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Specialist	153	258	282	286	285	+23	+4	-1	+27	+133	+10.5%	322
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	176	378	418	440	446	+40	+28	+6	+68	+270	+18.0%	490
Nursing Education/Clinical	9	15	22	22	22	+7	0	+0	+7	+13	+46.2%	26
Other Nursing/ Midwifery	1									-1	-100.0%	
Nursing/ Midwifery other	10	15	22	22	22	+7	0	+0	+7	+12	+46.2%	26
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	35	10	18		29	+9	+11	+29	+20	-5	+209.3%	50
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	48	29	29	10	22	0	-7	+12	-7	-27	-25.5%	36
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	39	15	17	119	86	+3	+69	-33	+71	+47	+492.6%	174
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	122	53	64	129	137	+11	+73	+7	+84	+15	+158.3%	260
Public Health Nurse	216	209	216	221	220	+7	+4	0	+12	+4	+5.5%	286
Public Health Nurse	216	209	216	221	220	+7	+4	0	+12	+4	+5.5%	286
Staff Midwives	241	224	238	236	236	+14	-2	+0	+12	-4	+5.5%	280
Staff Nurse [Intellectual Disability]	87	168	180	203	198	+12	+18	-5	+30	+112	+17.8%	241
Staff Nurse [Psychiatric]	469	456	415	424	419	-41	+4	-5	-37	-49	-8.1%	444
Staff Nurses [General/ Children's]	2,917	3,601	3,776	3,750	3,724	+175	-53	-27	+123	+806	+3.4%	4,313
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	3,713	4,450	4,610	4,613	4,578	+160	-32	-36	+128	+864	+2.9%	5,278
Nursing & Midwifery	5,293	6,372	6,608	6,720	6,689	+236	+81	-31	+317	+1,396	+5.0%	+7,754
Audiology	11	12	12	12	12	0	0	0	0	+1	-1.1%	15
Biochemists	5	9	8	7	7	-1	-1	+0	-2	+2	-19.2%	8
Cardiac Physiologists	20	21	20	23	22	-1	+2	-1	+1	+2	+7.0%	26
Clinical Engineering	19	25	26	26	26	+1	+0	+0	+2	+7	+6.9%	27
Dosimetrists	8	10	11	9	10	+1	-1	+1	+0	+2	+0.8%	12
E.C.G. Technicians	1		1	1	1	+1	+0	+0	+1	0	-100.0%	1
Gastrointestinal Physiologists		2	2	3	3	+0	+1	+0	+1	+3	+50.0%	3

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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	+3.8%	22,981
Medical Science	254	281	278	292	291	-3	+14	0	+11	+37	+3.9%	337
Neuro-Physiologists	10	6	7	6	6	+1	-1	0	+0	-4	+0.5%	8
Perfusionists	4	3	1	1	1	-2	+0	+0	-2	-4	-71.8%	1
Phlebotomists	34	44	45	45	45	+0	+0	+0	+1	+10	+1.6%	65
Physicists	23	33	34	32	34	+0	+0	+2	+1	+12	+2.7%	36
Radiation Therapists	41	37	43	45	43	+6	+0	-2	+6	+3	+17.3%	52
Radiographers	162	197	202	199	199	+4	-3	-1	+2	+37	+0.8%	231
Respiratory Physiologists	6	4	4	6	6	0	+2	+0	+2	+0	+50.0%	6
Vascular Physiologists		1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+0.0%	1
Health Science/ Diagnostics	598	684	693	708	708	+9	+15	+0	+24	+110	+3.5%	829
Counsellor Therapists	41	50	52	50	50	+2	-2	0	0	+9	-0.5%	55
Dental Hygienists	8	9	8	8	7	-1	0	0	-1	-1	-13.5%	12
HSCP Trainees/Students	17	16	17	2	8	+1	-9	+6	-8	-9	-48.4%	9
Other Health & Social Care	13	15	14	15	15	-1	+1	-1	+0	+2	+0.8%	17
Play Therapists/ Specialists	1	3	5	4	4	+1	-1	0	+0	+3	+9.4%	5
Vaccinators		5	1	0	0	-4	-1	+0	-5	+0	-90.8%	2
H&SC, Other	79	98	97	80	85	-1	-12	+5	-13	+5	-13.7%	100
Pharmacists	60	103	104	100	102	+1	-2	+3	-1	+42	-0.6%	123
Pharmacy Technicians	42	60	60	61	61	+0	+0	+0	+0	+19	+0.8%	71
Pharmacy	102	163	164	160	163	+1	-1	+3	0	+61	-0.1%	194
Psychologists	139	167	163	168	175	-4	+12	+6	+8	+36	+4.5%	213
Psychologists	139	167	163	168	175	-4	+12	+6	+8	+36	+4.5%	213
Social Care	240	278	295	292	292	+17	-4	0	+14	+52	+4.9%	332
Social Care	240	278	295	292	292	+17	-4	0	+14	+52	+4.9%	332
Social Workers	143	214	210	206	208	-4	-2	+2	-6	+65	-2.7%	235
Social Workers	143	214	210	206	208	-4	-2	+2	-6	+65	-2.7%	235
Dietitians	76	113	113	112	112	0	-1	+0	-1	+35	-1.3%	139
Occupational Therapists	201	318	299	295	298	-19	-1	+3	-19	+97	-6.1%	348
Orthoptists	4	1	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	-3	+20.0%	2
Physiotherapists	229	317	315	314	313	-2	-3	-1	-5	+84	-1.5%	369
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	10	19	19	19	19	0	+0	+0	0	+9	-1.1%	22
Speech & Language Therapists	160	200	192	188	188	-9	-3	+0	-12	+28	-6.0%	224
Therapy Professions	681	969	940	929	932	-30	-8	+2	-38	+251	-3.9%	1,104
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,983	2,574	2,562	2,544	2,562	-12	+0	+19	-12	+579	-0.5%	+3,007
Middle Management (V-VII)	360	683	663	692	701	-20	+38	+9	+18	+341	+2.6%	761
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	360	683	663	692	701	-20	+38	+9	+18	+341	+2.6%	761
General Administrative (III & IV)	1,388	1,609	1,584	1,580	1,595	-25	+12	+15	-13	+207	-0.8%	1,845
Clerical (III & IV)	1,388	1,609	1,584	1,580	1,595	-25	+12	+15	-13	+207	-0.8%	1,845
CEO/Chief Officer	5	5	5	4	5	+0	+0	+1	+0	+0	+0.0%	5
General Managers	35	44	40	43	45	-4	+4	+2	+1	+10	+1.9%	46
National Director, Assistant	5	8	6	8	8	-2	+2	0	0	+3	-3.1%	8
Other Executives	12	18	16	18	18	-2	+2	+0	+0	+6	+0.3%	18
VIII	57	86	88	89	88	+3	-1	-1	+2	+30	+2.3%	92
Management (VIII & above)	114	160	155	162	163	-5	+8	+1	+3	+49	+1.6%	169
Management & Administrative	1,862	2,452	2,402	2,434	2,459	-50	+57	+25	+7	+597	+0.3%	+2,775
Maintenance	33	28	32	34	36	+4	+4	+2	+8	+3	+29.3%	39
Technical Services	2	6	7	7	8	+1	+1	+1	+2	+6	+33.3%	8
Maintenance/ Technical	35	34	39	41	44	+5	+5	+3	+10	+9	+30.0%	47
Catering	131	295	402	433	436	+107	+34	+3	+142	+305	+48.0%	500
Household Services	673	596	492	506	498	-104	+5	-9	-98	-176	-16.5%	621
Other Labs & Associated	31	73	59	72	62	-14	+3	-10	-11	+31	-15.2%	70
Other Support	156	120	114	114	113	-7	0	-1	-7	-43	-6.0%	136
Portering	252	307	297	330	328	-10	+31	-2	+20	+76	+6.7%	353
Support	1,244	1,391	1,364	1,455	1,437	-28	+73	-18	+45	+193	+3.3%	1,680
General Support	1,279	1,425	1,402	1,495	1,481	-23	+78	-15	+56	+202	+3.9%	+1,727
Health Promotion		18	19	15	17	+0	-2	+2	-1	+17	-7.8%	23
Home Care Services	29	35	34	34	34	-1	0	0	-1	+5	-3.6%	37

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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	+3.8%	22,981
Other Care Grades	132	194	191	203	209	-3	+18	+6	+15	+77	+7.9%	250
Pastoral Care	14	16	15	16	16	-1	+1	+0	+0	+2	+1.5%	33
Workshop Services	287	326	344	333	345	+18	+1	+12	+19	+58	+5.9%	401
Care, other	462	588	602	600	620	+13	+19	+20	+32	+158	+5.4%	744
Attendant/ Aide	808	624	588	572	575	-36	-13	+3	-49	-233	-7.9%	661
Health Care Assistant/ Care Assistant	1,630	2,117	2,234	2,293	2,281	+116	+48	-12	+164	+652	+7.8%	2,666
Health Care Assistant /Home Support	1,124	944	925	920	924	-19	-1	+4	-20	-199	-2.1%	1,384
Health & Social Care Assistants	15	45	40	44	41	-5	+0	-3	-4	+26	-9.3%	45
Health Care Assistants	3,576	3,730	3,787	3,829	3,821	+57	+34	-8	+91	+245	+2.4%	4,756
Patient & Client Care	4,039	4,319	4,389	4,429	4,442	+71	+53	+12	+123	+403	+2.9%	+5,500

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Overall IHA Cork South and West	9,295	10,877	11,386	11,671	11,674	509	289	4	797	2,380	+7.3%	13,627
Consultant Medicine	72	107	122	127	129	+15	7	+2	22	+57	+20.7%	143
Consultant Surgery	50	64	68	69	70	+3	2	+1	6	+20	+8.7%	75
Consultant Anaesthesia	37	42	51	50	51	+8	0	+1	9	+14	+20.8%	54
Consultant Emergency Medicine	7	14	15	16	17	+2	1	+0	3	+10	+22.2%	17
Consultant Intensive Care Medicine		1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+0.0%	1
Consultant Obstetrics & Gynaecology	16	23	28	28	29	+5	1	+1	6	+13	+24.5%	32
Consultant Paediatrics	12	22	28	30	29	+6	0	-1	7	+16	+30.7%	32
Consultant Pathology	26	31	35	35	37	+4	2	+2	5	+11	+17.2%	42
Consultant Psychiatry	18	26	27	26	28	+1	1	+3	2	+10	+7.8%	29
Consultant Radiology	22	31	38	40	41	+7	2	+1	9	+19	+30.1%	42
Consultant Dentistry	2	2	3	2	3	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+11.5%	3
Registrar	139	191	224	226	232	+33	8	+6	41	+93	+21.3%	242
Senior Registrar	8	9	11	13	13	+2	2	+0	4	+5	+45.1%	13
Specialist Registrar	110	137	156	170	168	+19	13	-2	31	+58	+22.8%	173
Interns	72	80	82	80	81	+2	-1	+1	1	+9	+1.2%	81
Senior House Officer	158	227	264	254	256	+37	-7	+2	29	+98	+12.9%	259
Other Medical	28	31	33	38	38	+2	5	+0	7	+10	+21.7%	78
Dentists	20	23	20	18	18	-3	-2	+0	-5	-2	-20.6%	27
Medical & Dental	799	1,063	1,206	1,224	1,240	+143	+35	+17	+178	+441	+16.7%	1,343
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 1	114	104	118	118	114	+14	-4	-3	11	+0	+10.4%	132
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 2	323	431	435	445	442	+4	7	-3	10	+119	+2.4%	486
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 3	48	56	57	57	59	+1	1	+1	2	+10	+4.1%	63
Director Nursing/Midwifery, Assistant	59	66	75	76	76	+9	1	+0	10	+17	+14.7%	82
Director of Nursing/Midwifery	15	20	20	20	20	-1	0	+0	-1	+5	-2.5%	21
Adv. Nurse/ Midwife, Candidate		30	19	18	21	-11	2	+3	-9	+21	-29.2%	22
Advanced Nurse/ Midwife Practitioner	11	37	49	53	52	+12	3	-1	15	+41	+40.2%	56
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Specialist	91	134	161	151	149	+26	-11	-1	15	+59	+11.2%	170
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Spec., Candidate			2	7	9	+2	7	+2	9	+9	-100.0%	9
Staff Nurses (General/ Children's)	1805	2198	2,377	2376	2367	+179	-9	-9	169	+563	+7.7%	2,714
Staff Midwives	208	191	204	202	203	+13	-1	+1	12	-5	+6.1%	241
Staff Nurse [Intellectual Disability]	68	137	138	154	149	+1	11	-5	12	+81	+8.9%	181
Staff Nurse [Psychiatric]	123	117	99	106	100	-18	2	-6	-17	-23	-14.1%	109
Public Health Nurse	77	81	82	86	87	+1	5	+2	6	+10	+7.2%	118
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	13	2	17		16	+15	-1	+16	14	+3	+700.0%	32
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	33	18	20	10	16	+2	-4	+6	-2	-17	-10.0%	26
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	33	14	17	75	53	+3	36	-23	39	+20	+291.6%	107
Nursing Education/Clinical	6	9	11	11	11	+2	0	+0	2	+6	+25.8%	13
Nursing & Midwifery	3,026	3,645	3,899	3,964	3,945	+254	+45	-19	+299	+919	+8.2%	4,582
Dietitians	45	62	58	70	70	-4	12	0	8	+25	+12.9%	85
Occupational Therapists	112	137	137	162	163	+0	26	+0	26	+51	+19.2%	192
Physiotherapists	144	169	174	193	192	+5	19	0	24	+49	+14.0%	231
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	5	6	5	10	10	-1	5	0	4	+5	+65.0%	12
Speech & Language Therapists	103	93	88	122	123	-5	35	+1	30	+20	+31.8%	146
Orthoptists	4	1	2	2	2	+0	0	+0	0	-2	+20.0%	2
Cardiac Physiologists	14	14	12	14	13	-3	1	-1	-2	-1	-11.2%	15
Medical Science	172	182	177	186	185	-5	9	-1	3	+13	+1.8%	215
Phlebotomists	25	34	35	35	34	+1	-1	-1	1	+10	+1.6%	53
Radiographers	101	113	113	116	112	+1	-1	-4	-1	+11	-0.7%	127
Biochemists	3	8	7	6	6	-1	-1	+0	-2	+3	-21.7%	7
Clinical Engineering	18	21	21	21	21	+1	0	+0	1	+3	+3.4%	22
Dosimetrists	8	10	11	9	10	+1	-1	+1	0	+2	+0.8%	12
E.C.G. Technicians	1		1	1	1	+1	0	+0	1	0	-100.0%	1
Neuro-Physiologists	6	5	6	5	5	+1	-1	0	0	-1	+0.6%	7
Perfusionists	4	3	1	1	1	-2	0	+0	-2	-4	-71.8%	1
Physicists	22	32	33	31	33	+0	0	+2	1	+11	+2.8%	35
Radiation Therapists	41	37	43	45	43	+6	0	-2	6	+3	+17.3%	52
Respiratory Physiologists	2	1		1	1	-1	1	+0	0	-1	+0.0%	1
Vascular Physiologists		1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+0.0%	1
Audiology	11	12	12	12	12	0	0	0	0	+1	-1.1%	15



