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PQ: 35813/23

To ask the Minister for Health for a breakdown of all the categories and amounts spent in each category in the provision of abortion (including preparation for abortion provision) in each of the years 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and to date in 2023, to include amounts spent on abortion provision in GP settings, hospital settings, family planning settings, on training of healthcare workers with regard to abortion, on training of healthcare students with regard to abortion, on values clarifications courses with regard to abortion, on capital expenditure to do with abortion and any other relevant categories relevant to abortion provision, complete with an individual breakdown for each category; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Carol Nolan

Dear Deputy Nolan,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference 35813/23), which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

Please see attached the expenditure cost of Termination of Pregnancy from 2019 to July 2023 (These figures match accounts expenditure) and cost of medication from 2019 to June 2023. Please note that whilst PCRS can provide costs by claim type that would not be entirety of HSE costs.

I hope this clarifies the matter for you.

Yours sincerely,

Suzanne Doyle

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