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**Re: Parliamentary Question 42755/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the paediatric ward of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42754/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the paediatric assessment unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42752/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the emergency department of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42764/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the physiotherapy unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42762/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the endoscopy unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42763/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the renal dialysis unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42761/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the oncology unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42756/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the surgical wards of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42757/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the maternity ward of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42758/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the midwifery led unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42759/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the intensive care unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42760/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the coronary care unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

**Re: Parliamentary Question 42753/24** *“To ask the Minister for Health to detail the number of staff working in the medical assessment unit of Cavan General Hospital in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form.”*

Dear Deputy Tully,

HSE Dublin and North East 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 staffing in Cavan and Monaghan Hospital in the relevant departments for the years requested;

PQ	Area	Dec-20	Dec-21	Dec-22	Dec-23	Sep-24
PQ ref 42755/24	Paediatric Ward	36	49	47	48	46
PQ ref 42754/24	Paediatric Assessment Unit	6	10	14	14	15
PQ ref 42752/24	Emergency Department	70	117	128	131	123
PQ ref 42764/24	Physiotherapy Unit	24	32	31	34	31
PQ ref 42762/24	Endoscopy Unit	6	7	10	12	13
PQ ref 42763/24	Renal Dialysis Unit	33	37	44	46	49
PQ ref 42761/24	Oncology Unit	9	15	16	19	21
PQ ref 42756/24	Surgical Wards	84	132	129	124	85
PQ ref 42757/24	Maternity Ward	62	78	74	77	80
PQ ref 42758/24	Midwifery Led Unit	9	8	8	5	5
PQ ref 42759/24	Intensive Care Unit	25	31	36	38	32
PQ ref 42760/24	Coronary Care Unit	15	19	18	18	19
PQ ref 42753/24	Medical Assessment Unit	3	2	3	10	11

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,



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