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Overall IHA Cork South and West	9,295	10,877	11,386	11,671	11,674	509	289	4	797	2,380	+7.3%	13,627
Social Care	183	218	234	217	218	+16	-16	+2	1	+35	+0.3%	245
Social Workers	84	110	107	109	110	-3	3	+1	0	+26	+0.0%	126
Psychologists	64	87	82	83	86	-5	4	+3	-1	+21	-0.9%	103
Pharmacists	36	68	71	71	73	+3	1	+1	5	+37	+6.8%	86
Pharmacy Technicians	24	38	39	38	38	+1	-1	+0	0	+14	+1.1%	43
HSCP Trainees/Students	11	12	14	2	7	+2	-7	+5	-5	-4	-39.6%	8
Other Health & Social Care	9	8	9	7	6	+0	-2	0	-2	-3	-24.4%	7
Play Therapists/ Specialists	1	2	4	2	2	+1	-2	0	0	+1	-19.4%	3
Counsellor Therapists	33	31	34	33	33	+3	-1	+0	2	-1	+5.6%	36
Dental Hygienists	2	2	2	2	2	+0	0	+0	0	0	+2.5%	4
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,287	1,516	1,530	1,607	1,614	+15	+83	+7	+98	+327	+6.5%	1,893
VIII	28	38	34	34	32	-4	-2	-2	-6	+4	-15.3%	33
CEO/Chief Officer	3	3	3	3	4	+0	1	+1	1	+1	+33.3%	4
General Managers	16	21	18	18	19	-3	1	+1	-2	+3	-10.2%	19
Other Executives	6	7	4	5	5	-3	1	+0	-2	-1	-28.2%	5
National Director, Assistant	1	2				-2			-2	-1	-100.0%	
Middle Management (V-VII)	215	336	328	335	342	-8	13	+7	5	+127	+1.6%	371
General Administrative (III & IV)	772	824	837	860	873	+13	37	+13	50	+102	+6.0%	1,007
Management & Administrative	1,040	1,230	1,224	1,255	1,275	-7	+51	+20	+44	+235	+3.8%	1,439
Catering	73	181	193	207	205	+12	12	-2	24	+133	+13.3%	232
Household Services	400	338	339	362	353	+1	14	-9	15	-47	+4.5%	459
Portering	198	234	229	257	257	-5	28	0	23	+60	+9.9%	279
Other Labs & Associated	21	52	44	56	48	-8	5	-7	-4	+27	-7.0%	55
Other Support	131	92	87	88	87	-5	0	-1	-5	-44	-5.5%	102
Maintenance	14	14	16	13	15	+2	-1	+2	1	+1	+8.2%	18
Technical Services	1	3	3	3	4	+0	1	+1	1	+3	+33.3%	4
General Support	839	915	911	986	971	-4	+60	-15	+56	+132	+6.1%	1,149
Attendant/ Aide	375	267	250	248	248	-17	-2	+0	-19	-127	-7.1%	292
Health & Social Care Assistants	8	23	25	26	25	+2	0	-1	2	+17	+8.8%	28
Health Care Assistant/ Care Assistant	1163	1476	1,596	1619	1605	+121	9	-14	129	+443	+8.8%	1,898
Health Care Assistant /Home Support	432	343	326	318	317	-17	-8	-1	-26	-114	-7.6%	495
Pastoral Care	8	9	8	9	9	0	1	+0	0	+1	+2.9%	17
Other Care Grades	49	85	89	106	108	+5	18	+2	23	+59	+27.1%	123
Home Care Services	13	15	13	14	14	-2	0	0	-2	+1	-11.1%	14
Workshop Services	258	291	307	296	305	+16	-2	+9	14	+48	+4.9%	354
Patient & Client Care	2,305	2,508	2,616	2,635	2,631	+107	+15	-5	+123	+326	+4.9%	3,221



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Overall IHA Cork North and East	3,654	4,093	4,030	4,214	4,243	-63	213	29	150	588	+3.7%	5,008
Consultant Medicine	18	27	31	32	31	+3	1	0	4	+13	+15.3%	33
Consultant Surgery	12	13	14	15	15	+1	1	+0	2	+3	+14.3%	16
Consultant Anaesthesia	12	11	11	11	12	+0	1	+1	1	+0	+9.5%	12
Consultant Emergency Medicine		3	3	5	5	+0	2	+0	2	+5	+66.7%	5
Consultant Paediatrics	4	3	1	1	1	-2	0	+0	-2	-3	-66.7%	1
Consultant Pathology	3	3	3	3	3	+0	0	+0	0	+0	+18.1%	3
Consultant Psychiatry	25	29	33	34	36	+4	3	+2	7	+11	+22.9%	39
Consultant Radiology	8	7	9	9	9	+2	0	0	2	+2	+26.8%	10
Consultant Dentistry		3	3	3	3	+0	0	+0	0	+3	+0.0%	3
Registrar	108	126	135	147	150	+9	14	+2	23	+42	+18.3%	153
Senior Registrar	9	13	14	11	10	+1	-4	0	-3	+1	-24.3%	11
Specialist Registrar	22	29	25	21	21	-4	-4	+0	-8	-1	-27.6%	21
Interns	30	34	34	36	36	+0	2	+0	2	+6	+6.0%	36
Senior House Officer	73	89	80	84	86	-9	6	+1	-4	+13	-4.3%	87
Other Medical	16	19	18	17	17	-1	-1	+0	-2	+1	-9.4%	34
Dentists	30	37	33	27	30	-4	-3	+3	-6	+0	-17.7%	64
Medical & Dental	368	447	445	456	465	-2	+19	+9	+18	+96	+4.0%	528
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 1	50	55	41	51	51	-13	10	+0	-3	+1	-6.3%	57
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 2	162	198	205	198	197	+7	-9	-2	-1	+35	-0.5%	221
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 3	21	16	21	22	21	+5	0	-1	5	+0	+33.2%	22
Director Nursing/Midwifery, Assistant	32	40	41	43	46	+1	5	+4	7	+14	+16.3%	49
Director of Nursing/Midwifery	15	17	16	17	16	-2	0	-1	-2	+1	-8.9%	16
Adv. Nurse/ Midwife, Candidate		12	12	13	15	+0	3	+1	3	+15	+23.6%	15
Advanced Nurse/ Midwife Practitioner	7	18	22	25	25	+4	3	+0	7	+17	+41.3%	26
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Specialist	37	72	66	71	73	-6	7	+1	1	+36	+1.2%	80
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Spec., Candidate			4	5	6	+4	2	+1	6	+6	-100.0%	6
Staff Nurses [General/ Children's]	573	731	741	726	715	+10	-26	-11	-16	+142	-2.2%	846
Staff Midwives	6	2	2	1	1	0	-1	+0	-1	-5	-33.0%	2
Staff Nurse [Intellectual Disability]	1	1	5	6	6	+4	1	+0	5	+5	+500.0%	6
Staff Nurse [Psychiatric]	219	203	180	191	192	-23	12	+1	-11	-27	-5.4%	203
Public Health Nurse	88	81	81	80	78	-1	-2	-1	-3	-10	-3.6%	102
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	18	7	1		13	-6	12	+13	7	-4	+105.8%	18
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	12	5	6		2	+1	-4	+2	-3	-10	-55.0%	6
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	2	1		11		-1		-11	-1	-2	-100.0%	
Nursing Education/Clinical	3	4	7	7	7	+3	0	+0	3	+4	+63.1%	8
Nursing & Midwifery	1,247	1,461	1,451	1,467	1,464	-10	+13	-2	+3	+217	+0.2%	1,683
Dietitians	21	19	21	30	31	+3	9	+1	12	+10	+64.4%	38
Occupational Therapists	52	54	51	81	82	-4	31	+0	27	+30	+50.7%	95
Physiotherapists	41	38	38	61	62	0	24	+0	24	+21	+62.8%	69
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	5	5	5	6	6	+0	1	+0	1	+2	+25.6%	7
Speech & Language Therapists	36	20	20	35	35	0	15	0	15	-1	+76.8%	44
Cardiac Physiologists	2	3	5	5	5	+2	0	+0	2	+3	+81.5%	6
Medical Science	47	57	58	60	60	+1	2	+0	3	+13	+5.6%	69
Phlebotomists	5	6	6	6	6	+0	0	+0	0	+0	-0.7%	7
Radiographers	39	48	52	48	51	+5	-2	+2	3	+12	+6.5%	64
Biochemists	1									-1	-100.0%	
Clinical Engineering			1	1	1	+1	0	+0	1	+1	-100.0%	1
Neuro-Physiologists	4	1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	-3	+0.0%	1
Physicists		1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+0.0%	1
Respiratory Physiologists	4	3	4	5	5	+1	1	+0	2	+1	+66.7%	5
Gastrointestinal Physiologists		2	2	3	3	+0	1	+0	1	+3	+50.0%	3
Social Care	11	8	10	19	19	+1	9	0	10	+8	+124.4%	22
Social Workers	42	47	47	51	51	0	4	0	4	+9	+8.0%	57
Psychologists	63	68	71	72	76	+3	5	+3	7	+13	+10.7%	94
Pharmacists	15	22	20	19	20	-2	0	+1	-2	+5	-9.1%	25
Pharmacy Technicians	13	16	16	16	16	0	0	+0	0	+3	-0.6%	21
HSCP Trainees/Students	4	2				-2			-2	-4	-100.0%	
Other Health & Social Care	2	3	1	4	4	-2	3	+0	1	+1	+29.5%	4
Play Therapists/ Specialists		1	1	2	2	+0	1	+0	1	+2	+79.0%	2
Counsellor Therapists	7	19	18	18	17	-1	-1	0	-2	+10	-10.4%	19
Dental Hygienists	4	5	4	4	4	-1	0	0	-1	0	-24.0%	6



