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Ms. Niamh Smyth T.D. Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question 32186/23 "To ask the Minister for Health the number of full-time midwives working in the maternity department of Cavan General Hospital in each of the past five years, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Niamh Smyth

Dear Deputy Smyth,

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.

Please see below table outlining the WTE midwives in Cavan General Hospital in the years requested;

Year (December)	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
WTE	59	58	60.1	54.6	60.5

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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