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Duncan Smith Dail Eireann, Kildare Street, Dublin 2

RE: PQ 19639/24

Dear Deputy Smith,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Public Representation. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Response:

Hospital Bed Occupancy details are included in the table below. Hospital inpatient bed numbers remained the same in 2023 and 2024, at 307 beds:

| SUH Occupancy Rate % | 2023 | 2024 |
|----------------------|---------|--------|
| 2023-2024 | | |
| January | 101.90% | 98.10% |
| February | 100.30% | 95.90% |
| March | 100.80% | 96.60% |
| April | 95.00% | 99.50% |
| May | 95.60% | 98.50% |
| June | 95.70% | |
| July | 91.90% | |
| August | 94.00% | |
| September | 94.40% | |
| October | 97.00% | |
| November | 101.50% | |
| December | 92.40% | |

Please note we do not collate weekly figures for bed occupancy rates, just monthly figures

Yours sincerely,

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Mission Statement

Sligo University Hospital is committed to the delivery of a high quality, patient centred service in a safe, equitable and efficient manner. We recognise and value the contribution of each staff member and endeavour to support them in their ongoing development.