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Overall IHA Cork North and East	3,654	4,093	4,030	4,214	4,243	-63	213	29	150	588	+3.7%	5,008
Vaccinators		5	1	0	0	-4	-1	+0	-5	+0	-90.8%	2
Health & Social Care Professionals	416	451	452	547	555	+1	+102	+8	+103	+138	+22.9%	662
VIII	11	18	20	21	21	+1	1	+0	3	+11	+15.3%	22
CEO/Chief Officer	1	1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+0	+0.0%	1
General Managers	3	7	7	6	6	+0	-1	+0	-1	+3	-13.0%	6
Other Executives	2	3	3	3	3	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+0.4%	3
National Director, Assistant	1									-1	-100.0%	
Middle Management (V-VII)	87	139	134	156	156	-4	22	0	18	+70	+12.6%	171
General Administrative (III & IV)	360	401	382	399	404	-19	21	+5	3	+44	+0.7%	472
Management & Administrative	464	569	547	586	591	-22	+44	+5	+22	+127	+3.9%	675
Catering	30	87	107	112	116	+20	9	+4	28	+86	+32.5%	135
Household Services	105	57	36	34	33	-21	-3	-1	-24	-72	-42.8%	35
Portering	7	15	15	16	15	0	0	-1	0	+8	+0.0%	17
Other Labs & Associated	3	7	3	4	3	-4	0	-1	-4	+0	-54.2%	4
Other Support	14	21	18	18	19	-4	1	+1	-3	+5	-13.3%	22
Maintenance	15	10	12	13	13	+2	1	+0	3	-2	+30.0%	13
Technical Services	1	3	4	4	4	+1	0	+0	1	+3	+33.3%	4
General Support	175	201	195	201	202	-6	+7	+2	+1	+28	+0.6%	230
Attendant/ Aide	331	294	283	275	275	-11	-8	+0	-19	-56	-6.4%	309
Health & Social Care Assistants	7	12	7	10	11	-5	4	+1	-1	+4	-9.5%	11
Health Care Assistant/ Care Assistant	180	249	247	271	272	-1	25	+1	24	+92	+9.6%	303
Health Care Assistant /Home Support	400	312	308	307	309	-4	2	+2	-2	-91	-0.7%	479
Pastoral Care	5	4	4	4	4	0	0	+0	0	0	-1.8%	9
Other Care Grades	50	63	59	64	65	-4	6	+1	2	+14	+2.7%	83
Home Care Services	10	10	11	11	11	+1	0	0	1	+2	+8.3%	12
Workshop Services	1	1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	0	+0.0%	1
Health Promotion		18	19	15	17	+0	-2	+2	-1	+17	-7.8%	23
Patient & Client Care	983	963	939	957	965	-24	+27	+8	+3	-18	+0.3%	1,230



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Overall IHA Kerry	2,832	3,366	3,350	3,523	3,533	-16	183	10	167	700	+5.0%	4,125
Consultant Medicine	9	23	28	31	31	+5	3	+0	8	+22	+36.0%	33
Consultant Surgery	8	8	12	11	12	+4	0	+1	4	+4	+50.9%	12
Consultant Anaesthesia	7	8	8	7	8	+0	0	+1	1	+1	+6.9%	9
Consultant Emergency Medicine	3	3	5	6	7	+2	2	+1	4	+4	+125.3%	8
Consultant Obstetrics & Gynaecology	3	3	5	6	6	+2	1	0	3	+3	+83.3%	6
Consultant Paediatrics	4	6	6	6	5	+0	0	0	0	+2	-2.4%	6
Consultant Pathology	1	2	1	2	3	-1	2	+1	1	+2	+63.0%	4
Consultant Psychiatry	8	12	14	16	16	+3	2	+0	4	+8	+36.8%	19
Consultant Radiology	4	2	3	4	4	+1	1	+0	2	0	+90.5%	4
Registrar	50	64	71	71	71	+7	0	0	7	+21	+11.0%	73
Senior Registrar	10	8	8	8	7	+0	-1	-1	-1	-3	-12.1%	8
Specialist Registrar	1	9	8	11	12	-1	4	+0	3	+11	+27.8%	12
Interns	17	21	21	18	21	+0	0	+3	0	+4	+0.5%	21
Senior House Officer	59	80	86	91	91	+6	5	+1	11	+33	+14.0%	94
Other Medical	11	15	14	14	14	-1	0	+0	-1	+3	-4.5%	23
Dentists	10	10	10	9	9	+0	-1	+0	0	-1	-2.5%	14
Medical & Dental	204	272	300	310	317	+28	+17	+7	+45	+113	+16.6%	346
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 1	23	26	25	26	27	-1	2	+1	1	+4	+3.9%	29
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 2	138	151	145	141	138	-6	-7	-3	-13	+0	-8.7%	152
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 3	19	26	24	28	27	-2	3	-1	1	+9	+4.7%	28
Director Nursing/Midwifery, Assistant	22	31	26	29	29	-5	2	0	-3	+7	-9.1%	29
Director of Nursing/Midwifery	12	14	13	12	12	-1	-1	0	-2	-1	-17.0%	12
Adv. Nurse/ Midwife, Candidate		11	12	12	10	+1	-2	-2	-1	+10	-8.0%	10
Advanced Nurse/ Midwife Practitioner	4	11	15	18	19	+4	4	+1	8	+15	+71.8%	20
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Specialist	25	51	54	63	62	+3	8	-1	11	+37	+21.8%	71
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Spec., Candidate			1	4	4	+1	3	+0	4	+4	-100.0%	4
Staff Nurses [General/ Children's]	539	661	653	648	641	-8	-12	-6	-20	+102	-3.0%	753
Staff Midwives	27	31	32	32	32	+1	0	0	1	+5	+4.3%	37
Staff Nurse [Intellectual Disability]	18	31	37	43	43	+7	6	+0	13	+25	+42.1%	54
Staff Nurse [Psychiatric]	126	136	136	127	127	+0	-9	+0	-9	+1	-6.9%	132
Public Health Nurse	51	46	53	55	55	+7	1	-1	9	+4	+18.7%	66
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	4	1				-1			-1	-4	-100.0%	
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	3	6	3		3	-3	0	+3	-3	+0	-47.5%	4
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	5	1	1	33	33	+0	33	+0	33	+29	+6,510.0%	67
Nursing Education/Clinical		2	4	4	4	+2	0	+0	2	+4	+104.8%	5
Other Nursing/ Midwifery	1									-1	-100.0%	
Nursing & Midwifery	1,016	1,235	1,234	1,274	1,265	-1	+31	-9	+30	+250	+2.4%	1,473
Dietitians	11	9	10	12	11	+1	1	0	3	+0	+29.6%	16
Occupational Therapists	37	37	34	52	54	-4	20	+2	16	+17	+43.9%	61
Physiotherapists	45	41	38	60	59	-3	21	-2	18	+14	+43.1%	69
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	1	2	3	3	3	+1	0	+0	1	+2	+57.9%	3
Speech & Language Therapists	21	13	11	31	31	-2	19	0	17	+9	+132.9%	34
Orthoptists	1									-1	-100.0%	
Cardiac Physiologists	4	4	4	5	5	0	1	+0	1	+1	+20.9%	5
Medical Science	35	42	43	46	46	+1	3	+1	4	+12	+10.6%	53
Phlebotomists	4	5	4	4	5	-1	1	+1	0	+1	+4.2%	5
Radiographers	22	37	36	35	36	-1	0	+1	-1	+14	-2.0%	40
Biochemists	1	1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+0	+0.0%	1
Clinical Engineering	1	4	4	4	4	0	0	+0	0	+3	-0.3%	4
Physicists	1									-1	-100.0%	
Social Care	46	52	52	56	55	0	3	-2	2	+8	+4.8%	65
Social Workers	18	27	26	28	28	0	2	+0	2	+11	+7.1%	32
Psychologists	12	12	11	13	13	-1	2	+0	0	+0	+0.8%	15
Pharmacists	10	11	11	8	9	0	-2	+1	-2	-1	-20.3%	11
Pharmacy Technicians	5	6	5	7	7	-1	1	0	0	+2	+2.3%	7
HSCP Trainees/Students	2	2	3		1	+1	-2	+1	-1	-1	-50.0%	1
Other Health & Social Care	2	3	2	3	3	-1	0	0	-1	+1	-18.8%	4
Dental Hygienists	2	2	2	2	2	+0	0	0	0	+0	-5.0%	2
Health & Social Care Professionals	280	311	300	369	371	-11	+71	+3	+61	+91	+19.5%	428
VIII	13	16	18	17	18	+3	-1	+1	2	+5	+14.4%	19
General Managers	10	8	6	8	9	-2	3	+1	1	-1	+13.9%	9



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Overall IHA Kerry	2,832	3,366	3,350	3,523	3,533	-16	183	10	167	700	+5.0%	4,125
Other Executives	1	3	3	3	3	+0	0	+0	0	+2	+0.0%	3
National Director, Assistant	1	1				-1			-1	-1	-100.0%	
Middle Management (V-VII)	38	102	105	115	114	+3	8	-1	11	+75	+11.0%	123
General Administrative (III & IV)	254	281	268	281	282	-13	14	+1	1	+28	+0.2%	327
Management & Administrative	317	411	401	424	426	-10	+24	+1	+14	+109	+3.5%	481
Catering	28	26	102	114	115	+75	14	+2	89	+87	+341.4%	133
Household Services	168	200	117	110	112	-83	-5	+1	-89	-57	-44.3%	127
Portering	47	58	53	57	55	-5	2	-2	-3	+9	-4.6%	57
Other Labs & Associated	7	14	12	12	10	-2	-2	-2	-3	+4	-25.3%	11
Other Support	11	6	8	8	8	+2	-1	-1	1	-4	+22.3%	12
Maintenance	4	4	4	8	8	0	4	+0	4	+4	+104.2%	8
General Support	265	308	296	309	308	-12	+12	-1	-1	+43	-0.2%	348
Attendant/ Aide	101	63	55	50	52	-8	-3	+2	-11	-50	-18.0%	60
Health & Social Care Assistants		7	7	8	5	0	-2	-3	-2	+5	-33.6%	6
Health Care Assistant/ Care Assistant	287	391	388	403	404	-3	16	+0	13	+117	+3.3%	465
Health Care Assistant /Home Support	292	289	292	295	298	+3	6	+3	9	+6	+3.0%	410
Pastoral Care	2	3	3	3	3	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+2.7%	7
Other Care Grades	33	32	30	33	37	-2	7	+4	5	+3	+16.2%	44
Home Care Services	6	9	9	9	9	0	0	+0	0	+3	-4.5%	11
Workshop Services	29	34	37	37	39	+2	3	+2	5	+11	+14.2%	46
Patient & Client Care	751	828	819	837	846	-9	+27	+9	+17	+95	+2.1%	1,049



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Overall IHA Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	0	-408	138	-68.8%	199
Senior Registrar		0				0			0		-100.0%	
Other Medical	1	3	2			-1	-2		-3	-1	-100.0%	
Dentists	2	2	1	1	1	-1	0	+0	-1	-1	-50.0%	1
Medical & Dental	3	6	3	1	1	-3	-2	+0	-5	-2	-82.0%	1
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 2		5	4	4	3	-1	0	-1	-2	+3	-34.0%	5
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Manager 3	1	1	1			0	-1		-1	-1	-100.0%	
Director Nursing/Midwifery, Assistant	2	8	7	6	6	-1	-1	+0	-2	+4	-25.9%	6
Director of Nursing/Midwifery	1	3	4	4	4	+1	0	+0	1	+3	+33.3%	4
Adv. Nurse/ Midwife, Candidate		1				-1			-1		-100.0%	
Advanced Nurse/ Midwife Practitioner			1			+1	-1				-100.0%	
Clinical Nurse/ Midwife Specialist		1	1	1	1	+0	0	+0	0	+1	+0.0%	1
Staff Nurses [General/ Children's]		10	5			-5	-5		-10		-100.0%	
Nursing & Midwifery	4	29	23	15	14	-7	-9	-1	-15	+10	-51.6%	16
Dietitians		24	24			0	-24		-24		-100.0%	
Occupational Therapists		90	78			-12	-78		-90		-100.0%	
Physiotherapists		70	66			-4	-66		-70		-100.0%	
Podiatrists & Chiropodists		7	6			-1	-6		-7		-100.0%	
Speech & Language Therapists		74	73			-1	-73		-74		-100.0%	
Social Workers		30	29	17	19	-1	-10	+2	-11	+19	-38.1%	20
Pharmacists		2	2	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-50.0%	1
Health & Social Care Professionals		296	278	18	20	-19	-258	+2	-277	+20	-93.4%	21
VIII	6	14	16	15	14	+2	-1	0	0	+8	+3.6%	15
CEO/Chief Officer	1	1	1			+0	-1		-1	-1	-100.0%	
General Managers	6	8	8	9	9	+0	1	0	1	+3	+8.8%	10
Other Executives	3	5	4	4	4	-1	0	+0	-1	+1	-20.0%	4
National Director, Assistant	2	5	4	3	3	-1	-1	0	-2	+1	-45.0%	3
Middle Management (V-VII)	20	106	95	81	85	-10	-10	+4	-21	+65	-19.7%	91
General Administrative (III & IV)	2	103	96	39	35	-6	-61	-4	-67	+33	-65.6%	38
Management & Administrative	40	242	225	151	150	-17	-75	-0	-91	+110	-37.7%	161
Household Services		0				0			0		-100.0%	
Other Support		1	1			+0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
General Support		1	1			-0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
Health & Social Care Assistants		3	1			-2	-1		-3		-100.0%	
Health Care Assistant/ Care Assistant		2	2			0	-2		-2		-100.0%	
Other Care Grades		15	13			-2	-13		-15		-100.0%	
Patient & Client Care		19	16			-4	-16		-19		-100.0%	



