

16322 (2025): Further to his response to oral question 8 on 2 April 2025, where he said "if you look at Nelson Hospital, there has been an increase in clinical staff at that hospital since we came to Government," how many clinical staff were employed at Nelson Hospital on the first day of each month for the last five years?

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
January	-	1,353	1,436	1,444	1,550	1,570
February	-	1,395	1,429	1,478	1,626	1,616
March	1,335	1,378	1,434	1,463	1,605	1,599
April	1,348	1,371	1,429	1,459	1,609	-
May	1,357	1,374	1,424	1,469	1,615	-
June	1,356	1,382	1,411	1,488	1,609	-
July	1,365	1,377	1,411	1,497	1,595	-
August	1,357	1,378	1,425	1,513	1,612	-
September	1,354	1,395	1,424	1,506	1,596	-
October	1,350	1,400	1,437	1,500	1,586	-
November	1,351	1,412	1,432	1,525	1,579	-
December	1,359	1,425	1,433	1,526	1,569	-

The above table shows that under this Government, there has been a 4.85% increase in the number of clinical staff who have a location of Nelson at the last day of each month.

- Data extracted 9 April 2025.
- Please note, this data is based on payroll data for staff who have a location of Nelson as at the last day of each month. It includes staff who are in Nelson but work district-wide, and staff who are located in another building within Nelson, not just within Nelson Hospital.