

By email to pauline.tully@oireachtas.ie

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Ms. Pauline Tully T.D, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question 47370/23 "To ask the Minister for Health the number of sonographers working in Cavan General Hospital; the number of sonographers that work at the weekend, Saturday and Sunday in CGH; the days each week that patients can access an ultrasound scan in CGH.; and if he will make a statement on the matter.-Pauline Tully"

Dear Deputy Tully,

The RCSI Hospital Group 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.

Ultrasound services in Cavan General Hospital are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

There are 5.7 WTE Sonographers currently employed in Cavan General Hospital.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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