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Overall IHA Regional EMT			7	21	20	7	13	-1	20	20	-100.0%	22
Psychologists				1	1		1	+0	1	+1	-100.0%	1
Other Health & Social Care			2	2	2	+2	0	+0	2	+2	-100.0%	2
Health & Social Care Professionals			2	3	3	+2	+1	+0	+3	+3	-100.0%	3
VIII				2	2		2	+0	2	+2	-100.0%	3
General Managers			1	2	2	+1	1	+0	2	+2	-100.0%	2
Other Executives			2	3	3	+2	1	+0	3	+3	-100.0%	3
National Director, Assistant			2	5	5	+2	3	+0	5	+5	-100.0%	5
Middle Management (V-VII)				5	4		4	-1	4	+4	-100.0%	5
General Administrative (III & IV)				1	1		1	+0	1	+1	-100.0%	1
Management & Administrative			5	18	17	+5	+12	-1	+17	+17	-100.0%	19



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Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	3.84%	22,981
Acute Services	7,606	9,865	10,000	10,292	10,304	+135	+304	+12	+439	+2,698	4.45%	11,607
Community Health & Wellbeing		51	47	41	44	-4	-4	+3	-8	+44	-15.00%	55
Mental Health	1,499	1,615	1,569	1,580	1,577	-46	+8	-3	-39	+78	-2.39%	1,747
Primary Care	1,333	1,365	1,534	1,875	1,896	+169	+361	+21	+530	+562	38.83%	2,423
Disabilities	2,425	2,686	2,815	2,849	2,855	+128	+40	+6	+169	+430	6.28%	3,369
Older People	2,919	2,752	2,801	2,771	2,775	+49	-26	+5	+23	-143	0.84%	3,559
Community Services	8,176	8,470	8,766	9,115	9,146	+296	+380	+31	+676	+970	7.98%	11,153
Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	+0	-408	+138	-68.76%	199
Regional EMT			7	21	20	+7	+13	-1	+20	+20	-100.00%	22
Regional Services Support Functions	47	593	552	206	206	-41	-346	0	-388	+158	-65.35%	221



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Acute Hospital Services	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Acute Hospital Services	7,606	9,865	10,000	10,292	10,304	+135	+304	+12	+439	+2,698	+4.4%	11,607
Consultants	335	454	518	535	546	+64	+28	+11	+92	+211	+20.3%	586
Medical/ Dental, other	6	6	5	8	8	-0	+3	+0	+2	+2	+39.6%	20
Registrars	353	476	531	535	541	+55	+10	+6	+65	+188	+13.6%	559
SHO/ Interns	370	474	497	499	505	+24	+8	+7	+32	+135	+6.7%	511
Medical & Dental	1,065	1,410	1,552	1,577	1,600	+142	+49	+24	+191	+535	+13.5%	1,676
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	620	760	745	761	755	-15	+10	-6	-5	+135	-0.6%	839
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	95	231	252	269	271	+22	+19	+3	+41	+177	+17.6%	295
Nursing/ Midwifery other	9	14	18	18	18	+4	-0	+0	+4	+9	+28.1%	22
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	62	26	22	93	98	-4	+75	+5	+72	+36	+275.3%	180
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	2,268	2,962	3,041	3,040	3,020	+80	-22	-20	+58	+752	+2.0%	3,419
Nursing & Midwifery	3,054	3,992	4,079	4,180	4,161	+87	+82	-19	+169	+1,107	+4.2%	4,755
Health Science/ Diagnostics	586	671	680	695	695	+10	+15	+1	+25	+109	+3.7%	813
H&SC, Other	19	19	21	5	11	+2	-10	+6	-8	-8	-43.1%	12
Pharmacy	94	151	150	145	148	-1	-2	+3	-3	+54	-1.9%	172
Psychologists	2	12	14	13	13	+3	-1	+1	+2	+12	+14.0%	17
Social Workers	29	42	41	45	45	-2	+4	-0	+3	+16	+6.3%	51
Therapy Professions	233	390	373	374	366	-17	-7	-7	-24	+133	-6.1%	430
Health & Social Care Professionals	963	1,285	1,280	1,276	1,279	-5	-1	+3	-6	+316	-0.5%	1,495
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	184	324	316	333	332	-7	+16	-1	+9	+149	+2.7%	364
Clerical (III & IV)	881	963	935	949	970	-28	+35	+21	+8	+89	+0.8%	1,096
Management (VIII & above)	29	46	46	50	48	+0	+2	-2	+2	+19	+4.9%	48
Management & Administrative	1,094	1,332	1,297	1,332	1,351	-35	+53	+19	+19	+257	+1.4%	1,508
Maintenance/ Technical	13	15	18	19	19	+3	+1	+0	+4	+7	+25.8%	20
Support	907	1,106	1,052	1,155	1,136	-54	+84	-19	+30	+229	+2.8%	1,294
General Support	920	1,121	1,071	1,174	1,156	-51	+85	-19	+35	+236	+3.1%	1,314
Care, other	13	42	48	54	60	+6	+13	+6	+19	+48	+45.1%	67
Health Care Assistants	498	684	674	699	697	-10	+23	-2	+13	+198	+1.9%	792
Patient & Client Care	511	726	721	753	757	-4	+36	+4	+31	+246	+4.3%	859

Community Health & Wellbeing	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Community Health & Wellbeing		51	47	41	44	-4	-4	+3	-8	+44	-15.0%	55
Nurse/ Midwife Manager		3	3	4	4	+0	+1	+1	+1	+4	+39.7%	5
Nursing & Midwifery		3	3	4	4	+0	+1	+1	+1	+4	+39.7%	5
H&SC, Other		5	1	0	0	-4	-1	+0	-5	+0	-90.8%	2
Therapy Professions		2	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	+2	+0.0%	2
Health & Social Care Professionals		7	3	2	2	-4	-1	+0	-5	+2	-69.4%	4
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)		14	15	14	14	+1	-1	-0	-0	+14	-1.9%	16
Clerical (III & IV)		8	7	5	5	-1	-2	-0	-3	+5	-38.2%	6
Management (VIII & above)		2	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	+2	+0.0%	2
Management & Administrative		24	23	21	21	-1	-3	-0	-3	+21	-13.7%	24
Care, other		17	18	15	17	+0	-1	+2	-1	+17	-5.3%	22
Patient & Client Care		17	18	15	17	+0	-1	+2	-1	+17	-5.3%	22

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Mental Health	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Mental Health	1,499	1,615	1,569	1,580	1,577	-46	+8	-3	-39	+78	-2.4%	1,747
Consultants	50	65	71	73	77	+7	+6	+4	+12	+27	+19.2%	84
Medical/ Dental, other	2	1	1	0	0	+0	-1	+0	-1	-2	-52.6%	1
Registrars	46	51	49	57	57	-2	+8	-0	+6	+11	+11.2%	58
SHO/ Interns	31	55	61	55	56	+7	-5	+1	+1	+25	+2.5%	57
Medical & Dental	129	171	183	185	190	+11	+8	+5	+19	+62	+11.1%	200
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	171	201	206	204	203	+5	-3	-1	+2	+31	+1.1%	214
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	60	90	89	98	98	-1	+9	+0	+8	+38	+9.3%	106
Nursing/ Midwifery other			2	2	2	+2	+0	+0	+2	+2	-100.0%	2
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	34	2	20	29	29	+19	+9	+0	+27	-5	+1,814.0%	58
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	505	484	440	446	441	-44	+1	-5	-43	-64	-8.9%	466
Nursing & Midwifery	770	776	756	778	772	-19	+16	-6	-3	+2	-0.4%	846
H&SC, Other	11	19	18	17	16	-1	-1	-1	-2	+5	-13.2%	19
Pharmacy	2	1	1	1	1	-1	+0	+0	-1	-2	-48.1%	1
Psychologists	83	98	97	99	103	-1	+5	+3	+5	+20	+4.9%	125
Social Care	4	3	3	2	2	-0	-1	-0	-1	-2	-38.4%	3
Social Workers	53	74	67	65	64	-7	-3	-1	-10	+11	-13.2%	74
Therapy Professions	74	88	83	74	73	-4	-10	-0	-14	-0	-16.3%	87
Health & Social Care Professionals	227	283	269	258	259	-13	-11	+1	-24	+32	-8.4%	309
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	22	33	29	36	35	-5	+6	-1	+1	+12	+4.3%	36
Clerical (III & IV)	87	106	104	96	96	-2	-8	-0	-10	+9	-9.7%	109
Management (VIII & above)	1	3	3	2	2	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-35.5%	2
Management & Administrative	111	142	136	133	132	-7	-3	-1	-10	+21	-6.9%	147
Maintenance/ Technical	6	4	4	4	4	+0	+0	+0	+0	-2	+0.0%	4
Support	81	65	56	54	56	-9	-0	+2	-9	-25	-13.5%	64
General Support	87	68	60	58	60	-9	-0	+2	-9	-27	-12.8%	68
Care, other	7	6	5	5	5	-0	-1	+0	-1	-3	-19.5%	10
Health Care Assistants	168	169	160	163	158	-9	-2	-5	-11	-10	-6.4%	167
Patient & Client Care	176	175	165	168	163	-10	-2	-5	-12	-13	-6.8%	177

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Primary Care	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Primary Care	1,333	1,365	1,534	1,875	1,896	+169	+361	+21	+530	+562	+38.8%	2,423
Consultants	3	8	12	15	15	+4	+4	-0	+7	+12	+98.3%	20
Medical/ Dental, other	86	102	95	87	91	-7	-4	+5	-11	+5	-10.6%	161
Registrars	55	60	72	87	86	+12	+14	-1	+26	+31	+43.4%	89
SHO/ Interns	6	3	8	9	9	+5	+1	+0	+6	+3	+198.3%	9
Medical & Dental	150	172	187	198	201	+14	+14	+3	+29	+52	+16.6%	279
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	56	68	81	85	88	+14	+6	+2	+20	+31	+29.6%	99
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	4	32	53	59	62	+21	+9	+3	+30	+58	+94.5%	73
Nursing/ Midwifery other			1	1	1	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	17	20	19		8	-1	-11	+8	-12	-10	-61.9%	16
Public Health Nurse	211	204	213	217	216	+9	+3	-0	+12	+5	+6.0%	281
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	119	182	232	244	239	+51	+7	-4	+58	+120	+31.8%	346
Nursing & Midwifery	408	505	600	605	614	+95	+14	+8	+109	+206	+21.5%	816
Health Science/ Diagnostics	11	12	11	12	11	-1	+0	-1	-1	+1	-4.5%	14
H&SC, Other	41	41	43	43	42	+2	-1	-0	+1	+1	+3.1%	51
Pharmacy	3	5	7	8	9	+2	+2	+0	+4	+6	+90.5%	10
Psychologists	20	26	17	21	21	-9	+3	+0	-5	+0	-19.9%	27
Social Care	8	7	7	7	6	-0	-1	-0	-1	-1	-10.8%	8
Social Workers	24	33	37	46	47	+4	+10	+1	+14	+23	+44.4%	52
Therapy Professions	222	77	82	322	325	+5	+243	+3	+248	+103	+322.9%	391
Health & Social Care Professionals	329	200	205	458	462	+4	+257	+3	+261	+132	+130.7%	553
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	63	82	70	89	93	-12	+22	+3	+11	+29	+12.9%	100
Clerical (III & IV)	205	212	223	260	261	+11	+38	+1	+49	+56	+23.2%	320
Management (VIII & above)	31	30	23	21	24	-7	+1	+2	-6	-7	-20.4%	25
Management & Administrative	299	324	315	371	377	-8	+62	+7	+54	+79	+16.6%	445
Maintenance/ Technical			3	3	3	+3	-0	+0	+3	+3	-100.0%	3
Support	16	17	63	62	61	+46	-2	-1	+44	+45	+260.6%	80
General Support	16	17	66	65	64	+49	-2	-1	+47	+48	+277.7%	83
Care, other	105	107	101	111	111	-6	+10	+0	+3	+6	+3.2%	147
Health Care Assistants	28	40	61	67	67	+21	+6	+0	+27	+39	+68.8%	100
Patient & Client Care	132	147	162	177	178	+15	+16	+0	+31	+46	+20.9%	247

