



22nd July 2024

Deputy Duncan Smith
Leinster House
Kildare St.
Dublin 2

Re: PQ 31767/24 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of doctors in each of the North East Doctor on Call treatment centres in 2022 and 2024, in tabular form – Duncan Smith

Dear Deputy Smith,

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 outlined the position as follows.

Please find the information you have requested regarding the number of doctors in each of the North East Doctor on Call treatment centres in 2022 and 2024, in tabular form.

Summer Roster 2022 and 2024 (Start April- Start October) Week Day	Centre	Start *	End	Duration
Monday- Friday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	18:00	21:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	08:00	14:59	07:00
		15:00	21:59	07:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00

Monday- Friday	Drogheda and Navan Centres	18:00	21:59	04:00
		19:00	22:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Drogheda and Navan Centres	08:00	13:59	06:00
		10:00	15:59	06:00
		14:00	19:59	06:00
		16:00	21:59	06:00



		22:00	07:59	10:00
Winter Roster 2022 (Start October- End March)	Centre	Start	End	Duration
Monday- Friday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	18:00	21:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	08:00	14:59	07:00
		12:00	17:59	06:00
		15:00	21:59	07:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Monday- Friday	Drogheda Centre	18:00	21:59	04:00
		19:00	22:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Drogheda Centre	08:00	13:59	06:00
		10:00	15:59	06:00
		12:00	17:59	06:00
		14:00	19:59	06:00
		16:00	21:59	06:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00

Monday- Friday	Navan Centre	18:00	21:59	04:00
		19:00	22:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Navan Centre	08:00	13:59	06:00
		10:00	15:59	06:00
		12:00	18:00	06:00
		14:00	19:59	06:00
		15:00	20:59	06:00
		16:00	21:59	06:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00

Winter Roster 2024 (Start October- End March)	Centre	Start	End	Duration
Monday- Friday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	18:00	21:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Castleblayney and Cavan Centres	08:00	14:59	07:00
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Winter Roster 2024 (Start October- End March)	Centre	Start	End	Duration
Monday- Friday	Drogheda and Navan Centres	18:00	21:59	04:00
		19:00	22:59	04:00
		22:00	07:59	10:00
Saturday- Sunday	Drogheda and Navan Centres	08:00	13:59	06:00
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*One GP assigned to each shift per centre.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you wish to discuss same.

Yours sincerely,

Joseph Ruane
Head of Primary Care Services
Midlands Louth Meath Community Health Organisation