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Re: PQ 18438/22 – Assaults, NMH

“To ask the Minister for Health the number of assaults recorded against medical, nursing, midwifery and other health and social care professionals in the National Maternity Hospital in 2021 and to date in 2022; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

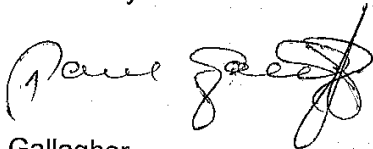
Dear Deputy Cullinane,

I refer to the above Parliamentary Question seeking an update on assaults in the National Maternity Hospital, which has been referred to the Ireland East Hospital Group for direct response.

I have had this matter examined and am advised that there have been no physical assaults against staff members at the National Maternity Hospital reported in the Year 2021 or 2022 to date.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely



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