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Disabilities	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Disabilities	2,425	2,686	2,815	2,849	2,855	+128	+40	+6	+169	+430	+6.3%	3,369
Consultants	2	2	2	2	2	-0	+0	+0	-0	+0	-2.0%	2
Medical/ Dental, other	0	0	0	0	0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	1
Medical & Dental	2	2	2	2	2	-0	+0	+0	-0	+0	-1.6%	3
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	87	101	103	109	109	+2	+6	+0	+8	+22	+7.8%	117
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	13	12	11	2	2	-1	-9	-0	-10	-11	-81.8%	3
Nursing/ Midwifery other	1	1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	1
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	7	1	3	8	3	+2	+0	-5	+2	-4	+200.0%	6
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	306	299	315	323	318	+16	+3	-5	+20	+12	+6.5%	382
Nursing & Midwifery	414	414	433	443	433	+19	+1	-10	+20	+19	+4.7%	509
H&SC, Other	8	10	9	9	9	-1	-0	+0	-1	+0	-10.8%	9
Psychologists	35	32	35	35	37	+3	+3	+2	+5	+3	+16.6%	43
Social Care	227	266	284	282	282	+17	-2	+0	+15	+55	+5.8%	319
Social Workers	27	35	36	33	34	+1	-2	+0	-2	+7	-4.8%	38
Therapy Professions	108	119	124	125	133	+5	+8	+7	+14	+25	+11.4%	156
Health & Social Care Professionals	405	462	487	484	494	+25	+6	+10	+32	+89	+6.8%	565
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	53	86	92	88	91	+6	-1	+4	+5	+38	+6.2%	99
Clerical (III & IV)	84	90	93	97	95	+3	+2	-2	+5	+11	+5.9%	119
Management (VIII & above)	22	27	27	26	25	+0	-2	-1	-2	+3	-6.7%	27
Management & Administrative	160	203	212	210	212	+9	-0	+1	+9	+52	+4.4%	245
Maintenance/ Technical	10	11	10	11	15	-1	+4	+3	+3	+4	+28.3%	17
Support	140	83	78	72	72	-4	-6	-0	-11	-68	-13.2%	116
General Support	150	94	88	84	86	-6	-2	+3	-8	-64	-8.2%	133
Care, other	307	365	380	380	391	+15	+11	+12	+26	+84	+7.1%	450
Health Care Assistants	987	1,147	1,212	1,248	1,237	+65	+25	-10	+90	+250	+7.9%	1,464
Patient & Client Care	1,295	1,512	1,593	1,627	1,628	+81	+36	+1	+116	+334	+7.7%	1,914

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Older People	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Older People	2,919	2,752	2,801	2,771	2,775	+49	-26	+5	+23	-143	+0.8%	3,559
Consultants	1	1	1	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	-0	-50.0%	1
Medical/ Dental, other	21	25	26	26	27	+2	+0	+0	+2	+6	+7.5%	57
Registrars	3									-3	-100.0%	
SHO/ Interns	1		1	1	1	+1	+0	-0	+1	-0	-100.0%	1
Medical & Dental	26	26	28	28	28	+2	+0	+0	+2	+2	+8.9%	59
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	118	119	124	119	115	+5	-9	-4	-4	-3	-3.5%	125
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	3	11	10	11	11	-1	+1	+0	-0	+8	-1.2%	12
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	2	5				-5			-5	-2	-100.0%	
Public Health Nurse	5	5	3	4	4	-2	+1	+0	-1	-1	-12.0%	5
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	515	513	577	561	560	+63	-17	-1	+46	+45	+9.0%	665
Nursing & Midwifery	643	653	714	695	690	+61	-24	-5	+37	+47	+5.7%	807
Health Science/ Diagnostics	1	1	1	1	1	+0	-0	+0	-0	+0	-10.8%	2
H&SC, Other		5	3	4	4	-2	+2	+0	-0	+4	-7.5%	5
Pharmacy	3	4	5	5	5	+1	-0	-0	+0	+2	+7.2%	10
Social Care	2	1	1	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	-0	+18.0%	2
Social Workers	10									-10	-100.0%	
Therapy Professions	44	30	28	33	33	-2	+5	-0	+3	-11	+10.8%	38
Health & Social Care Professionals	60	41	38	45	45	-3	+6	-0	+3	-15	+7.8%	57
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	17	39	46	47	47	+8	+1	-0	+8	+30	+21.8%	50
Clerical (III & IV)	128	128	126	133	132	-2	+6	-1	+4	+4	+3.0%	156
Management (VIII & above)	13	20	17	18	20	-3	+3	+2	+0	+7	+0.5%	20
Management & Administrative	158	186	189	198	199	+3	+10	+1	+12	+41	+6.6%	226
Maintenance/ Technical	6	3	3	3	3	-0	-0	+0	-0	-3	-0.7%	3
Support	101	120	114	112	112	-6	-2	+0	-9	+11	-7.1%	126
General Support	107	123	117	115	115	-6	-2	+0	-9	+8	-7.0%	129
Care, other	31	37	37	37	37	+1	-0	+0	+0	+7	+1.2%	48
Health Care Assistants	1,895	1,685	1,677	1,653	1,662	-8	-16	+9	-24	-233	-1.4%	2,233
Patient & Client Care	1,925	1,722	1,715	1,690	1,699	-7	-16	+9	-23	-226	-1.3%	2,281

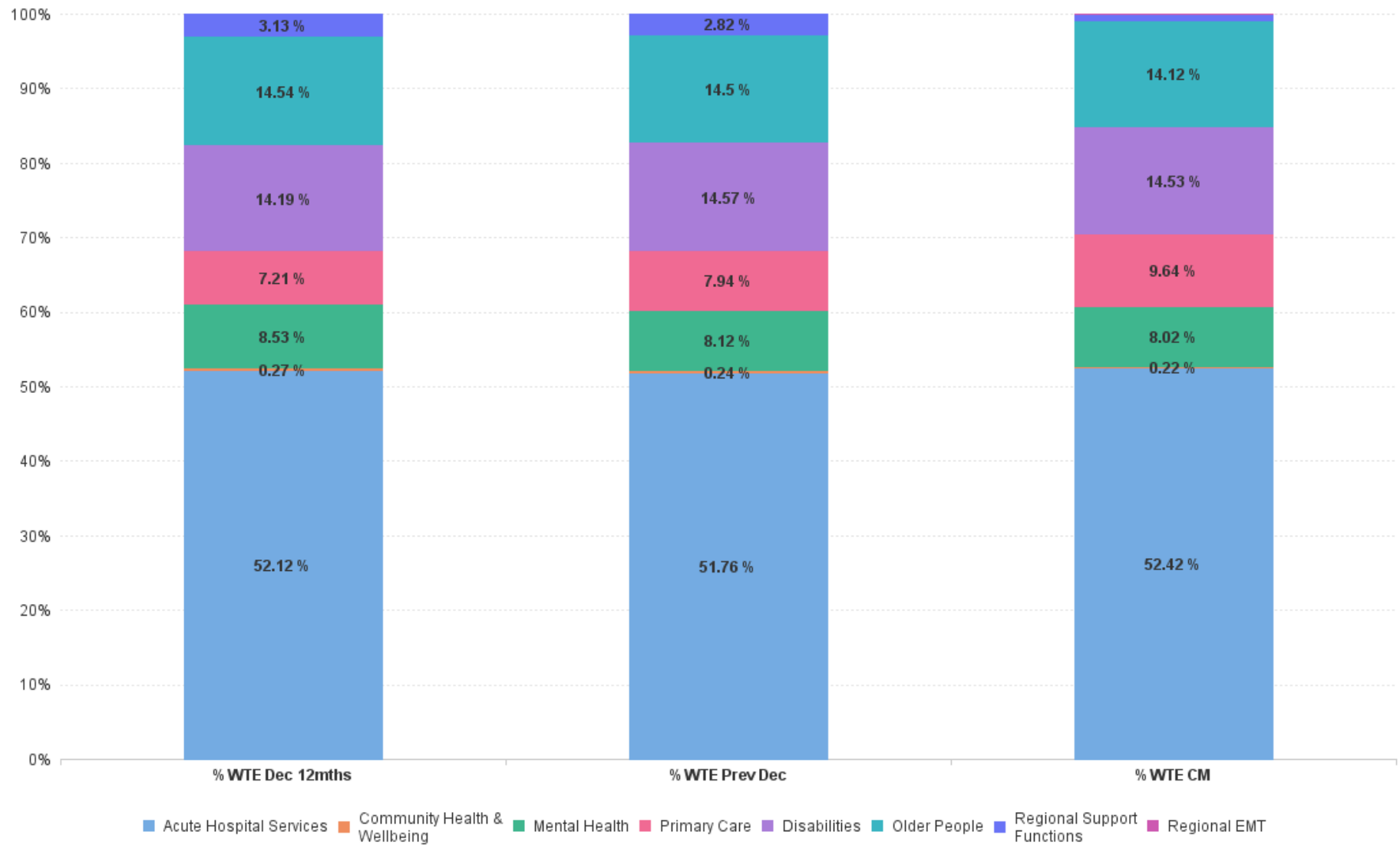


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Regional Support Functions	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	+0	-408	+138	-68.8%	199
Medical/ Dental, other	3	5	3	1	1	-2	-2	+0	-4	-2	-81.3%	1
Registrars		0				-0			-0		-100.0%	
Medical & Dental	3	6	3	1	1	-3	-2	+0	-5	-2	-82.0%	1
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	4	17	16	14	13	-1	-2	-1	-4	+9	-22.3%	15
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP		2	2	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-52.9%	1
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife		10	5			-5	-5		-10		-100.0%	
Nursing & Midwifery	4	29	23	15	14	-7	-9	-1	-15	+10	-51.6%	16
Pharmacy		2	2	1	1	+0	-1	+0	-1	+1	-50.0%	1
Social Workers		30	29	17	19	-1	-10	+2	-11	+19	-38.1%	20
Therapy Professions		264	247			-17	-247		-264		-100.0%	
Health & Social Care Professionals		296	278	18	20	-19	-258	+2	-277	+20	-93.4%	21
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	20	106	95	81	85	-10	-10	+4	-21	+65	-19.7%	91
Clerical (III & IV)	2	103	96	39	35	-6	-61	-4	-67	+33	-65.6%	38
Management (VIII & above)	18	33	33	31	30	-0	-3	-1	-3	+12	-9.0%	32
Management & Administrative	40	242	225	151	150	-17	-75	-0	-91	+110	-37.7%	161
Support		1	1			-0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
General Support		1	1			-0	-1		-1		-100.0%	
Care, other		15	13			-2	-13		-15		-100.0%	
Health Care Assistants		5	3			-2	-3		-5		-100.0%	
Patient & Client Care		19	16			-4	-16		-19		-100.0%	

Regional EMT	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Regional EMT			7	21	20	+7	+13	-1	+20	+20	-100.0%	22
H&SC, Other			2	2	2	+2	+0	+0	+2	+2	-100.0%	2
Psychologists				1	1		+1	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Health & Social Care Professionals			2	3	3	+2	+1	+0	+3	+3	-100.0%	3
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)				5	4		+4	-1	+4	+4	-100.0%	5
Clerical (III & IV)				1	1		+1	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Management (VIII & above)			5	12	12	+5	+7	+0	+12	+12	-100.0%	13
Management & Administrative			5	18	17	+5	+12	-1	+17	+17	-100.0%	19

