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Deputy Catherine Murphy
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Leinster House
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PQ: 48751/23: To ask the Minister for Health the number of additional WTE staff that were recruited into endocrinology, obstetrics and neonatology services to date in 2023. - Catherine Murphy

Dear Deputy Murphy,

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.

I have attached a file showing the WTE change from December 2022 to September 2023 for the areas outlined above. It is important to note that WTE change does not equate to total recruitment; WTE is a combination of new starters (recruitment) and leavers within the organisation.

I trust the above is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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