

## **National Doctors Training and Planning**

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Deputy Róisín Shortall Dáil Éireann Kildare Street Dublin 2

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Question: "To ask the Minister for Health the number of doctors in HSE consultant posts including temporary, locum and permanent, that are not on the Irish Medical Council specialist register for the specialty they are practicing in; and if he will make a statement on the matter - Róisín Shortall".

Dear Deputy Shortall,

The data below was extracted from DIME (Doctors Integrated Management E-system) as at 27<sup>th</sup> November 2023. DIME is dependent on clinical sites inputting details on their consultant workforce and therefore there may be variances and gaps in the data supplied to that held within clinical sites. As DIME is a live system it must be noted that there can be variances in the figures published dependent on the run date of the report as entries can be made with a retrospective date.

Total number of doctors in HSE CAAC approved Consultants Posts, not on the Specialist Division of the Register, by specialty:

Speciality	Total
Anaesthesiology	6
Cardiology	1
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	7
Emergency Medicine	13
General Medicine	24
General Surgery	6
Genito-Urinary Medicine	1
Geriatric Medicine	11
Haematology	2
Histopathology	1
Medical Oncology	2
Neurosurgery	1
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	8
Orthopaedic Surgery	2
Otolaryngology	4
Paediatrics	2
Plastic Surgery	1
Psychiatry	8
Radiology	2
Rheumatology	1

Total 103

Yours sincerely,

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