% Total by Care Group



HSE South West IHA by Care Group: SEP 2025

Health Region by IHA by Care Group SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
HSE South West	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	3.84%	22,981
Acute Hospital Services	5,067	6,470	6,597	6,816	6,808	+127	+212	-8	+339	+1,741	5.23%	7,673
Mental Health	382	413	398	394	392	-15	-6	-2	-21	+10	-5.12%	444
Primary Care	504	513	723	865	876	+210	+153	+11	+363	+373	70.75%	1,126
Disabilities	1,976	2,239	2,342	2,318	2,322	+103	-20	+4	+83	+346	3.73%	2,751
Older People	1,366	1,242	1,325	1,277	1,276	+83	-50	-2	+33	-90	2.69%	1,633
Cork South and West	9,295	10,877	11,386	11,671	11,674	+509	+289	+4	+797	+2,380	7.33%	13,627
Acute Hospital Services	1,425	1,861	1,869	1,899	1,913	+8	+44	+14	+52	+489	2.82%	2,145
Community Health & Wellbeing		51	47	41	44	-4	-4	+3	-8	+44	-15.00%	55
Mental Health	774	804	772	783	786	-32	+14	+3	-18	+12	-2.29%	861
Primary Care	537	549	520	640	648	-29	+129	+8	+100	+111	18.16%	839
Disabilities	121	112	121	153	155	+9	+34	+2	+44	+34	38.92%	167
Older People	798	716	700	698	696	-15	-4	-1	-19	-102	-2.71%	941
Cork North and East	3,654	4,093	4,030	4,214	4,243	-63	+213	+29	+150	+588	3.67%	5,008
Acute Hospital Services	1,114	1,535	1,534	1,577	1,582	-1	+48	+5	+48	+468	3.10%	1,789
Mental Health	343	398	398	403	398	+1	0	-4	+1	+55	0.24%	442
Primary Care	292	304	291	370	371	-12	+80	+1	+67	+79	22.21%	458
Disabilities	328	336	351	377	378	+16	+26	+0	+42	+50	12.40%	451
Older People	755	794	775	796	804	-19	+28	+8	+9	+48	1.16%	985
Kerry	2,832	3,366	3,350	3,523	3,533	-16	+183	+10	+167	+700	4.96%	4,125
Regional Support Functions	47	593	545	185	185	-48	-360	+0	-408	+138	-68.76%	199
Regional EMT			7	21	20	+7	+13	-1	+20	+20	-100.00%	22



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Total	11,621	14,013	13,898	14,131	14,145	-115	+247	+15	+133	+2,525	+0.9%	16,465
Consultants	313	428	487	497	514	+59	+27	+16	+86	+201	+20.0%	553
Medical/ Dental, other	106	121	116	113	114	-5	-2	+2	-7	+8	-6.1%	198
Registrars	378	489	545	573	575	+57	+30	+2	+87	+197	+17.8%	594
SHO/ Interns	304	416	443	436	443	+28	+0	+8	+28	+139	+6.7%	449
Medical & Dental	1,101	1,454	1,592	1,619	1,647	+138	+55	+28	+193	+546	+13.3%	1,794
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	787	969	955	964	954	-13	-1	-10	-15	+167	-1.5%	1,039
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	142	315	333	361	360	+18	+27	-1	+45	+217	+14.2%	395
Nursing/ Midwifery other	4	7	12	12	12	+5	+0	+0	+5	+9	+73.8%	15
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	33	8	17		17	+10	-1	+17	+9	-16	+120.0%	33
Post-registration Nurse/ Midwife Student	48	29	29	10	22	0	-7	+12	-7	-27	-25.5%	36
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	33	13	14	94	77	+1	+63	-16	+64	+44	+495.5%	157
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	114	50	61	104	116	+11	+55	+12	+66	+2	+133.4%	226
Public Health Nurse	216	209	216	221	220	+7	+4	0	+12	+4	+5.5%	286
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	2,925	3,531	3,573	3,591	3,565	+42	-7	-26	+35	+640	+1.0%	4,070
Nursing & Midwifery	4,188	5,080	5,149	5,253	5,227	+69	+78	-26	+147	+1,039	+2.9%	6,031
Health Science/ Diagnostics	486	557	553	571	568	-4	+15	-3	+11	+82	+2.0%	650
H&SC, Other	71	93	93	76	81	0	-12	+5	-12	+10	-13.3%	94
Pharmacy	70	117	115	109	111	-1	-4	+2	-6	+41	-4.8%	131
Psychologists	107	134	127	131	136	-7	+9	+5	+2	+29	+1.5%	169
Social Care	39	37	40	38	38	+3	-2	0	+1	-1	+2.9%	44
Social Workers	105	166	153	153	154	-12	+1	+1	-11	+49	-6.9%	174
Therapy Professions	519	761	707	693	686	-55	-20	-7	-75	+167	-9.9%	813
Health & Social Care Professionals	1,397	1,865	1,788	1,772	1,775	-77	-13	+3	-90	+377	-4.8%	2,075
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	242	505	476	497	500	-30	+24	+3	-5	+258	-1.1%	542
Clerical (III & IV)	989	1,154	1,085	1,079	1,088	-68	+3	+10	-65	+99	-5.7%	1,255
Management (VIII & above)	84	118	107	116	117	-11	+10	+1	-1	+34	-1.0%	122
Management & Administrative	1,315	1,778	1,668	1,692	1,706	-110	+38	+14	-72	+391	-4.1%	1,919
Maintenance/ Technical	16	11	11	11	11	0	0	+0	0	-5	-0.2%	12
Support	954	1,122	1,059	1,145	1,131	-62	+71	-14	+9	+177	+0.8%	1,273
General Support	970	1,133	1,071	1,156	1,142	-62	+71	-14	+9	+172	+0.8%	1,285
Care, other	123	180	180	183	190	+1	+10	+7	+10	+67	+5.8%	242
Health Care Assistants	2,527	2,524	2,450	2,456	2,459	-74	+9	+3	-65	-68	-2.6%	3,119
Patient & Client Care	2,650	2,703	2,630	2,639	2,649	-73	+19	+10	-54	-1	-2.0%	3,361

Section 38 Hospitals

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Total	1,959	2,440	2,513	2,556	2,571	+73	+58	+15	+131	+612	+5.4%	2,934
Consultants	77	96	109	117	115	+12	+7	-1	+19	+39	+19.6%	127
Registrars	73	96	100	97	100	+4	+0	+3	+4	+27	+4.7%	104
SHO/ Interns	98	113	116	119	119	+3	+3	+0	+6	+21	+5.5%	120
Medical & Dental	249	305	325	333	335	+20	+10	+2	+30	+86	+9.7%	351
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	195	211	209	211	212	-3	+3	+1	+1	+17	+0.3%	243
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	21	50	53	56	60	+3	+7	+4	+10	+40	+19.7%	64
Nursing/ Midwifery other	6	7	8	7	8	+1	0	+0	+1	+2	+9.8%	9
Nursing/ Midwifery awaiting registration	2	2	1		13	-1	+12	+13	+11	+11	+544.0%	17
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern		1		18	6	-1	+6	-12	+5	+6	+1,000.0%	11
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	2	3	1	18	18	-2	+17	+1	+16	+16	+635.2%	28
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	504	656	678	658	655	+21	-23	-4	-2	+150	-0.3%	751
Nursing & Midwifery	727	927	949	951	953	+22	+4	+2	+25	+225	+2.7%	1,095
Health Science/ Diagnostics	110	125	138	135	138	+13	-1	+3	+13	+28	+10.0%	176
H&SC, Other	4	2	1	1	1	-1	+0	+0	-1	-3	-50.0%	1
Pharmacy	32	47	46	46	47	-1	+1	+1	+0	+15	+0.7%	57
Psychologists	2	2	3	3	3	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	+40.0%	3
Social Workers	11	13	14	14	14	+1	+0	+1	+1	+3	+9.9%	16
Dietitians	12	15	19	19	19	+4	0	0	+3	+6	+23.1%	25
Occupational Therapists	11	18	18	19	19	0	+1	+0	+1	+8	+3.7%	22
Physiotherapists	41	54	54	57	59	+0	+5	+2	+5	+18	+10.1%	67
Podiatrists & Chiropodists	1	2	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+24.2%	3
Speech & Language Therapists	8	12	14	15	14	+2	+0	-1	+2	+6	+15.5%	20
Orthoptists			1	1	1	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Therapy Professions	73	101	107	113	114	+6	+7	+1	+13	+40	+12.8%	138
Health & Social Care Professionals	232	289	309	311	316	+20	+7	+5	+27	+84	+9.3%	391
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	81	117	115	124	123	-2	+7	-1	+5	+42	+4.7%	136
Clerical (III & IV)	309	365	380	384	390	+15	+10	+6	+26	+81	+7.0%	434
Management (VIII & above)	15	23	24	24	24	+1	+0	+0	+1	+9	+4.3%	24
Management & Administrative	405	505	519	532	537	+14	+18	+5	+32	+132	+6.4%	594
Maintenance/ Technical	10	12	15	16	16	+3	+1	+0	+4	+6	+33.3%	16
Support	160	190	183	193	192	-7	+9	-2	+2	+32	+0.8%	238
General Support	170	202	198	209	208	-4	+10	-2	+6	+38	+2.8%	254
Care, other	3	15	14	16	16	0	+2	+0	+2	+14	+11.2%	18
Health Care Assistants	174	196	198	203	206	+1	+8	+3	+10	+32	+5.0%	231
Patient & Client Care	177	211	212	219	223	+1	+10	+3	+11	+46	+5.4%	249

Section 38 Voluntary Agencies

Staff by Administration SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total	2,249	2,476	2,907	2,926	2,939	+431	+32	+13	+463	+690	+18.7%	3,582
Consultants		4	8	11	11	+4	+3	0	+7	+11	+165.1%	13
Medical/ Dental, other	13	18	15	10	14	-3	-1	+4	-4	+1	-22.7%	43
Registrars	5	3	6	8	7	+4	+1	0	+5	+2	+184.6%	8
SHO/ Interns	6	3	8	9	9	+5	+1	+0	+6	+3	+198.3%	9
Medical & Dental	24	28	37	38	41	+9	+5	+3	+14	+17	+48.8%	73
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	75	88	113	120	121	+25	+7	+1	+33	+46	+37.1%	132
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	12	12	32	23	26	+20	-6	+2	+14	+13	+113.3%	31
Nursing/ Midwifery other	1	1	2	2	2	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	+100.0%	2
Pre-registration Nurse/ Midwife Intern	6	1	3	8	3	+2	+0	-5	+2	-3	+200.0%	6
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	6	1	3	8	3	+2	+0	-5	+2	-3	+200.0%	6
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	284	262	360	364	358	+97	-2	-6	+95	+73	+36.3%	457
Nursing & Midwifery	378	364	509	516	509	+145	0	-7	+144	+131	+39.6%	628
Health Science/ Diagnostics	2	2	1	2	2	-1	+1	+0	+0	+0	+5.0%	3
H&SC, Other	4	3	3	3	3	0	+0	0	0	-1	-0.4%	5
Pharmacy			3	5	5	+3	+2	+0	+5	+5	-100.0%	6
Psychologists	31	31	34	34	36	+3	+2	+2	+5	+5	+15.6%	41
Social Care	201	241	256	254	254	+14	-2	0	+13	+52	+5.2%	288
Social Workers	27	35	43	39	40	+7	-3	+1	+4	+13	+12.2%	45
Dietitians	2	3	4	3	5	+1	+1	+2	+2	+3	+66.7%	5
Occupational Therapists	31	45	51	52	54	+7	+3	+3	+10	+23	+21.4%	62
Physiotherapists	15	21	28	28	31	+7	+2	+2	+10	+16	+45.3%	36
Speech & Language Therapists	40	39	43	41	42	+4	-1	+2	+3	+2	+8.4%	50
Therapy Professions	89	108	126	123	132	+19	+6	+9	+24	+43	+22.7%	153
Health & Social Care Professionals	354	420	465	461	471	+45	+6	+11	+51	+118	+12.2%	541
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	38	61	73	72	78	+12	+6	+7	+18	+41	+29.0%	83
Clerical (III & IV)	89	90	118	117	117	+28	-2	0	+26	+28	+29.1%	156
Management (VIII & above)	15	19	24	22	22	+6	-3	0	+3	+6	+14.5%	23
Management & Administrative	142	170	215	211	217	+45	+1	+6	+47	+75	+27.4%	262
Maintenance/ Technical	9	10	12	13	17	+2	+4	+3	+6	+7	+58.9%	19
Support	130	80	122	116	114	+42	-7	-2	+35	-16	+43.8%	169
General Support	139	90	134	130	131	+44	-3	+1	+41	-8	+45.5%	188
Care, other	336	394	407	401	414	+13	+7	+13	+20	+77	+5.0%	484
Health Care Assistants	875	1,010	1,140	1,170	1,156	+130	+16	-14	+146	+280	+14.5%	1,406
Patient & Client Care	1,212	1,404	1,547	1,571	1,570	+143	+23	-1	+166	+358	+11.8%	1,890

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Employment by Hospital SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Overall	15,829	18,929	19,317	19,613	19,655	+389	+338	+42	+727	+3,826	+3.8%	22,981
Bantry General	266	327	322	340	337	-5	+15	-4	+10	+71	+3.1%	388
Cork University	4,014	5,235	5,279	5,453	5,451	+44	+172	-2	+216	+1,437	+4.1%	6,090
Mallow General	252	329	352	365	363	+23	+10	-3	+33	+111	+10.2%	406
Mercy University	1,173	1,532	1,517	1,533	1,551	-15	+34	+17	+19	+378	+1.2%	1,739
South Infirmary Victoria University	787	908	996	1,022	1,020	+88	+24	-2	+112	+234	+12.3%	1,195
UH Kerry	1,114	1,535	1,534	1,577	1,582	-1	+48	+5	+48	+468	+3.1%	1,789
Acute Services	7,606	9,865	10,000	10,292	10,304	+135	+304	+12	+439	+2,698	+4.4%	11,607
Community Services	8,176	8,470	8,766	9,115	9,146	+296	+380	+31	+676	+970	+8.0%	11,153
Regional Services Support Functions	47	593	552	206	206	-41	-346	-0	-388	+158	-65.3%	221



Employment Report by S38 Agency: SEP 2025

Employment by S38 Agency SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Overall	2,249	2,476	2,907	2,926	2,939	+431	+32	+13	+463	+690	+18.7%	3,582
Cork Dental Hospital	103	114	100	97	102	-14	+2	+5	-12	-1	-10.7%	163
Marymount University Hospital & Hospice			250	254	262	+250	+12	+7	+262	+262	-100.0%	334
Marymount University Hospital & Hospice OP			70	65	65	+70	-5	0	+65	+65	-100.0%	90
Bros. of Charity, Southern	740	871	904	898	897	+33	-7	-1	+26	+156	+3.0%	1,097
Cope Foundation	1,091	1,168	1,244	1,256	1,259	+76	+15	+3	+91	+168	+7.8%	1,471
St. John of God, Kerry	315	324	338	356	355	+15	+16	-1	+31	+40	+9.6%	427

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Bantry General SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Bantry General	266	327	322	340	337	-5	+15	-4	+10	+71	+3.1%	388
Consultants	4	6	6	6	6	-0	+0	+0	-0	+2	-1.8%	7
Medical/ Dental, other	0	1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	3
Registrars	6	6	5	7	7	-1	+2	+0	+1	+1	+19.2%	8
SHO/ Interns	13	14	18	16	16	+4	-2	+0	+2	+3	+14.1%	16
Medical & Dental	24	27	30	30	30	+3	-0	+0	+3	+6	+11.2%	34
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	28	36	35	35	34	-1	-1	-1	-2	+6	-5.5%	36
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	2	5	7	7	8	+2	+1	+1	+3	+6	+62.9%	9
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	83	102	98	107	105	-5	+7	-2	+2	+22	+2.3%	121
Nursing & Midwifery	112	143	140	149	146	-3	+7	-3	+3	+34	+2.4%	166
Health Science/ Diagnostics	17	20	19	18	18	-1	-1	+0	-2	+1	-8.6%	23
Pharmacy	2	2	3	3	3	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+4.5%	3
Therapy Professions	8	11	8	10	9	-3	+1	-1	-3	+0	-24.8%	11
Health & Social Care Professionals	28	34	30	31	30	-5	+0	-1	-4	+2	-13.1%	37
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	4	5	5	6	6	+0	+1	+0	+1	+3	+19.8%	7
Clerical (III & IV)	21	27	25	27	28	-1	+2	+1	+1	+6	+2.9%	33
Management (VIII & above)		1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+33.3%	1
Management & Administrative	25	33	32	34	35	-1	+3	+1	+2	+10	+6.3%	41
Maintenance/ Technical	1	1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	1
Support	20	22	22	21	20	+0	-2	-1	-2	-0	-7.3%	22
General Support	21	23	23	22	21	+0	-2	-1	-2	-0	-7.0%	23
Care, other	1	1	1	1	1	-0	+0	+0	-0	+0	-41.1%	3
Health Care Assistants	56	66	67	74	74	+1	+7	-0	+8	+18	+12.1%	84
Patient & Client Care	56	67	68	75	75	+1	+7	-0	+8	+18	+11.2%	87



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Cork University SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Cork University	4,014	5,235	5,279	5,453	5,451	+44	+172	-2	+216	+1,437	+4.1%	6,090
Consultants	205	289	327	332	339	+38	+12	+7	+50	+134	+17.4%	360
Medical/ Dental, other	6	5	5	7	7	-0	+3	+0	+2	+2	+45.6%	17
Registrars	214	291	334	338	342	+42	+8	+4	+50	+128	+17.3%	352
SHO/ Interns	179	242	260	257	261	+18	+1	+3	+18	+81	+7.6%	263
Medical & Dental	604	827	925	935	949	+97	+24	+14	+121	+345	+14.7%	992
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	270	355	352	361	359	-3	+7	-2	+5	+89	+1.3%	398
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	58	131	142	143	141	+11	-1	-2	+10	+83	+7.6%	155
Nursing/ Midwifery other	3	5	7	7	7	+1	+0	+0	+1	+4	+24.7%	8
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	55	22	21	54	58	-1	+36	+3	+36	+2	+163.0%	109
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	1,250	1,626	1,685	1,702	1,694	+59	+8	-8	+68	+443	+4.2%	1,887
Nursing & Midwifery	1,637	2,139	2,207	2,267	2,258	+68	+52	-9	+119	+621	+5.6%	2,557
Health Science/ Diagnostics	377	417	418	433	427	+1	+9	-6	+10	+50	+2.3%	491
H&SC, Other	13	15	17	4	9	+2	-8	+5	-6	-4	-41.2%	10
Pharmacy	46	83	85	82	83	+2	-1	+1	+0	+37	+0.5%	95
Psychologists		10	11	10	11	+2	-1	+1	+1	+11	+8.7%	14
Social Workers	16	25	20	25	24	-5	+4	-1	-1	+8	-4.1%	27
Therapy Professions	121	219	199	193	186	-20	-13	-7	-33	+65	-15.1%	209
Health & Social Care Professionals	573	768	750	746	739	-19	-11	-7	-29	+166	-3.8%	846
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	82	149	142	143	143	-8	+2	+0	-6	+61	-4.1%	153
Clerical (III & IV)	387	379	343	350	364	-36	+21	+14	-15	-23	-3.9%	413
Management (VIII & above)	10	17	15	19	17	-2	+2	-2	+0	+7	+0.0%	17
Management & Administrative	480	545	499	512	524	-46	+25	+12	-21	+44	-3.8%	583
Maintenance/ Technical	2	2	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	3
Support	545	666	618	692	681	-48	+63	-12	+15	+135	+2.3%	768
General Support	547	668	620	695	683	-48	+63	-12	+15	+136	+2.2%	771
Care, other	9	19	27	30	33	+8	+6	+3	+14	+24	+73.0%	35
Health Care Assistants	164	268	252	268	264	-16	+13	-4	-3	+100	-1.2%	306
Patient & Client Care	173	287	279	298	298	-8	+19	-1	+11	+124	+3.8%	341



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Mallow General SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Mallow General	252	329	352	365	363	+23	+10	-3	+33	+111	+10.2%	406
Consultants	11	9	10	9	10	+1	+0	+1	+1	-1	+10.7%	11
Registrars	6	7	10	9	9	+3	-1	+0	+2	+3	+31.0%	9
SHO/ Interns	10	16	15	14	14	-1	-1	-0	-2	+3	-10.4%	14
Medical & Dental	27	31	35	32	33	+3	-2	+1	+1	+5	+4.7%	34
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	22	27	28	31	31	+1	+2	-1	+3	+9	+11.7%	33
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	1	6	5	9	9	-1	+5	+1	+4	+9	+62.1%	10
Nursing/ Midwifery Student					1		+1	+1	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	85	108	110	112	108	+2	-1	-4	+0	+23	+0.3%	129
Nursing & Midwifery	107	141	143	152	149	+2	+6	-3	+8	+42	+5.4%	173
Health Science/ Diagnostics	14	16	14	15	15	-2	+1	+0	-1	+1	-3.5%	16
Pharmacy	3	5	4	3	3	-1	-1	+0	-2	+0	-35.8%	5
Social Workers			1	1	1	+1	+1	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Therapy Professions	5	4	6	8	9	+2	+3	+2	+5	+4	+126.7%	12
Health & Social Care Professionals	22	25	25	27	29	-0	+4	+2	+4	+7	+14.7%	34
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	5	7	10	11	12	+3	+2	+0	+4	+6	+63.1%	14
Clerical (III & IV)	34	35	38	37	38	+3	-0	+1	+2	+4	+7.0%	41
Management (VIII & above)		1	1	1	1	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+0.0%	1
Management & Administrative	39	43	49	49	50	+5	+2	+1	+7	+11	+16.0%	56
Support	12	37	47	51	49	+10	+3	-2	+12	+37	+32.7%	51
General Support	12	37	47	51	49	+10	+3	-2	+12	+37	+32.7%	51
Care, other	0	3	3	3	3	-0	-0	+0	-0	+3	-5.9%	3
Health Care Assistants	44	48	52	51	50	+4	-2	-2	+2	+6	+3.5%	55
Patient & Client Care	44	51	55	54	52	+4	-2	-2	+2	+8	+2.9%	58



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Mercy University SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total Mercy University	1,173	1,532	1,517	1,533	1,551	-15	+34	+17	+19	+378	+1.2%	1,739
Consultants	45	56	58	64	64	+2	+6	-1	+7	+18	+13.2%	66
Registrars	53	73	68	63	66	-5	-2	+3	-7	+13	-9.6%	67
SHO/ Interns	71	84	77	78	78	-7	+1	+0	-6	+7	-6.9%	79
Medical & Dental	170	213	204	205	208	-10	+4	+2	-5	+38	-2.5%	212
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	129	143	138	141	142	-5	+4	+1	-0	+13	-0.3%	162
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	10	32	38	41	45	+6	+7	+3	+13	+35	+39.0%	47
Nursing/ Midwifery other	3	4	5	5	5	+1	-0	+0	+1	+2	+15.8%	6
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	2	3	1	11	13	-2	+12	+2	+10	+11	+415.2%	17
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	282	399	405	387	381	+5	-24	-6	-18	+99	-4.6%	425
Nursing & Midwifery	425	581	587	585	585	+6	-1	+0	+5	+160	+0.8%	657
Health Science/ Diagnostics	87	102	115	112	115	+13	-0	+2	+13	+28	+12.7%	139
H&SC, Other	4	2				-2			-2	-4	-100.0%	
Pharmacy	22	30	30	30	31	-1	+1	+1	+0	+8	+1.6%	38
Psychologists	1	2	2	2	2	+0	+0	+0	+0	+1	+0.0%	2
Social Workers	8	10	11	10	10	+0	-0	+0	+0	+2	+0.8%	11
Therapy Professions	33	52	52	53	53	+0	+1	+1	+2	+20	+3.0%	59
Health & Social Care Professionals	155	198	209	207	211	+11	+2	+4	+13	+56	+6.6%	249
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	40	66	65	73	73	-1	+9	+0	+7	+34	+10.9%	79
Clerical (III & IV)	167	192	181	181	185	-11	+4	+3	-8	+17	-4.0%	215
Management (VIII & above)	8	15	17	17	17	+2	+0	+0	+2	+9	+13.3%	17
Management & Administrative	215	273	263	272	275	-11	+12	+3	+1	+60	+0.5%	311
Maintenance/ Technical	6	8	11	12	12	+3	+1	+0	+4	+6	+50.0%	12
Support	61	80	72	74	77	-8	+5	+3	-3	+16	-3.2%	95
General Support	67	88	83	86	89	-5	+6	+3	+1	+22	+1.7%	107
Care, other	3	15	14	16	16	-0	+2	+0	+2	+14	+11.2%	18
Health Care Assistants	138	164	157	162	166	-7	+9	+4	+2	+28	+1.2%	185
Patient & Client Care	141	179	172	178	183	-7	+11	+4	+4	+42	+2.0%	203



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South Infirmary Victoria University SEP 2025	WTE DEC 2019	WTE DEC 2023	WTE DEC 2024	WTE AUG 2025	WTE SEP 2025	WTE Change 2024	WTE Change 2025	WTE Change AUG 2025	WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	WTE Change Dec 2019 to SEP 2025	% WTE Change Dec 2023 to SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025
Total South Infirmary Victoria University	787	908	996	1,022	1,020	+88	+24	-2	+112	+234	+12.3%	1,195
Consultants	32	40	51	52	52	+11	+1	-1	+11	+20	+28.6%	61
Registrars	20	23	32	34	34	+9	+3	+0	+12	+14	+50.2%	37
SHO/ Interns	27	29	39	41	41	+10	+2	+0	+12	+14	+41.4%	41
Medical & Dental	79	92	122	128	127	+30	+5	-1	+35	+48	+38.0%	139
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	66	69	71	70	70	+2	-1	-1	+1	+4	+1.4%	81
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	11	18	16	15	16	-3	-0	+1	-3	+5	-14.2%	17
Nursing/ Midwifery other	2	3	3	3	3	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	3
Nursing/ Midwifery Student				7	6		+6	-1	+6	+6	-100.0%	11
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	223	257	273	271	274	+16	+1	+2	+17	+51	+6.5%	326
Nursing & Midwifery	302	347	362	366	367	+16	+5	+2	+21	+65	+6.0%	438
Health Science/ Diagnostics	23	23	23	22	23	+0	-1	+1	-0	-0	-1.9%	37
H&SC, Other			1	1	1	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	-100.0%	1
Pharmacy	10	17	17	16	16	+0	-0	+0	-0	+6	-0.8%	19
Psychologists	1		1	1	1	+1	+0	+0	+1	+0	-100.0%	1
Social Workers	3	3	4	4	4	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	+43.1%	5
Therapy Professions	40	49	55	60	60	+6	+6	+0	+11	+20	+23.1%	79
Health & Social Care Professionals	77	92	100	104	105	+8	+5	+1	+14	+28	+15.1%	142
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	41	51	50	50	49	-1	-1	-1	-2	+8	-3.4%	57
Clerical (III & IV)	142	172	199	203	206	+27	+7	+3	+33	+63	+19.4%	219
Management (VIII & above)	7	8	7	7	7	-1	+0	+0	-1	+0	-12.5%	7
Management & Administrative	190	231	256	260	262	+25	+6	+2	+31	+72	+13.3%	283
Maintenance/ Technical	4	4	4	4	4	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0	+0.0%	4
Support	99	110	111	119	115	+1	+3	-5	+4	+16	+3.7%	143
General Support	103	114	115	123	119	+1	+3	-5	+4	+16	+3.6%	147
Health Care Assistants	36	32	41	41	40	+8	-0	-1	+8	+4	+24.3%	46
Patient & Client Care	36	32	41	41	40	+8	-0	-1	+8	+4	+24.3%	46



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Total UH Kerry	1,114	1,535	1,534	1,577	1,582	-1	+48	+5	+48	+468	+3.1%	1,789
Consultants	38	53	66	71	75	+13	+9	+4	+22	+37	+41.3%	81
Registrars	54	76	82	83	83	+6	+1	-1	+7	+29	+8.6%	86
SHO/ Interns	70	89	89	92	96	-1	+7	+3	+7	+26	+7.3%	98
Medical & Dental	161	219	237	247	254	+19	+17	+7	+35	+93	+16.1%	265
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	106	130	121	122	119	-9	-2	-3	-11	+13	-8.6%	129
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	13	38	45	54	52	+7	+7	-1	+14	+40	+36.4%	57
Nursing/ Midwifery other	1	2	4	4	4	+2	+0	+0	+2	+3	+104.8%	5
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	5	2		21	21	-2	+21	+0	+19	+16	#####	42
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	346	469	471	461	458	+2	-13	-2	-11	+113	-2.3%	531
Nursing & Midwifery	470	641	641	661	654	-0	+13	-6	+13	+185	+2.1%	764
Health Science/ Diagnostics	68	92	91	94	97	-1	+6	+3	+5	+29	+5.1%	107
H&SC, Other	2	2	3		1	+1	-2	+1	-1	-1	-50.0%	1
Pharmacy	11	14	13	11	12	-1	-1	+1	-2	+1	-13.6%	12
Social Workers	2	4	6	6	6	+2	-0	+0	+1	+4	+33.2%	7
Therapy Professions	26	56	53	51	49	-2	-4	-1	-6	+23	-11.2%	60
Health & Social Care Professionals	108	168	166	161	165	-1	-2	+4	-3	+57	-1.8%	187
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	12	45	45	49	49	-0	+4	-0	+4	+37	+8.7%	54
Clerical (III & IV)	130	157	149	150	151	-8	+2	+1	-6	+21	-4.0%	175
Management (VIII & above)	4	4	5	5	5	+1	+0	+0	+1	+1	+25.0%	5
Management & Administrative	145	206	199	205	205	-8	+6	+0	-1	+59	-0.7%	234
Support	169	191	183	197	195	-9	+12	-3	+3	+25	+1.8%	215
General Support	169	191	183	197	195	-9	+12	-3	+3	+25	+1.8%	215
Care, other		3	3	4	7	-1	+4	+3	+4	+7	+106.1%	8
Health Care Assistants	61	106	105	102	103	-1	-3	+0	-4	+42	-3.3%	116
Patient & Client Care	61	110	108	107	110	-2	+2	+3	+0	+49	+0.1%	124



Employment Report by WTE, Headcount, Gender, Full-Time / Part-Time etc. SEP 2025

Demographic by Grade Group SEP 2025	WTE SEP 2025	No. SEP 2025	WTE : No	Number Male %	Number Female %	Male WTE : No.	Female WTE : No	Perm Count %	Perm Count Male %	Perm Count Female %	Fulltime Count %	Part time Count %	FT Count Male %	FT Count Female %
Total	19,655	22,981	1:0.9	19.88%	80.12%	1:0.9	1:0.8	81.48%	14.33%	67.15%	66.57%	33.43%	83.38%	62.40%
Consultants	640	693	1:0.9	58.73%	41.27%	1:0.9	1:0.9	74.75%	43.15%	31.60%	88.17%	11.83%	91.65%	83.22%
Medical/ Dental, other	128	241	1:0.5	32.37%	67.63%	1:0.5	1:0.6	68.88%	20.75%	48.13%	19.09%	80.91%	17.95%	19.63%
Registrars	683	706	1:1	51.13%	48.87%	1:1	1:1	5.38%	3.68%	1.70%	96.03%	3.97%	98.06%	93.91%
SHO/ Interns	571	578	1:1	42.73%	57.27%	1:1	1:1	0.52%		0.52%	99.13%	0.87%	99.60%	98.79%
Medical & Dental	2,023	2,218	1:0.9	49.28%	50.72%	1:0.9	1:0.9	32.69%	16.91%	15.78%	86.02%	13.98%	90.30%	81.87%
Nurse/ Midwife Manager	1,286	1,414	1:0.9	9.62%	90.38%	1:1	1:0.9	97.31%	9.19%	88.12%	73.55%	26.45%	94.85%	71.28%
Nurse/ Midwife Specialist & AN/MP	446	490	1:0.9	9.80%	90.20%	1:1	1:0.9	97.14%	9.59%	87.55%	81.02%	18.98%	100.00%	78.96%
Nursing/ Midwifery other	22	26	1:0.8		100.00%	1:	1:0.8	92.31%		92.31%	73.08%	26.92%		73.08%
Nursing/ Midwifery Student	137	260	1:0.5	4.23%	95.77%	1:0.5	1:0.5	10.77%		10.77%	95.77%	4.23%	100.00%	95.58%
Public Health Nurse	220	286	1:0.8	0.35%	99.65%	1:1	1:0.8	96.85%	0.35%	96.50%	54.20%	45.80%	100.00%	54.04%
Staff Nurse/ Staff Midwife	4,578	5,278	1:0.9	8.45%	91.55%	1:1	1:0.9	85.28%	7.45%	77.83%	67.34%	32.66%	89.91%	65.25%
Nursing & Midwifery	6,689	7,754	1:0.9	8.28%	91.72%	1:1	1:0.9	86.17%	7.36%	78.81%	69.82%	30.18%	91.90%	67.83%
Health Science/ Diagnostics	708	829	1:0.9	21.59%	78.41%	1:0.9	1:0.8	88.54%	19.30%	69.24%	72.74%	27.26%	92.18%	67.38%
H&SC, Other	85	100	1:0.8	28.00%	72.00%	1:0.9	1:0.8	86.00%	25.00%	61.00%	71.00%	29.00%	82.14%	66.67%
Pharmacy	163	194	1:0.8	4.64%	95.36%	1:0.7	1:0.8	76.29%	3.09%	73.20%	67.53%	32.47%	55.56%	68.11%
Psychologists	175	213	1:0.8	16.90%	83.10%	1:0.9	1:0.8	74.18%	14.55%	59.62%	76.53%	23.47%	91.67%	73.45%
Social Care	292	332	1:0.9	18.07%	81.93%	1:0.9	1:0.9	94.28%	17.17%	77.11%	77.71%	22.29%	95.00%	73.90%
Social Workers	208	235	1:0.9	20.00%	80.00%	1:1	1:0.9	93.19%	19.15%	74.04%	79.15%	20.85%	89.36%	76.60%
Therapy Professions	932	1,104	1:0.8	9.42%	90.58%	1:0.9	1:0.8	90.22%	8.51%	81.70%	70.47%	29.53%	90.38%	68.40%
Health & Social Care Professionals	2,562	3,007	1:0.9	15.40%	84.60%	1:0.9	1:0.8	88.26%	13.90%	74.36%	72.83%	27.17%	90.50%	69.61%
Administrative/ Supervisory (V to VII)	701	761	1:0.9	19.71%	80.29%	1:1	1:0.9	96.19%	19.58%	76.61%	81.21%	18.79%	95.33%	77.74%
Clerical (III & IV)	1,595	1,845	1:0.9	14.25%	85.75%	1:0.9	1:0.9	83.63%	11.54%	72.09%	67.86%	32.14%	91.25%	63.97%
Management (VIII & above)	163	169	1:1	29.59%	70.41%	1:1	1:1	97.63%	28.40%	69.23%	97.04%	2.96%	100.00%	95.80%
Management & Administrative	2,459	2,775	1:0.9	16.68%	83.32%	1:1	1:0.9	87.93%	14.77%	73.15%	73.30%	26.70%	93.52%	69.25%
Maintenance/ Technical	44	47	1:0.9	87.23%	12.77%	1:1	1:0.7	97.87%	85.11%	12.77%	89.36%	10.64%	92.68%	66.67%
Support	1,437	1,680	1:0.9	41.25%	58.75%	1:0.9	1:0.8	74.05%	27.20%	46.85%	54.64%	45.36%	71.14%	43.06%
General Support	1,481	1,727	1:0.9	42.50%	57.50%	1:0.9	1:0.8	74.70%	28.78%	45.92%	55.59%	44.41%	72.34%	43.20%
Care, other	620	744	1:0.8	25.13%	74.87%	1:0.9	1:0.8	84.54%	19.22%	65.32%	62.10%	37.90%	70.59%	59.25%
Health Care Assistants	3,821	4,756	1:0.8	20.73%	79.27%	1:0.9	1:0.8	90.54%	18.50%	72.04%	48.99%	51.01%	72.72%	42.79%
Patient & Client Care	4,442	5,500	1:0.8	21.33%	78.67%	1:0.9	1:0.8	89.73%	18.60%	71.13%	50.76%	49.24%	72.38%	44.90%



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Total	10,304	11,607	1:0.9	22.60%	77.40%	1:0.9	1:0.9	77.60%	14.67%	62.93%	72.71%	27.29%	87.61%	68.35%
Bantry General	337	388	1:0.9	16.75%	83.25%	1:0.9	1:0.9	91.24%	11.86%	79.38%	67.78%	32.22%	90.77%	63.16%
Cork University	5,451	6,090	1:0.9	24.19%	75.81%	1:0.9	1:0.9	73.30%	14.81%	58.49%	75.25%	24.75%	86.97%	71.52%
Mallow General	363	406	1:0.9	15.52%	84.48%	1:1	1:0.9	85.96%	10.59%	75.37%	71.92%	28.08%	92.06%	68.22%
Mercy University	1,551	1,739	1:0.9	22.89%	77.11%	1:1	1:0.9	89.19%	17.60%	71.59%	73.32%	26.68%	92.96%	67.49%
South Infirmary Victoria University	1,020	1,195	1:0.9	19.83%	80.17%	1:0.9	1:0.8	68.62%	11.30%	57.32%	55.73%	44.27%	73.00%	51.46%
UH Kerry	1,582	1,789	1:0.9	21.63%	78.37%	1:1	1:0.9	82.11%	15.15%	66.96%	76.02%	23.98%	92.25%	71.54%
HSE South West	10,304	11,607	1:0.9	22.60%	77.40%	1:0.9	1:0.9	77.60%	14.67%	62.93%	72.71%	27.29%	87.61%	68.35%

